



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, Aging and Long-Term Support Administration

Subject of possible rule making: The department is considering adding a new chapter of WACs under 388-107 that will provide licensing requirements for Enhanced Services Facilities.

Statutes authorizing the agency to adopt rules on this subject:
Chapter 70.97 RCW


Reasons why rules on this subject may be needed and what they might accomplish: As a result of Third Engrossed Substitute Senate Bill 5034, the department is adding a new WAC Chapter under 388-107 that will provide licensing requirements for Enhanced Services Facilities. The legislature has directed that residents be placed in Enhanced Services Facilities in 2014.

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.) Anyone interested should contact the staff person identified below.
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Draft section language will be posted on ADSA Professional internet webpage for review and comment prior to filing the CR-102. Anyone from the public can comment directly to the Program Manager listed above via phone, email or fax.

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