

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

**16.03.10 – MEDICAID ENHANCED PLAN BENEFITS**

**DOCKET NO. 16-0310-1704**

**(FOURTH) 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, 56-203, 56-250 through 56-257, and 56-260 through 56-266, Idaho Code.

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

<b>PUBLIC (LIVE) MEETING</b>
<b>Friday, June 28, 2019 - 1:00 p.m. (MDT)</b>

**Department of Health & Welfare  
Medicaid Central Office  
3232 Elder Street  
Conference Room D-East/West  
Boise, ID 83705**

<b>Via Video Conference Friday, June 28, 2019</b>
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**12:00 p.m. (PDT)  
Region 1 - DHW Office  
1120 Ironwood Drive  
Suite 102  
Lower Level - Large Conf. Room  
Coeur d'Alene, ID 83814**

**1:00 p.m. (MDT)  
Region 6 - DHW Office  
1070 Hilina Road  
(brown brick building)  
Second Floor - Suite 230  
Pocatello, ID 83201**

The meeting sites will be accessible to persons with disabilities, if needed. Requests for accommodation must be made not later than five (5) days prior to the meeting to the agency address below.

**METHOD OF PARTICIPATION:** Persons wishing to participate in the negotiated rulemaking may do any of the following:

1. Attend the negotiated rulemaking meeting and participate in the negotiation process;
2. Provide oral or written recommendations, or both, at the negotiated rulemaking meeting;
3. Submit written recommendations and comments to the address below.

Send to:  
Idaho Department of Health & Welfare  
Division of Medicaid  
Attn: Karen Westbrook  
P.O. Box 83720  
Boise, ID 83720-0036  
E-mail: [BDDSRules@dhw.idaho.gov](mailto:BDDSRules@dhw.idaho.gov)

Hand Deliver to:  
3232 Elder Street  
Boise, ID 83705  
Attn: Karen Westbrook

Upon conclusion of the negotiated rulemaking, any unresolved issues, all key issues considered, and conclusion reached during the negotiated rulemaking will be addressed in a written summary. The summary will be made available to interested persons who contact the agency or, if the agency chooses, the summary may be posted on the agency website.

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY AND STATEMENT OF PURPOSE:** The following is a statement in nontechnical language of the substance and purpose of the intended negotiated rulemaking and the principal issues involved:

The Department is seeking public input on the revision of rules regarding provider reimbursement methodology for certain Home and Community-Based Services (HCBS), including residential habilitation agencies, developmental disability agencies, supported employment agencies and targeted service coordination agencies.

**ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS, SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS:** For assistance on technical questions concerning this negotiated rulemaking, please contact Karen Westbrook at (208) 364-1960.

All written comments on the negotiated rules must be directed to the contact person specified above under “Method of Participation” and must be delivered on or before Friday, July 5th, 2019.

Dated this 22nd day of April, 2019.

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