



State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations  
**Department of State | Office of the Secretary of State**  
 Nellie M. Gorbea, *Secretary of State*

**Rules and Regulations Filing Form**

**1. Agency Name and Address**

**Health, Department of**  
 Cannon Building Three Capitol Hill Providence

**2. Title of Rule**

Rules and Regulations for Licensing Birth Centers

**3. Statutory Source of Authority**

Chapter 23-17 of the Rhode Island General Laws, as amended

**4. Concise Explanatory Statement - §42-35-2.6**

For the purpose of adopting prevailing standards for the licensure of birth centers in Rhode Island

**5. Type of Filing**

**Emergency Rules**

A1. Emergency 120-day initial - §42-35-2.10

- Adoption
- Amendment of ERLID:
- Repeal of ERLID:

A2. Emergency 60-day renewal - §42-35-2.10

- Adoption
- Amendment
- Repeal

Indicate ERLID of 120-day initial:

Brief Statement of Reason for Finding Imminent Peril §42-35-2.10:

**Final Rules**

B1. Amendment - §42-35-3(a)

B2. Adoption - §42-35-3(a)

B3. Repeal - §42-35-3(a)

C. Technical Revision

D. Direct Final Rule - §42-35-2.11

Supersedes ERLID:

If B1 or C, please indicate new, amended, deleted, or revised sections:  
 section 3.3.1; last filing in July 2002 Supercedes #2114

**6. Notice and Hearing Information**

Date of Public Notice - §42-35-2.8:01/28/2005  
 Date of Public Hearing - §42-35-2.8:02/28/2005  
 End of Comment Period - §42-35-2.8 :

**7. Agency Additional Information - Web Page**

http://

**8. Certification**

*I hereby certify that the attached rules and regulations were adopted in accordance with the Administrative Procedures Act (42-35) and that they are true copies of this Department, attest,*

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Name

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Title

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Notary Public

Subscribed and sworn before me  
 this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_