



# PREPROPOSAL STATEMENT OF INQUIRY

**CR-101 (October 2017)**  
**(Implements RCW 34.05.310)**

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**DATE: April 07, 2025**

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**WSR 25-09-018**

**Agency:** Health Care Authority

**Subject of possible rule making:** WAC 182-501-0100, Subrogation; other related rules as appropriate.

**Statutes authorizing the agency to adopt rules on this subject:** RCW 41.05.021, RCW 41.05.160

**Reasons why rules on this subject may be needed and what they might accomplish:** The agency is amending WAC 182-501-0100 to reflect the 2011 change in authority for overseeing the Medicaid program from the Washington State Department of Social and Health Services (DSHS) to the Health Care Authority (HCA). Currently, the rule references only the DSHS lien statutes. This amendment will add reference to the HCA lien statutes. Both HCA and DSHS use liens for subrogation purposes. During this review, HCA may identify additional related changes that improve clarity or update policy.

**Identify other federal and state agencies that regulate this subject and the process coordinating the rule with these agencies:** Washington State Department of Social and Health Services

**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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Additional comments:

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