

**IDAPA 16 - DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND WELFARE**

**16.05.07 - THE INVESTIGATION AND ENFORCEMENT OF FRAUD, ABUSE, AND MISCONDUCT**

**DOCKET NO. 16-0507-1401**

**NOTICE OF INTENT TO PROMULGATE RULES - NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING**

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Sections 67-5220(1) and 67-5220(2), Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency intends to promulgate rules and desires public comment prior to initiating formal rulemaking procedures. This negotiated rulemaking action is authorized pursuant to Sections 56-202(b), 56-203(1) & (2), 56-209, 56-209(h), 56-227, 56-227A through D, 56-1001, and 56-1003, Idaho Code.

**MEETING SCHEDULE:** A public meeting on the negotiated rulemaking will be held as follows:

**Thursday, July 10, 2014, 1:00 p.m. (MDT)**

**Department of Health & Welfare  
450 West State Street  
PTC Building - Conference Rm. 3A  
Boise, Idaho 83720**

**METHOD OF PARTICIPATION:** Persons wishing to participate in the negotiated rulemaking must do the following:

1. Attend the negotiated rulemaking meetings and participate in the negotiation process;
2. Provide oral or written recommendations, or both, at the negotiated rulemaking meetings;
3. Submit written recommendations and comments to this address on or before July 17, 2014:

**Lori Stiles, Investigations Supervisor  
Idaho Department of Health and Welfare  
650 W. State Street, Suite B-17  
P.O. Box 83720  
Boise, ID 83720-0036**

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY:** The following is a statement in nontechnical language of the substance and purpose of the intended negotiated rulemaking and the principle issues involved:

The Department has determined that the current practice used to reinstate a provider or individual once his exclusion period expires should be in rule. For consistency within the Department and its programs, negotiations are being held for this rulemaking based on the current reinstatement process for providers or individuals whose exclusions are over and would like reinstated as a provider for Department programs.

**CONTACT INFORMATION, WEB ADDRESS, ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS, SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS:** For assistance on technical questions concerning this negotiated rulemaking, contact Lori Stiles at (208) 334-0653. Materials pertaining to the negotiated rulemaking, including any available preliminary rule drafts, will be available on the Department's web site at: <http://www.healthandwelfare.idaho.gov/>.

All written comments on the negotiated rules must be directed to the contact person above and must be delivered on or before July 17, 2014.

DATED this 10th day of June, 2014.

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