



STATE OF WASHINGTON
HEALTH CARE AUTHORITY
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NOTICE

Title or Subject: Medicaid State Plan Amendment (SPA) 25-0025

Effective Date: October 1, 2025

Description: The Health Care Authority (HCA) intends to submit Medicaid State Plan Amendment (SPA) 25-0025 in order to align payment for freestanding birthing centers' facility fee with the state legislature's 2024 financial allocation for this service, as well as to reflect current payment methodology.

SPA 25-0025 is expected to have no effect on the annual aggregate expenditures/reimbursement/payment for this services; payments will remain at the current levels.

A copy of SPA 25-0025 is available for review. HCA would appreciate any input or concerns regarding this SPA. To request a copy of the SPA or submit comments, please contact the person named below (please note that all comments are subject to public review and disclosure, as are the names of those who comment).

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