



RULE-MAKING ORDER

CR-103P (May 2009)
(Implements RCW 34.05.360)

Agency: Department of Health

Permanent Rule Only

Effective date of rule:

Permanent Rules

31 days after filing.

Other (specify) 03/01/2017 (If less than 31 days after filing, a specific finding under RCW 34.05.380(3) is required and should be stated below)

Any other findings required by other provisions of law as precondition to adoption or effectiveness of rule?

Yes No If Yes, explain:

Purpose: WAC 246-970-0301 Pharmacy assistant fees and renewal cycle. Adopting a new rule setting registration application and renewal fees for pharmacy assistants to implement Senate Bill (SB) 5549 (RCW 18.64A.030).

Citation of existing rules affected by this order:

Repealed: None

Amended: None

Suspended: None

Statutory authority for adoption: RCW 43.70.250

Other authority : RCW 18.64A.030

PERMANENT RULE (Including Expedited Rule Making)

Adopted under notice filed as WSR 16-16-069 on 07/28/2016 (date).

Describe any changes other than editing from proposed to adopted version: None

If a preliminary cost-benefit analysis was prepared under RCW 34.05.328, a final cost-benefit analysis is available by contacting:

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Date adopted: 10/28/16

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**Note: If any category is left blank, it will be calculated as zero.
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**Count by whole WAC sections only, from the WAC number through the history note.
A section may be counted in more than one category.**

The number of sections adopted in order to comply with:

Federal statute:	New	<u>0</u>	Amended	<u>0</u>	Repealed	<u>0</u>
Federal rules or standards:	New	<u>0</u>	Amended	<u>0</u>	Repealed	<u>0</u>
Recently enacted state statutes:	New	<u>1</u>	Amended	<u>0</u>	Repealed	<u>0</u>

The number of sections adopted at the request of a nongovernmental entity:

New	<u>0</u>	Amended	<u>0</u>	Repealed	<u>0</u>
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The number of sections adopted in the agency's own initiative:

New	<u>0</u>	Amended	<u>0</u>	Repealed	<u>0</u>
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The number of sections adopted in order to clarify, streamline, or reform agency procedures:

New	<u>0</u>	Amended	<u>0</u>	Repealed	<u>0</u>
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The number of sections adopted using:

Negotiated rule making:	New	<u>0</u>	Amended	<u>0</u>	Repealed	<u>0</u>
Pilot rule making:	New	<u>0</u>	Amended	<u>0</u>	Repealed	<u>0</u>
Other alternative rule making:	New	<u>1</u>	Amended	<u>0</u>	Repealed	<u>0</u>

NEW SECTION

WAC 246-907-0301 Pharmacy assistant licensing periods and fees— Fees and renewal cycle. (1) Pharmacy assistant registrations must be renewed every year on the practitioner's birthday as provided in chapter 246-12 WAC, Part 2.

(2) The following nonrefundable fees will be charged for pharmacy assistants:

Original fee	\$25.00
Renewal fee	\$25.00
Late renewal penalty	\$25.00
Expired license reissuance	\$25.00
Duplicate credential	\$10.00
Verification of credential	\$15.00