



PREPROPOSAL STATEMENT OF INQUIRY

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Agency: Department of Social and Health Services, Economic Services Administration

Subject of possible rule making: The department plans to adopt new WAC section(s) in title 388 WAC – 388-xxx-xxxx, Diaper Related Payment (DRP), and adopt or amend other related rules as may be required.

Statutes authorizing the agency to adopt rules on this subject: RCW 74.04.050, 74.04.055, 74.04.057

Reasons why rules on this subject may be needed and what they might accomplish: Planned actions under this filing comply with SSB 5838 (Chapter 100, Laws of 2022), which allows issuance of a Diaper Related Payment to all TANF/SFA households with a child under age three. Payments may take effect November 1, 2023.

Identify other federal and state agencies that regulate this subject and the process coordinating the rule with these agencies: N/A

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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