



PREPROPOSAL STATEMENT OF INQUIRY

CR-101 (June 2004)
(Implements RCW 34.05.310)
Do **NOT** use for expedited rule making

Agency: Health Care Authority, Washington Apple Health

Subject of possible rule making:

WAC 182-531A-0800 Applied Behavioral Analysis Provider Requirements
Other related rules as appropriate.

Statutes authorizing the agency to adopt rules on this subject: RCW 41.05.021, 41.05.160, Substitute Senate Bill 5488

Reasons why rules on this subject may be needed and what they might accomplish:

WAC 182-531A-0800 Provider Requirements must be modified to reflect new credentialing for Applied Behavioral Analysis providers through the Washington State Department of Health under Chapter 246-805 WAC. Substitute Senate Bill 5488 of 2015 created three behavior analysis professions in Washington State to go into effect July 1, 2017. 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:

The agency will revise WAC 182-531A-0800 to follow professional credentialing in Washington State Department of Health's Chapter 246-805 WAC.

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.

How interested parties can participate in the decision to adopt the new rule and formulation of the proposed rule before publication:

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