

Department of Labor and Economic Opportunity
Workers' Compensation Agency
Administrative Rules for Workers' Compensation Health Care Services
Rule Set 2024-22 LE

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Thursday, December 5, 2024

01:30 PM

WDCA Claims Conference Room
2501 Woodlake Circle, Suite 115, Okemos, MI 48864

The Department of Labor and Economic Opportunity will hold a public hearing to receive public comments on proposed changes to the Workers' Compensation Health Care Services rule set.

The HCS Rules are updated annually in order to provide the Agency's external customers with updated health care fee schedules for reimbursement to providers for treatment of injured workers, and to guide providers and payers on the scope of reimbursement. The HCS rules must maintain consistency with the most recent medical indexes, billing codes and fee schedules published by Medicare and other entities, in a timely fashion.

By authority conferred on the workers' disability compensation agency by sections 205 and 315 of the worker's disability compensation act of 1969, 1969 PA 317, MCL 418.205 and 418.315, section 33 of the administrative procedures act of 1969, 1969 PA 306, MCL 24.233, and Executive Reorganization Order Nos. 1982-2, 1986-3, 1990-1, 1996-2, 2003-1, 2011-4, and 2019-13, MCL18.24, 418.1, 418.2, 445.2001, 445.2011, 445.2030, and 125.1998.

The proposed rules will take effect immediately after filing with the Secretary of State. The proposed rules are published on the State of Michigan's website at www.michigan.gov/ARD and in the 11/15/2024 issue of the Michigan Register. Copies of these proposed rules may also be obtained by mail or electronic mail at the following email address: WCINFO@michigan.gov.

Comments on these proposed rules may be made at the hearing, by mail, or by electronic mail at the following addresses until 12/5/2024 at 05:00PM.

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The public hearing will be conducted in compliance with the 1990 Americans with Disabilities Act. If the hearing is held at a physical location, the building will be accessible with handicap parking available. Anyone needing assistance to take part in the hearing due to disability may call 517-284-8902 to make arrangements.