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AGENDA

HEALTH CARE AUTHORITY

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The following is the Washington health care authority's semi-annual rule-making agenda for publication in the Washington State Register pursuant to RCW 34.05.314.

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**Semi-Annual Rule-Making Agenda
January through June 2023**

WAC Citation	Subject Matter	Current Activity		
		CR-101	CR-102 (Public Hearing) or CR-105 (Expedited)	CR-103E (Emergency)
HEALTH CARE AUTHORITY - GENERAL				
New chapter 182-52	Establishment of prescription drug affordability board (2SSB 5532)	WSR 22-15-035 Filed 7/14/2022		
New chapter 182-80	Primary care transformation model—Provider certification	WSR 23-01-066 Filed 12/14/2022		
BEHAVIORAL HEALTH				
New chapter 182-120	Antipsychotic medication rights and less restrictive alternative treatment	WSR 20-09-130 Filed 4/21/2020		
PUBLIC EMPLOYEE BENEFITS				
Chapters 182-08, 182-12, and 182-16	Public employees benefits board—Annual updates	<i>HCA intends to begin rule making soon.</i>		
SCHOOL EMPLOYEES BENEFITS				
Chapters 182-30, 182-31, and 182-32	School employees benefits board—Annual updates	<i>HCA intends to begin rule making soon.</i>		
WASHINGTON APPLE HEALTH (MEDICAID)				
182-500-0050, 182-502-0002	Washington apple health definitions—I; Eligible provider types		CR-105 WSR 22-23-009 Comments due by 1/24/2023	
182-501-0070, 182-556-0200 (possible others)	Chiropractic services for adults	<i>HCA intends to begin rule making soon.</i>		
182-501-0135	Patient review and coordination	WSR 22-18-050 Filed 8/30/2022		
182-501-0215, 182-502-0022	Wraparound with intensive services; Provider preventable conditions—Payment policy—Fixing broken hyperlinks		CR-105 WSR 22-23-084 Comments due by 1/24/2023	

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		CR-101	CR-102 (Public Hearing) or CR-105 (Expedited)	CR-103E (Emergency)
182-507-0115, 182-507-0120	Alien emergency medical program	WSR 20-15-077 Filed 7/14/2020	CR-102 WSR 21-13-049 Public hearing held 7/27/2021	WSR 22-22-014 Effective 10/21/2022
182-508-0001	Washington apple health—Coverage options for adults not eligible for MAGI methodologies—Cross reference fix	<i>HCA intends to begin rule making soon.</i>		
182-508-0005	Washington apple health—Medical care services—Eligibility and scope of coverage	WSR 22-21-091 Filed 10/14/2022	CR-102 WSR 22-24-072 Public hearing scheduled 1/10/2023	
182-512-0500	SSI-related medical—Burial funds, contracts and spaces excluded as resources	WSR 22-17-086 Filed 8/18/2022		
182-513, 182-515 (multiple sections)	Client eligibility rules; Fixing broken hyperlinks to income and resource standards chart		CR-105 WSR 22-23-082 Comments due by 1/24/2023	
182-513-1445	Protected asset, fixing broken hyperlink to income and resource standards chart		CR-105 WSR 22-23-083 Comments due by 1/24/2023	
182-513-1625, 182-513-1635, 182-513-1640	Tailored supports for older adults—Applications, income eligibility, and resource eligibility	WSR 22-17-082 Filed 8/17/2022		
New 182-513-1110	Presumptive eligibility—Long-term services and supports in a home setting or in an alternate living facility authorized by home and community services	WSR 22-09-067 Filed 4/19/2022	CR-102 WSR 23-01-087 Public hearing scheduled for 1/24/2023	
182-530-1050, 182-530-7100, 182-530-7250, 182-530-7900	Prescription drugs (outpatient) definitions; Reimbursement—Pharmaceutical supplies, miscellaneous; Drugs purchased under the PHS Act	<i>HCA intends to begin rule making soon.</i>		
Chapter 182-556 (new section)	Acupuncture—Coverage (ESSB 5693)	<i>HCA intends to begin rule making soon.</i>		
182-531-1675	Washington apple health—Gender affirming interventions for gender dysphoria; Fixing erroneous cross reference citation to EPSDT		CR-105 WSR 22-22-103 Comments due by 1/3/2023	
182-531-1730	Telemedicine	WSR 21-15-065 Filed 7/16/2021	CR-102 Supplemental WSR 22-22-068 Public hearing held 12/5/2022	<i>HCA intends to finalize rule making soon.</i>

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		CR-101	CR-102 (Public Hearing) or CR-105 (Expedited)	CR-103E (Emergency)
182-531-1850	Payment methodology for physicians-related services—General and billing modifiers	WSR 22-17-048 Filed 8/11/2022		
182-531A-1200	Applied behavior analysis	WSR 22-19-087 Filed 9/20/2022	CR-102 WSR 22-23-147 Public hearing held 12/27/2022	<i>HCA intends to finalize rule making soon.</i>
182-535-1098, 182-535-1100	Dental—Covered—Adjunctive general services; Dental—Not covered	WSR 22-24-062 Filed 12/2/2022		
182-535A-0040	Orthodontic treatment and orthodontic-related services—Covered, noncovered, and limitations to coverage	WSR 22-24-003 Filed 12/2/2022		
182-537-0700	School-based health care services	WSR 23-01-037 Filed 12/13/2022		
182-538-070, 182-538-140	Payments and sanctions for managed care organizations in integrated managed care regional service areas	WSR 22-18-069 Filed 9/1/2022	CR-102 WSR 22-24-005 Public hearing scheduled for 1/10/2023	
182-543-8200	Billing for medicare and medicaid	WSR 22-22-070 Filed 10/31/2022		
182-546 (multiple sections)	Transportation services—Nonemergency transportation	WSR 22-24-114 Filed 12/7/2022		
182-550-1100, 182-550-1200, 182-550-1300, 182-550-3000, 182-550-3850, 182-550-4300	Hospital services—Housekeeping fix—Changing chemical-using pregnant women program name to substance-using pregnant people program		CR-105 WSR 22-23-106 Comments due by 1/24/2023	
182-550-2600	Inpatient psychiatric services	WSR 20-21-106 Filed 10/21/2020		
182-550-4400	Hospital—Services—Exempt from DRG payment	WSR 22-23-135 Filed 11/21/2022		
182-550-6000	Outpatient hospital services—Conditions of payment and payment methods	WSR 22-07-049 Filed 3/15/2022	CR-102 WSR 22-11-057 Public hearing held 6/21/2022	
182-552-0005, 182-552-0800	Respiratory therapy	<i>HCA intends to begin rule making soon.</i>		
182-555-0300, 182-501-0060	Medical nutrition for adults; Health care coverage—Program benefit packages—Scope of categories	WSR 22-23-122 Filed 11/18/2022		
New chapter 182-561	Community behavioral health support services	WSR 22-09-074 Filed 4/19/2022		

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