



PREPROPOSAL STATEMENT OF INQUIRY

CR-101 (August 2017) (Implements RCW 34.05.310) Do NOT use for expedited rule making

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Agency: Health Care Authority

Subject of possible rule making: WAC 182-503-0050 Verification of eligibility factors; New WAC 182-503-0055 Asset Verification System; WAC 182-503-0080 Washington apple health – Application denials and withdrawals; other related rules as appropriate.

Statutes authorizing the agency to adopt rules on this subject: Social Security Act (SSA) Sec. 1940. [42 U.S.C. 1396w], RCW 41.05.021, RCW 41.05.160

Reasons why rules on this subject may be needed and what they might accomplish: As required by 42 U.S.C. 1396w, the agency is creating a new WAC to create an asset verification program to determine or redetermine the eligibility of an individual for Apple Health. During the course of this review, the agency may identify additional changes that are required in order to improve clarity or update policy.

Identify other federal and state agencies that regulate this subject and the process coordinating the rule with these agencies: Department of Social and Health Services (DSHS),

Process for developing new rule (check all that apply):

- Negotiated rule making
- Pilot rule making
- Agency study

Other (describe) The agency welcomes the public to take part in developing this rule. If interested, contact the person identified below to receive an early rule draft to review. After the early review, the agency will send a notice of proposed rulemaking (CR-102) to everyone receiving this notice and anyone who requests a copy.

Interested parties can participate in the decision to adopt the new rule and formulation of the proposed rule before publication by contacting:

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