



# PREPROPOSAL STATEMENT OF INQUIRY

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

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**WSR 20-21-095**

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

**Subject of possible rule making:** The department is planning to amend WAC 388-823-0500, WAC 388-823-0510, 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 planning to amend these rules to align with changes made to the Diagnostic Statistical Manual and clarify rule language at the request of stakeholders. 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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