



PROPOSED RULE MAKING

CR-102 (June 2004)

(Implements RCW 34.05.320)

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Agency: Department of Health

- Preproposal Statement of Inquiry was filed as WSR 07-17-170 ; or
- Expedited Rule Making--Proposed notice was filed as WSR _ ; or
- Proposal is exempt under RCW 34.05.310(4).

- Original Notice
- Supplemental Notice to WSR
- Continuance of WSR

Title of rule and other identifying information: (Describe Subject)

WAC 246-310-262, Non-emergent interventional cardiology standards - Repealing; Adding new Sections WAC 246-310-700 Adult PCI-Purpose and Applicability, WAC 246-310-705 PCI Definitions, WAC 246-310-710 Concurrent Review, WAC 246-310-715 General Requirements, WAC 246-310-720 Hospital Volume Standards, WAC 246-310-725 Physician Volume Standards, WAC 245-310-730 Staffing Requirements, WAC 246-310-735 Partnering Agreements, WAC 246-310-740 Quality Assurance, WAC 246-310-745 Need Forecasting Methodology, WAC 246-310-750 Tiebreaker, WAC 246-310-755 Ongoing Compliance With Standards

Hearing location(s): Department of Health
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Date: 7/08/08 Time: 9:30 AM

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Yvette Fox by 07/07/2008

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Date of intended adoption: 07/15/2008

(Note: This is NOT the effective date)

Purpose of the proposal and its anticipated effects, including any changes in existing rules:

Chapter 440, laws of 2007 (SHB2304) requires the Department of Health to adopt rules establishing criteria for the issuance of a certificate of need for the performance of elective coronary interventions at hospitals that do not otherwise provide on-site cardiac surgery. The proposed rules will help maintain quality of care, cost containment and overall health system viability.

Reasons supporting proposal:

The proposed rules are required by Chapter 440, laws of 2007(SHB 2304). As required by statute, the department considered and used many of the recommendations of a legislatively required independent, evidence-based review of the circumstances under which elective percutaneous coronary interventions should be allowed in Washington in hospitals that do not otherwise provide on-site cardiac surgery.

Statutory authority for adoption:

Chapter 440, laws of 2007 (SHB 2304) codified as 70.38.128

Statute being implemented:

Chapter 440, laws of 2007 (SHB2304) codified as 70.38.128

Is rule necessary because of a:

- Federal Law? Yes No
 - Federal Court Decision? Yes No
 - State Court Decision? Yes No
- If yes, CITATION:

DATE 06/04/08

NAME (type or print)

Mary C. Selecky

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TITLE

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Agency comments or recommendations, if any, as to statutory language, implementation, enforcement, and fiscal matters:

None

Name of proponent: (person or organization) Department of Health

- Private
 Public
 Governmental

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Has a small business economic impact statement been prepared under chapter 19.85 RCW?

Yes. Attach copy of small business economic impact statement.

A copy of the statement may be obtained by contacting:

Name:

Address:

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No. Explain why no statement was prepared.

Per 19.85 RCW no SBEIS is required for rules that do not impose more than minor costs on small businesses within an industry affected by the rule. The proposed rules do not impact small businesses.

Is a cost-benefit analysis required under RCW 34.05.328?

Yes A preliminary cost-benefit analysis may be obtained by contacting:

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No: Please explain: