



# PREPROPOSAL STATEMENT OF INQUIRY

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

**Agency:** Department of Social and Health Services, Developmental Disabilities Administration

**Subject of possible rule making:**

The department is proposing to amend WAC 388-825-083 "Is there a comprehensive list of waiver and state-only DDA services?", WAC 388-825-084 "What are the limitations of state-only funded services or programs?", WAC 388-828-9300 "What is the DDD community access acuity scale?", WAC 388-828-9310 "How does DDD determine the number of hours you may receive each month for community access services?", WAC 388-828-9330 "How does DDD determine your employment status?", WAC 388-828-9350 "Are there conditions when DDD will authorize additional hours to your monthly employment service hours?", WAC 388-845-0600 "What are community access services?", WAC 388-845-0605 "Who are qualified providers of community access services?", WAC 388-845-0610 "Are there limits to community access services I can receive?", WAC 388-845-1030 "What are individual technical assistance services?", WAC 388-845-1040 "Are there limits to the individualized technical assistance services you can receive?", WAC 388-845-1410 "Are there limits to the prevocational services you can receive?", WAC 388-845-2100 "What are supported employment services?", WAC 388-845-2110 "Are there limits to the supported employment services I can receive?", and other related rules as may be required.

**Statutes authorizing the agency to adopt rules on this subject:**

RCW 71A.12.030

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

The Developmental Disabilities Administration (DDA) is amending these rules to simplify language and update policy related to employment services, and are necessary to protect public health, safety, and welfare.

**Identify other federal and state agencies that regulate this subject and the process coordinating the rule with these agencies:** None

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

- Negotiated rule making
- Pilot rule making
- Agency study
- Other (describe)

DSHS welcomes the public to take part in developing the rules. Anyone interested should contact the staff person identified below. At a later date, DSHS will file a proposal with the Office of the Code Reviser with a notice of proposed rule making. A copy of the proposal will be sent to everyone on the mailing list and to 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:**

(List names, addresses, telephone, fax numbers, and e-mail of persons to contact; describe meetings, other exchanges of information, etc.) Contact:

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