



# PREPROPOSAL STATEMENT OF INQUIRY

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

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

**Subject of possible rule making:** The department is amending sections in chapter 388-845 WAC and other related rules as may be required.

**Statutes authorizing the agency to adopt rules on this subject:** RCW 71A.12.030, RCW 71A.12.120

**Reasons why rules on this subject may be needed and what they might accomplish:** The Developmental Disabilities Administration (DDA) is amending sections in chapter 388-845 WAC as part of the administration's waiver renewal process and filed a CR-103E Rule-Making Order as WSR 19-18-048 on August 30, 2019. The emergency rules reflect changes approved by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) on July 30, 2019 that went into effect on September 1, 2019. During the course of this review, the department may make additional changes that are necessary 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:** 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 rulemaking. A copy of the proposal will be sent to everyone on the mailing list and to 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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