

REGULATORY AGENDA – January 15, 2010

Agency Name and Address: RI Department of Human Services
 600 New London Avenue, Building #57
 Cranston, RI 02920

PART I - Rules Promulgated *JUNE 16, 2009 through JANUARY 15, 2010:*

Please indicate if your agency did not promulgate rules during this period, OR complete the following for each rule promulgated (add or delete rows accordingly):

ERLID	Type Filing	Title	Effective Date
5664	Amendment	Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program Section 1002 – Application Process	8/1/2009
5666	Amendment	Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program Section 1008 Financial Criteria- Income	7/1/2009
5667	Amendment	Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program Section 1012 – Certification Period	8/1/2009
5668	Amendment	Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program Section 1016 – Special Application Procedures	8/1/2009
5669	Amendment	Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program Section 1018 – Additional Certification Functions	8/1/2009
5671	Amendment	Medical Assistance Program Section 0342 – Cat Needy AFDC-Related Coverage	7/1/2009
5676	Repeal	Family Independence Program Section 0800 – Purpose and Administration	7/1/2009
5710	Amendment	Medical Assistance Program Section 0374 – Managed Care Program Options for Adults	7/1/2009
5726	Emergency Amendment	Medical Assistance Program Section 0348 – Rite Care Program	6/1/2009
5728	Amendment	Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program Section 1002 – Application Process	8/1/2009
5481	Amendment	Rhode Island Works 1424 Income	10/1/2009
5745	Amendment	Medical Assistance Program Section 0392 – Post Eligibility Treatment of Income	8/17/2009
5756	Amendment	Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program Section 1006 Financial Criteria - Resources	7/1/2009
5778	Amendment	Medical Assistance Program Section 0399 – The Global Consumer Choice Waiver: Rebalancing the Long-Term Care System	9/29/2009
5780	Amendment	Medical Assistance Program Section 0348 – Rite Care Program	9/29/2009
5781	Amendment	Medical Assistance Program Section 0300 – Medical Assistance Program Overview	9/29/2009

		0300.20.05.06 Limitations of Reimbursement for Emergency Room Services	
5782	Amendment	Medical Assistance Program Section 0313 – Collection of Overpayments Via State Tax Refund Offset	10/1/2009
5783	Amendment	Medical Assistance Program Section 0349 – Rite Share Premium Assistance Program	10/1/2009
5784	Amendment	Medical Assistance 0304 Technical Eligibility Requirement	9/29/2009
5785	Amendment	Medical Assistance 0316 Medical Assistance for Aliens	9/29/2009
5786	Amendment	Medical Assistance 0326 Overview of MA	9/29/2009
5787	Amendment	Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program Section 1002 – Application Process 1000 General Information	9/30/2009
5841	Amendment	Rhode Island Works 1424 Income	10/1/2009
5842	Amendment	Rhode Island Works 1432 Redeterminations and Changes	10/1/2009
5843	Amendment	Rhode Island Works 1406 Non-Financial Requirements	10/1/2009
5844	Amendment	Rhode Island Works 1400 Purpose and Administration	10/1/2009
5845	Amendment	Child Support Program	10/1/2009
5847	Emergency Amendment	Food Stamp Program Section 1038 – Food Stamp Program Standards	10/2/2009

PART II - Expected Rule-making Activity JANUARY 16, 2010 through June 15, 2010

Please indicate if your agency does not anticipate rule-making activity during this period, OR complete the following for each rule anticipated (add or delete rows accordingly):

Type Filing	Title/Subject Area	Objective	Legal Basis	Anticipated Schedule	Agency Contact	Interested Parties
Amendment	Medical Assistance Program	Eliminate RIte Care Coverage for pregnant women 250-350% of FPL	RIGL 42-35, 40-8; Title XIX of the Social Security Act	4/1/2010	Kimberly Merolla-Brito 462-6238	Lawyers, Advocacy and Service Organizations, City and Town Clerks, Hospitals, RI Governmental Entities
Amendment	Medical Assistance Program	DHS will pay thirty-five percent of COBRA coverage for RIte Share or RIte Care recipients who are involuntarily terminated from employment and lose access to employer sponsored insurance	RIGL 42-35, American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009	4/1/2010	Kimberly Merolla-Brito 462-6238	Lawyers, Advocacy and Service Organizations, City and Town Clerks, Hospitals, RI Governmental Entities
Adoption	Principles of Reimbursement	Change to acuity based reimbursement	RIGL 42-35, 40-8 Title XIX Social Security Act	4/1/2010	Kimberly Merolla-Brito 462-6238	Families, advocacy groups, Nursing Homes and facilities servicing the aging and other State agencies
Repeal	Principles of	Incorrect version	RIGL 42-35, 40-	4/1/2010	Kimberly	Families,

	Reimbursement	repealed	8 Title XIX Social Security Act		Merolla-Brito 462-6238	advocacy groups, Nursing Homes and facilities servicing the aging and other State agencies
Amendment	Medical Assistance 0378 INSTITUTIONAL CARE	Change to acuity based reimbursement	RIGL 42-35, 40-8 Title XIX Social Security Act	4/1/2010	Kimberly Merolla-Brito 462-6238	Families, advocacy groups, Nursing Homes and facilities servicing the aging and other State agencies
Amendment	Veterans' Home Cost-of-Living Adjustment	Change in cost of living	RIGL 42-35, 30-24-10	4/1/2010	Kimberly Merolla-Brito 462-6238	Families, advocacy groups and other State agencies
Amendment	ORS FPL	Update Amounts	RIGL 42-35, 41-12-8	4/1/2010	Kimberly Merolla-Brito 462-6238	Families, advocacy groups and other State agencies
Amendment	MA FPL	Update Amounts	RIGL 42-35, 40-8; Title XIX of the Social Security Act	4/1/2010	Kimberly Merolla-Brito 462-6238	Families, advocacy groups and other State agencies
Amendment	CCAP FPL	Update Amounts	RIGL 42-35, 40-6.2	4/1/2010	Kimberly Merolla-Brito 462-6238	Families, advocacy groups and other State agencies
Amendment	MMMNA	Update Amounts	RIGL 42-35, 40-8; Title XIX of	4/1/2010	Kimberly Merolla-Brito	Families, advocacy

			the Social Security Act		462-6238	groups and other State agencies
Amendment	Child Care change in provider rates	Rate change and reimbursement change	RIGL 42-35	4/1/2010	Kimberly Merolla-Brito 462-6238	Families, advocacy groups and other State agencies
Amendment	Child Care Kindergarten Flip	Change rate due to change in eligibility	RIGL 42-35	4/1/2010	Kimberly Merolla-Brito 462-6238	Families, advocacy groups and other State agencies