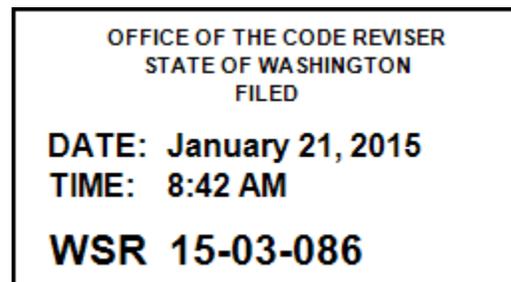




## January 2015 Rules Agenda

This report details current and anticipated rulemaking activities for the Department of Health (DOH) and the State Board of Health (SBOH). If you have any questions regarding this report or DOH rulemaking activities, please contact Tami Thompson at (360) 236-4044. If you have any questions regarding SBOH rulemaking activities please contact Michelle Davis at (360) 236-4106.

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## State Board of Health Rule Making

RCW or Session Law	Authority	WAC and Rule Title	101 Filing WSR # and Date	102 Filing WSR # and Date	105 Filing WSR # and Date	103 Filing WSR # and Date	Program Staff Contact
RCW 43.20.050	State Board of Health	WAC 246-100-021 Responsibilities and Duties of Health Care Providers; WAC 246-100-036 Responsibilities and Duties of Local Health Officers; WAC 246-138-030 What are the Duties of Local Health Department; WAC 246-215-02245 Employee Health Removal of exclusion or Restriction all include reference to the Control of Communicable diseases Manual		14-24-093 12/01/2014		Anticipate filing February 2015	DAVE DELONG (360) 236-4111
RCW 43.20.050 70.119A.080	State Board of Health	WAC 246-203-130 Keeping of Animals	09-17-132 08/19/2009	Anticipate filing 2015			DAVE DELONG (360) 236-4111
RCW 69.30.030	State Board of Health	WAC 246-282-006 Vibrio Parahaemolyticus (VP) control plan	12-24-036 11/29/2012	Anticipate filing February 2015			RICK PORSO (360) 236-3302
RCW 69.30.030	State Board of Health delegated to Department of Health	WAC 246-282-005, Sanitary control of shellfish – Minimum performance standards		14-24-077 11/26/2014		Anticipate filing this period	VICKI BOUVIER (360) 236-3011
RCW 43.20.050(2)	State Board of Health	WAC 246-290-460 Fluoridation of Drinking Water— Revises the fluoride concentration in Group A public water systems that choose to fluoridate under RCW 57.08.012	11-11-046 05/13/2011	Pending release of HHS guidance			DAVE DELONG (360) 236-4111

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RCW 43.20.050	State Board of Health	Chapter 246-390 WAC Drinking Water Laboratory Certification	06-23-077 11/13/2006	Anticipate filing Summer 2015			THERESA PHILLIPS (360) 236-3147
RCW 43.20.050	State Board of Health	Chapter 246-290 WAC Group A Public Water Supplies	14-06-036 02/25/2014				BRAD BURNHAM (360) 236-3158
RCW 28A.2140.020	State Board of Health	WAC 246-760-001, -020, -070, -080, -090, and -100, Visual Standards— School Districts	Anticipate filing February 2015				TARA WOLFF (360) 236-4101  ELLEN SILVERMAN (360) 236-3580

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RCW 18.30.065	Board of Denturist	WAC 246-812-480 Sexual Misconduct – Proposing revisions to clarify that forcible or nonconsensual acts are within the definition of sexual misconduct	Anticipate filing this period				VICKI BROWN (360) 236-4865
RCW 18.30.065	Board Denturist	WAC 246-812-200 Considering including legal process for the withdrawal of program approval	Anticipate filing this period				VICKI BROWN (360) 236-4865
RCW 18.35.161	Board of Hearing and Speech	WAC 246-828-XXX Prohibiting the use of the title Audioprosthologist	09-11-116 05/20/2009				JANETTE BENHAM (360) 236-4857

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SHB 2108 (Chapter	Board of Hearing and Speech	Chapter 246-828 WAC Establishing a nine-month certification path way for hearing aid specialists; implementing SHB 2108; making general housekeeping amendments; adding multicultural education as a CE option; CE and exam standard updates; adding temporary practice permits for military spouses; and clarifying that forcible or nonconsensual acts are within the definition of sexual misconduct	14-14-064 06/26/2014  New and expanded CR-101 anticipate filing 01/21/15	Anticipate filing this period			JANETTE BENHAM (360) 236-4857
RCW 18.36A.160	Board of Naturopathy	Chapter 246-836 WAC Considering the practice of non-surgical cosmetic procedures in naturopathic practice	13-22-059 11/4/2013	Anticipate filing Fall 2015			SUSAN GRAGG (360) 236-4941
RCW 18.36A.160 18.36A.110	Board of Naturopathy	WAC 246-836-020, 246-836-030, 246-836-040, 246-836-050, 246-836-110, 246-836-120 Acceptable licensure examinations	13-22-060 11/4/2013	15-03-012 01/08/2015  Hearing set for 02/27/2015			SUSAN GRAGG (360) 236-4941
RCW 18.36A.160; ESHB 2315 (Chap. 71, Laws of 2014)	Board of Naturopathy	WAC 246-836-080 Updating and clarifying continuing competency/continuing education requirements; adding continuing education on suicide assessment, treatment and management	13-21-028 10/08/2013	Anticipate filing this period			SUSAN GRAGG (360) 236-4941
RCWs 18.36A.160, 18.130.062, and Executive Order 06-03	Board of Naturopathy	WAC 246-836-510. Revisions to clarify that forcible or nonconsensual acts are within the definition of sexual misconduct	Anticipate filing this period				SUSAN GRAGG (360) 236-4941

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RCW 18.54.070, 18.130.250	Board of Optometry	Chapter 246-851 WAC Establishing a retired active status for licensed optometrists	14-06-100 03/05/2014				JUDY HAENKE (360) 236-4947
RCW 18.54.070	Board of Optometry	WAC 246-851-235 Credits for cultural competency in clinical care	10-05-060 02/11/2010	14-18-041 08/27/2014  Hearing held on 12/01/2014		Anticipate filing this period	JUDY HAENKE (360) 236-4947
RCW 18.54.070	Board of Optometry	WAC 246-851-090 through 246-851-230 Reviewing continuing competency rules for possible revision	14-13-100 06/17/2014				JUDY HAENKE (360) 236-4947
RCW 18.54.070	Board of Optometry	WAC 246-851-420 Removing obsolete language requiring certain optometrists to include the letters "TX" on prescriptions			14-20-026 09/22/2014	Anticipate filing this period	JUDY HAENKE (360) 236-4947
RCW 18.130.050 18.57.005	Board of Osteopathic Medicine and Surgery	Chapter 246-853 WAC Re-entry to practice, retired active status, delegation of LLRP, USLME examination	13-19-083 9/17/2013	Anticipate filing Winter 2015			BRETT CAIN (360) 236-4766
ESHB 2315 (Chap. 71, Laws of 2014)	Board of Osteopathic Medicine and Surgery	Chapter 246-853 WAC Osteopathic physician's assistants - Developing rules on suicide assessment, treatment and management continuing education	Anticipate filing Winter 2015				BRETT CAIN (360) 236-4766
ESHB 2315 (Chap. 71, Laws of 2014)	Board of Osteopathic Medicine and Surgery	Chapter 246-854 WAC Osteopathic physicians Developing rules on suicide assessment, treatment and management continuing education	Anticipate filing Spring 2015				BRETT CAIN (360) 236-4766
ESHB 2315 (Chap. 71, Laws of 2014)	Board of Osteopathic Medicine and Surgery	Chapter 246-854 WAC Osteopathic physicians Developing rules on suicide assessment, treatment and management continuing education	Anticipate filing Winter 2015				BRETT CAIN (360) 236-4766

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ESHB 2160, an ESHB 2315 (Chapters 116 and 71, Laws of 2014)	Board of Physical Therapy	Chapter 246-915 WAC Endorsement requirements to perform spinal manipulation; Adopting suicide assessment continuing education requirements	14-13-104 6/17/2014	Anticipate filing this period			KRIS WAIDLEY 236-4847
RCW 18.74.023 and SSB 5679 (Chapter 30, Laws of 2013, 2 <sup>nd</sup> Special Session)	Board of Physical Therapy	Chapter 246-915 WAC Physical Therapists and Physical Therapist Assistants. Opening the chapter to consider general updates, revisions, and housekeeping amendments	15-02-054 01/05/2015	Anticipate filing this period			KRIS WAIDLEY (360) 236-4847
RCW 18.74.023 18.74.038	Board of Physical Therapy	WAC 246-915-995 Proposing to repeal waiver of exam for physical therapist assistants because the rule is obsolete			14-22-081 11/03/2014	Anticipate filing this period	KRIS WAIDLEY (360) 236-4847
RCW 18.25.0171	Chiropractic Quality Assurance Commission	WAC 246-808-545 Allowing a time of service discount for patients paying at the time of their appointment	14-22-046 10/30/2014				LEANN YOUNT (360) 236-4856
RCW 18.25.0171 18.130.050(1) and (12)	Chiropractic Quality Assurance Commission	WAC 246-808-550 Future Care Contracts Prohibited – Considering revising the current rule to clarify the requirements for future care contracts.	10-06-017 02/22/2010	Anticipate filing this period			LEANN YOUNT (360) 236-4856
RCW 18.25.0171  ESHB 2315 (chapter 71, Laws of 2014)	Chiropractic Quality Assurance Commission	WAC 246-808-150 Reviewing current continuing education (CE) requirements for chiropractors; adding CE for suicide assessment.	09-09-031 4/7/2009	14-22-106 11/05/2014  Hearing held on 12/11/2014		Anticipate filing this period	LEANN YOUNT (360) 236-4856
RCW 18.25.0171	Chiropractic Quality Assurance Commission	WAC 246-808-XXX Updating chapter rules for clarity	Anticipate filing this period				LEANN YOUNT (360) 236-4856
RCW 18.25.0171	Chiropractic Quality Assurance Commission	WAC 246-808-XXX Establishing an early remediation program, criteria and procedures	Anticipate filing this period				LEANN YOUNT (360) 236-4856

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RCW 18.32.040 18.130.064	Dental Quality Assurance Commission	WAC 246-817-310 and -XXX Maintenance and Retention of Dental Records and Dental Treatment Records	09-13-097 06/17/2009	14-04-022 01/27/2014  Anticipate filing Supplemental CR-102 this period		Anticipate filing Fall 2015	JENNIFER SANTIAGO (360) 236-4893
RCW 18.32.0365	Dental Quality Assurance Commission	WAC 246-817-360 Modifying the term "dental-related condition" consistent with the definition of "practice of dentistry"	14-11-057 05/16/2014	Anticipate filing a withdrawal this period			JENNIFER SANTIAGO (360) 236-4893
RCW 18.32.0365	Dental Quality Assurance Commission	WAC 246-817-510,-520,-525,-540,-545 Expanded Function Dental Auxiliaries (EFDA) - Acts that may not be performed by registered dental assistants or non-credentialed persons.	10-23-081 11/15/2010	Anticipate filing this period			JENNIFER SANTIAGO (360) 236-4893
RCW 18.32.0365 18.32.640	Dental Quality Assurance Commission	WAC 246-827-701 through 246-817-760 and WAC 246-817-771 through 246-817-790  Administration of anesthetic agents for dental procedures	14-04-019 01/27/2014	14-18-031 08/27/2014  Anticipate filing Supplemental CR-102 this period		Anticipate filing Fall 2015	JENNIFER SANTIAGO (360) 236-4893
RCW 18.32.0365, 18.340.020	Dental Quality Assurance Commission	WAC 246-817-XXX Creating a temporary practice permit for military spouses or registered domestic partners with an out-of-state credential who move into Washington with their military member spouse	14-15-079 07/16/2014	Anticipate filing this period			JENNIFER SANTIAGO (360) 236-4893
RCW 18.32.0365, 18.130.250	Dental Quality Assurance Commission	WAC 246-817-XXX Creating a new retired active credential for dental professionals	14-14-100 07/01/2014	Anticipate filing this period			JENNIFER SANTIAGO (360) 236-4893
RCW 18.130.062 18.130.062 18.130.050	Dental Quality Assurance Commission	WAC 246-817-460 Sexual Misconduct - Clarifying what forcible or nonconsensual acts are within the definition of sexual misconduct by a dental provider	14-24-021 11/21/2014	Anticipate filing this period			JENNIFER SANTIAGO (360) 236-4893

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RCW 18.32.020 18.32.685	Dental Quality Assurance Commission	WAC 246-817-360 Prescribing, dispensing or distributing drugs – proposing to repeal this section of rule as it is duplicative		(Exception) Anticipate filing this period.			Dental Quality Assurance Commission
RCW Chapters 43.70 18.130 18.155 34.05	Department of Health	Chapter 246-10 WAC Administrative Procedures Adjudicative Proceedings – A chapter review which may include: clarification, streamlining, modernization, and implementation of Engrossed Substitute House Bill 1381 (chapter 109, Laws of 2013)	14-09-019 04/07/2014				TAMI THOMPSON (360) 236-4044
RCW Chapters 43.70 18.130 18.155 34.05	Department of Health	Chapter 246-11 WAC Model procedural rules for adjudicative proceedings conducted under the authority of a board or commission having disciplinary authority under the Uniform Disciplinary Act - A chapter review, which may include clarification, streamlining, and modernization of the rules.	14-09-020 04/07/2014				TAMI THOMPSON (360)236-4044
SSB 5148 (Chapter 260 Laws of 2013)	Department of Health	New chapter in Title 246 - Donated prescription drugs and supplies - Considering rules on patient eligibility to received donated medications	Anticipate filing this period				DEBORAH JOHNSON (360) 236-4988
HB 1609 (Chapter 19, Laws of 2013)	Department of Health	Chapters 246-205, 246-235, 246-320, 246-324, 246-330, 246-335, 246-337 and 246-905 WAC  Changing references from Board of Pharmacy to the Pharmacy Quality Assurance Commission			14-23-010 11/06/2014	Anticipate filing this period	DEBORAH JOHNSON (360) 236-4988

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ESSB6265 (Chapter 220, Laws of 2014),  RCW 43.70.052	Department of Health	Chapter 246-455 WAC Hospital Patient Discharge Information - Amending and creating new rules to strengthen protections of patient health care information	14-16-094 08/05/2014	Anticipated filing March 2015			KRIS REICHL (360) 236-4311
RCW 70.58.082 43.70.150	Department of Health	Chapter 246-490 WAC Considering adding new sections to the chapter for Delayed Registration of Births and amending WAC 246-490-070 Fraudulently Registered or Changed Birth Certificates	14-24-020 11/21/2014	Anticipate filing March 2015			KRIS REICHL (360) 236-4311
SSB 5148 (Chapter 260, Laws of 2013)	Department of Health	New chapter in Title 246 - Donated prescription drugs and supplies. Rules on patient eligibility to receive donated medications	Anticipate filing this period				DEBORAH JOHNSON (360) 236-4988
RCW 71.12.670	Department of Health	Chapter 246-337 WAC Residential treatment facilities. Revise to align with current law and practices.	12-22-029 10/31/2012	Anticipate filing this period			LORI BARNEY (360) 236-2937
Chapter 70.185 RCW	Department of Health	Chapter 246-562 WAC Physician J-1 Visa Waivers - Revising rules to make consistent with current law	13-08-019 03/26/2013	Anticipate filing this period			RENEE FULLERTON (360) 236-2814
RCW 18.06.160	Department of Health	Chapter 246-803 WAC East Asian Practitioner  Define and clarify the practice of point injection therapy	13-01-093 12/19/2012				VICKI BROWN (360) 236-4865
RCW 18.225.040, 43.70.442  HB 1213 (Chapter 73, Laws of 2013)	Department of Health	Chapter 246-809 WAC Mental Health Counselors, Marriage and Family Therapists, and Social Workers  Implementing House Bill 1213 regarding continuing education, other licensing standards; clarifying, repealing obsolete language	14-16-097 08/05/2014				MARIAMA GONDO (360) 236-2912

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RCW 70.98.080	Department of Health	Title 246 WAC Computed Tomography Diagnostic X-Ray Systems	13-09-041 04/11/2013				MICHELLE AUSTIN (360) 236-3250
RCW 70.98.050	Department of Health	Chapters 246-220, 221, 232, 233, 235, 244, 246, 252 WAC  Decommissioning planning and licensing materials – radiation protection		15-01-133 12/19/14		Anticipate filing this period	MICHELLE AUSTIN (360) 236-3250
RCW 18.130.062  Governor's Executive Order 06-03	Department of Health	WAC 246-16-100 Sexual Misconduct - Clarifying what forcible or nonconsensual acts are within the definition of sexual misconduct	14-16-096 08/05/2014				MAURA CRAIG (360) 236-4997
RCW 43.70.040 70.38.135	Department of Health	WAC 246-310-XXX Hospital Acute Care Bed Methodology	09-16-118 08/04/2009				JAN SIGMAN (360) 236-2956
RCW 43.70.040 70.38.135	Department of Health	WAC 246-310-280 through 289  Revising Certificate of Need rules for kidney dialysis	13-15-005 07/05/2013	Anticipate filing this period			JAN SIGMAN (360) 236-2956
RCW 43.70.040 70.38.135	Department of Health	WAC 246-310-700 through 246-310-755  Revising Certificate Need rules for adult elective percutaneous coronary interventions (PCI).	Anticipate filing this period				JAN SIGMAN (360) 236-2956
RCW 43.70.040 70.38.135	Department of Health	WAC 246-310-290 Revising Certificate of Need rules for hospice services	Anticipate filing this period				JAN SIGMAN (360) 236-2956
RCW 43.70.040 70.38.135	Department of Health	WAC 246-310-XXX Developing Certificate of Need rules for home health facilities	Anticipate filing this period				JAN SIGMAN (360) 236-2956
RCW 70.41.030 42 CFR 482	Department of Health	Chapter 246-320 WAC Amending hospital construction standards to align with federal and national standards	14-15-045 7/10/2014	Anticipate filing this period			JOHN WILLIAMS (360) 236-2944

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Chapter 70.127 RCW	Department of Health	WAC 246-335-015 Definition of authorizing practitioner for In-Home Services	Anticipate filing this period				JOHN HILGER (360)236-2929
RCW 43.70.340  Chapter 70.114A RCW	Department of Health	Chapters 246-358 WAC 246-359 WAC 246-361 WAC  Temporary worker housing and cherry harvest camps operation regulations and processes, and inspection processes	13-22-014 10/28/2013	14-24-107 12/02/2014		Anticipate filing this period	DEBRA FISHER 360-236-2952
RCW 18.205.100 18.205.060	Department of Health	Chapter 246-811 WAC Chemical Dependency Professionals and Chemical Dependency Professional Trainees.  Developing standards for alternative training to obtain certification	13-20-078 09/30/2013				BETTY MOE (360) 236-4912
ESSB 6312 (Chapter 225, Laws of 2014)	Department of Health	Chapter 246-811 WAC Revising settings where a chemical dependency professional may practice	Anticipate filing this period				BETTY MOE (360) 236-4912
RCW 18.130.250 43.70.250	Department of Health	WAC 246-812-990 WAC 246-817-990 WAC 246-851-990 WAC 246-853-990  Adopting fees for retired active credentials for Dentists, Denturists, Optometrists and Osteopathic physicians		14-22-049 10/30/2014		Anticipate filing this period	SHERRY THOMAS (360) 236-4612
RCW 18.29.130	Department of Health	WAC 246-815-140 Continuing education for dental hygienists	13-21-056 10/15/2013	Anticipate filing this period			VICKI BROWN (360) 236-4865
RCW 18.34.120 18.130.040	Department of Health	WAC 246-824-075 Revising continuing education requirements for dispensing opticians	14-06-103 03/05/2014	14-21-154 10/21/2014  Hearing was held on 12/16/2014		Anticipate filing this session	JUDY HAENKE (360) 236-4947

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RCW 18.108.025 18.108.085	Department of Health/Board of Massage	Chapter 246-830 WAC Massage Practitioners  Chapter review to clarify, streamline and modernize the rules.	14-15-103 07/18/2014				MEGAN BROWN (360) 236-4945
RCW 18.50.040(3) 18.50.135	Department of Health	WAC 246-834-060 Application requirements for licensure as a midwife;  WAC 246-834-220 Credit toward educational requirements for licensure as a midwife;  WAC 246-834-230 Preceptor for midwife-in-training program.	13-15-141 07/23/2013	Anticipate filing this period			KATHY WEED (360) 236-4883
RCW 18.50.102  2SHB 1773 (Chapter 187, Laws of 2014	Department of Health	Chapter 246-834 WAC Midwives  Updating rules to include elements of newborn care up to two weeks of age as authorized by 2SHB 1773 (2014)	15-02-031 12/30/2014				KATHY WEED (360) 236-4883
RCW 18.50.102  2SHB 1773 (Chapter 187, Laws of 2014	Department of Health	WAC 246-834-XXX Considering rules regarding the credential renewal requirements for licensed midwives	14-15-108 07/21/2014	Anticipate filing this period			KATHY WEED (360) 236-4883
RCW 18.55.095	Department of Health	Chapter 246-849 WAC Ocularists  Chapter review and alternative apprenticeship pathways to licensure	13-24-104 12/03/2013				JUDY HAENKE (360)236-4947
RCW 18.250.020 18.250.060	Department of Health	WAC 246-916-020 Athletic trainers  Reviewing barriers to licensure for graduates of non-accredited education programs	14-04-047 01/17/2014	Anticipate filing this period			JANETTE BENHAM (360) 236-4857

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RCW 18.250.020  SHB 2430 (Chapter 194, Laws of 2014)	Department of Health	Chapter 246-916 WAC Athletic trainers  Adding a new section for continuing education requirements	14-14-065 01/26/2014	Anticipate filing this period			JANETTE BENHAM (360) 236- 4857
RCW 18.84.040	Department of Health	WAC 246-926-180 Amending the Parenteral Procedures for Radiologic Technologists	10-15-101 07/20/2010	Anticipate filing this period			SUSAN GRAGG (360) 236- 4941
RCW 18.84.040 18.84.095	Department of Health	Chapter 246-926 WAC Radiologic technology  Military equivalency of training or experience in meeting credentialing standards	Anticipate filing this period				SUSAN GRAGG (360) 236- 4941
RCW 18.84.040 18.84.020	Department of Health	WAC 246-926-300 Consider scope of practice for Radiological Assistants	13-21-034 10/9/2013				SUE GRAGG (360) 236- 4941
RCW 18.89.050 18.89.140	Department of Health	WAC 246-928-442 Respiratory Therapist Acceptable continuing education	10-17-098 8/17/2010	Anticipate filing this period			SUSAN GRAGG (360) 236- 4941
RCW 18.89.040 18.89.050	Department of Health	WAC 246-928-XXX creating a new section to clarify the scope of practice regarding the administration of medications by respiratory therapists	10-17-099 08/17/2010				SUSAN GRAGG (360) 236- 4941
RCW 18.73.081 18.73.140 70.168.050	Department of Health	WAC 246-976-320 Air ambulance services Considering amendments to align with federal law	14-21-111 10/16/2014				CATIE HOLSTEIN (360) 236- 2830
RCW 18.83.050 18.83.170	Examining Board of Psychology	Chapter 246-924 WAC Allowable course work taken outside a doctoral degree program; licensure by endorsement.  Considering converting existing interpretive statement and memoranda into rule	14-07-113 03/19/2014				BETTY MOE (360) 236- 4912

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RCW 18.83.050 18.130.062 Executive Order 06-03	Examining Board of Psychology	WAC 246-924-358 Sexual misconduct – clarifying what forcible or nonconsensual acts are within the definition of sexual misconduct	14-23-028 11/12/2014				BETTY MOE (360) 236-4912
SHB 1737 (Chapter 203, Laws of 2013)	Medical Quality Assurance Commission	Chapter 246-918 WAC Proposing the revision of physician assistant (PA) rules pursuant to Substitute House Bill (SHB) 1737 (Chapter 203, Laws of 2013) to update PA rules to incorporate current national standards and best practices	13-20-098 10/1/2013	14-21-109 10/16/2014  Hearing held on 12/05/2014		Anticipate filing February 2015	DAIDRIA PITTMAN (360) 236-2727
ESHB 2315 (Chapter 17, Laws of 2014)	Medical Quality Assurance Commission	Chapters 246-919 and 246-918 WAC  Continuing education in suicide assessment, treatment and management for physicians and physician assistants.	14-21-030 10/06/2014				DAIDRIA PITTMAN (360) 236-2727
RCW 18.71.017 18.130.050 18.71.430	Medical Quality Assurance Commission	WAC 246-919-430 (physicians) and WAC 246-918-XXX (physician assistants)  Requiring additional practice information at renewal. Previously suspended under Executive Order 10-06	09-14-114 06/30/2009	10-21-098 06/30/2009 (Expired)  Rule will be reviewed by the Commission to determine next steps			DAIDRIA PITTMAN (360) 236-2727
RCW 18.71.017 18.130.180  Governor's Executive Order 06-03	Medical Quality Assurance Commission	WAC 246-919-630— Sexual Misconduct – clarifying what forcible or nonconsensual acts are within the definition of sexual misconduct	14-22-047 10/30/2014	Anticipate filing this period			DAIDRIA PITTMAN (360) 236-2727
RCW 18.71.017 18.71.002	Medical Quality Assurance Commission	WAC 246-919-XXX  Continuing Competency/ Maintenance of Licensure (MOL)	Anticipate filing this period				DAIDRIA PITTMAN (360) 236-2727

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RCW 18.79.110 18.79.150 18.79.240	Nursing Care Quality Assurance Commission	WAC 246-840-045 WAC 246-840-090 WAC 246-840-130 WAC 246-840- 455, and WAC 246-840- 500 through -575  Practical and Registered Nurses- nursing education, clinical site approvals, international education refresher courses and nursing program approvals	13-21-067 10/16/2013				MINDY SCHAFFNER (360) 236-4745
RCW 18.79.010 18.79.110  SB 5092 (Chapter 229, Laws of 2013)	Nursing Care Quality Assurance Commission	WAC 246-840-125 and WAC 246-840-202 through WAC 246-840-207  Retired active credential and nursing continuing competency  Update, clarify, modify existing standards, if needed; create exemptions for those seeking advanced degrees and incorporate new suicide prevention training requirements	14-21-007 10/21/2014	Anticipate filing this period			TERESA CORRADO (360) 236-4708
RCW 18.79.010 18.79.110  ESHB 2315 (Chapter 71, Laws of 2014)	Nursing Care Quality Assurance Commission	Chapter 246-840 WAC Continuing education on suicide assessment, treatment and management.	Anticipate filing this period				TERESA CORRADO (360) 236-4708
18.79.010 18.79.110	Nursing Care Quality Assurance Commission	WAC 246-840-300 through -455  Amend Advanced Registered Nurse Practitioner (ARNP) rules to recognize Clinical Nurse Specialists (CNS) and add licensure requirements for CNS	14-09-117 04/23/14	Anticipate filing this period			WILLIE HUNT (360) 236-4751

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RCW 18.59.090 18.130.050	Occupational Therapy Practice Board	WAC 246-847-030 Occupational therapists acting in a consulting capacity;  WAC 246-847-055 Initial application for individuals who have not practiced within the past four years;  WAC 246-847-068 Expired license;  WAC 246-847-070 Inactive credential;  WAC 246-847-125 Applicants currently licensed in other states or territories;  WAC 246-847-XXX Renewal for those that have not practiced in four years.	08-15-088 07/17/2008	Anticipate filing this period			KATHY WEED (360) 236- 4883
RCW 18.65.005	Pharmacy Quality Assurance Commission	Chapter 246-872 WAC Automated Drug Distribution Devices WAC 246-869-120 Mechanical Devices in Hospitals and creating a new chapter in Title 246 for Pharmacy Technology	14-23-046 11/13/2014	Anticipate filing 2016			PEGGY CRAIN (360) 236- 4861
RCW 18.64.005 18.64A.030 18.74.410	Pharmacy Quality Assurance Commission	Chapters 246-878 WAC 246-871 WAC 246-903 WAC 246-873 WAC  Compounding practices	13-11-096 05/20/2013	Anticipate filing Fall 2015			PEGGY CRAIN (360) 236-4861
SSB 5416 & HB 1609 (Chapters 276 & 19, Laws of 2013)	Pharmacy Quality Assurance Commission	Chapter 246-870 WAC and WAC 246-887-020 and -030  Electronic Transmission of Prescription Information, Uniform Controlled Substances Act		(Exception) 14-24-076 11-26-2014  Hearing set for 01/29/2015		Anticipate filing this period	PEGGY CRAIN (360) 236- 4861

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RCW 18.64.005	Pharmacy Quality Assurance Commission	WAC 246-873-060 Emergency outpatient medications	Anticipate filing this period				DOREEN BEEBE (360) 236-4861
Chapter 18.64 RCW 18.64A RCW	Pharmacy Quality Assurance Commission	Chapter 246-869 WAC; WAC 246-858-040; WAC 246-863-060; and WAC 246-901-100, -120 and -130  Standards for pharmacy business practices	14-22-048 10-28-2014				DOREEN BEEBE (360) 236-4861
HB 1609 (c. 19, L 2013), RCW 18.64.005 69.50.320 69.41.080	Pharmacy Quality Assurance Commission	Chapter 246-886 WAC Animal Control – Legend Drugs & Controlled Substances  WAC 246-887-220 through -290 Uniform Controlled Substances Act - Chemical Capture Programs  Change board name & move rules from existing section to new sections.			14-23-040 11-12-2014	Anticipate filing this period	DOREEN BEEBE (360) 236-4861
Chapter 18.64 RCW	Pharmacy Quality Assurance Commission	Chapter 246-887 WAC  Update implementation of Uniform Controlled Substance Act to include substances rescheduled/scheduled in federal regulations			Anticipate filing this period		DOREEN BEEBE (360) 236-4861
RCW 18.64.005 18.130.062  Executive Order 06-03	Pharmacy Quality Assurance Commission	WAC 246-860-100 Revisions to clarify that forcible or nonconsensual acts are within the definition of sexual misconduct	Anticipate filing this period				DOREEN BEEBE (360) 236-4861
RCW 18.130.050 18.22.015	Podiatric Medical Board	Chapter 246-922 WAC Podiatric Physicians and Surgeons.  Amending or repealing sections of rule related to: tasks performed by unlicensed personnel; exam requirements; and approved schools of podiatric medicine.	14-03-041 01/08/2014	Anticipate filing Winter 2015			BRETT CAIN (360) 236-4766

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RCW 18.22.005 18.22.015 18.22.120	Podiatric Medical Board	WAC 246-922-300 and - 310  Considering amending continuing education requirements for podiatric physicians and surgeons	14-08-075 3/31/2014	Anticipate filing Spring 2015			BRETT CAIN (360) 236-4766
RCW 18.130.050 18.22.015	Podiatric Medical Board	Chapter 246-922 WAC Sexual Misconduct - clarifying what forcible or nonconsensual acts are within the definition of sexual misconduct	Anticipate filing Spring 2015				BRETT CAIN (360) 236-4766
RCW 18.22.015 18.22.083 18.130.050	Board of Podiatry	Chapter 246-922 WAC Considering amending or repealing sections related to tasks performed by unlicensed personnel, exam requirements, and approved schools of podiatric medicine	14-03-041 01/08/2015				BRETT CAIN (360) 236-4766
RCW 18.92.020	Veterinary Board of Governors	WAC 246-933-460 Organizations, institutions or individuals approved by the veterinary board to provide continuing education courses	14-23-039 11/12/2014	Anticipate filing this period			JUDY HAENKE (360) 236-4947
RCW 18.92.020	Veterinary Board of Governors	WAC 246-933-XXX Considering criteria for review of veterinary continuing education related to complimentary or alternative veterinary medicine	14-21-010 10/02/2014	Anticipate filing this period			JUDY HAENKE (360) 236-4947
RCW 18.92.020	Veterinary Board of Governors	246-933-200 Considering Rulemaking to define Veterinary-client-patient relationship	14-05-025 02/10/2014	Anticipate filing this period			JUDY HAENKE (360) 236-4947
RCW 18.92.020	Veterinary Board of Governors	WAC 246-935-050 Animal Health Care Tasks – Reviewing level of supervision required for administration of rabies vaccine by veterinary technicians or unregistered assistants.	14-03-039 01/08/2014	Anticipate filing this period			JUDY HAENKE (360) 236-4947

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RCW 18.92.020	Veterinary Board of Governors	WAC 246-933-XXX Considering requirements for veterinarians to provide a written prescription when requested.	14-20-049 09/24/2014				JUDY HAENKE (360) 236-4947

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