

STATE OF WASHINGTON

DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL AND HEALTH SERVICES

Home and Community Living Administration P.O. Box 45600 • Olympia, Washington 98504

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ALTSA: AFH #2025-018 ALTSA: ALF #2025-015 ALTSA: ESF #2025-012 ALTSA: NH #2025-020

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO CHAPTER 388-76 WAC, CHAPTER 388-78A WAC, CHAPTER 388-97 WAC, CHAPTER 388-107 WAC

Dear Provider/Administrator:

The Department of Social and Health Services (department) is proposing to amend and add sections of Chapter 388-76 WAC, Chapter 388-78A WAC, Chapter 388-97 WAC, and Chapter 388-107 WAC.

On May 5, 2025, the department filed the CR-102, a more formal phase of the rulemaking process, with the Office of the Code Reviser. Links to the CR-102 (WSR 25-10-071) document and proposed rule language are available on https://www.dshs.wa.gov/altsa/rcs/altsa-rcs-rulemaking.

You may either submit comments at the public hearing listed below or in writing to the Department's Rules and Policies Assistance Unit (RPAU).

The formal hearing for the proposed rules is scheduled:

Date/Time: July 8, at 10:00 a.m.

Location: Virtual

Please see the <u>DSHS website</u> for more information. You must submit written comments by **5:00 p.m. on July 8, 2025** to DSHS Rules coordinator/RPAU PO Box 45850 Olympia, WA 98504-5850 or by email to <u>DSHSRPAURulesCoodinator@dshs.wa.gov</u>.

For rule-making questions, please contact Amy Grimsley, Policy Program Manager, at 564-999-3182 or respolicy@dshs.wa.gov.

Sincerely,

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