



COLORADO

Department of Health Care
Policy & Financing

Medical Services Board

NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULES

The Medical Services Board of the Colorado Department of Health Care Policy and Financing will hold a public meeting on Friday, June 8, 2018, beginning at 9:00 a.m., in the eleventh floor conference room at 303 East 17th Avenue, Denver, CO 80203. Reasonable accommodations will be provided upon request for persons with disabilities. Please notify the Board Coordinator at 303-866-4416 or chris.sykes@state.co.us or the 504/ADA Coordinator hcpf504ada@state.co.us at least one week prior to the meeting.

A copy of the full text of these proposed rule changes is available for review from the Medical Services Board Office, 1570 Grant Street, Denver, Colorado 80203, (303) 866-4416, fax (303) 866-4411. Written comments may be submitted to the Medical Services Board Office on or before close of business the Wednesday prior to the meeting. Additionally, the full text of all proposed changes will be available approximately one week prior to the meeting on the Department's website at www.colorado.gov/hcpf/medical-services-board.

This notice is submitted pursuant to § 24-4-103(3)(a) and (11)(a), C.R.S.

MSB 18-03-01-B, Revision to the Medical Assistance Rule concerning the Pharmacy Prior Authorization Timeline, Section 8.800.7.B

Medical Assistance. The rules at, 10 C.C.R. 2505-10, Sections 8.800.7.B, are being revised to increase the amount of time prescribers and Department staff have to obtain additional information concerning pharmaceutical prior authorization requests.

The authority for this rule is contained in Section 1927(d)(2) of the Social Security Act; 25.5-1-301 through 25.5-1-303, C.R.S. (2017) and 25.5-5-506, C.R.S. (2017).

MSB 18-02-01-A, Revision to the Healthcare Affordability and Sustainability Fee Collection and Disbursement, Section 8.300

Medical Assistance. Update healthcare affordability and sustainability fee amounts and payments amounts in accordance with the CHASE Board's recommendations. Make necessary changes for FFY 17-18 time frame.

The Healthcare Affordability and Sustainability fee revenue serves as the state share to fund health coverage for more than 500,000 Coloradans currently enrolled in Medicaid and the CHP+. To comply with the State Plan provided to the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services, rules must be established on an emergency basis in order to assess fees on hospitals to ensure continuing health care coverage for these Medicaid and CHP+ members and to make required payments to hospitals.

The authority for this rule is contained in 42 CFR 433.68; 25.5-1-301 through 25.5-1-303, C.R.S. (2017) and 25.5-4-402.4(4)(g), C.R.S. (2017)