

IDAPA 16 – DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND WELFARE

16.03.13 – CONSUMER-DIRECTED SERVICES

DOCKET NO. 16-0313-2501 (CHAPTER REPEAL)

NOTICE OF RULEMAKING – PROPOSED RULE

AUTHORITY: In compliance with Section 67-5221(1), Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency has initiated proposed rulemaking procedures. The action is authorized pursuant to Section 56-202, Idaho Code, and Sections 56-203, 56-250 through 56-257, and 56-260 through 56-266, Idaho Code.

PUBLIC HEARING SCHEDULE: A public hearing concerning this rulemaking will be held as follows:

VIRTUAL TELECONFERENCE Via WebEx
Wednesday, September 17, 2025 1:00 PM (MT)
<p>Join from the meeting link https://idhw.webex.com/idhw/j.php?MTID=m783dd6ad225883ef0ce90968fcf16cee</p> <p>Join by meeting number Meeting number (access code): 2818 917 5847 Meeting password: JebRQNsa767 Meeting password when dialing from a phone or video system: 53277672</p> <p>Join by phone +1-415-527-5035 United States Toll +1-303-498-7536 United States Toll (Denver)</p>

The hearing site(s) will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Requests for accommodation must be made not later than five (5) days prior to the hearing, to the agency address below.

DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY: The following is a nontechnical explanation of the substance and purpose of the proposed rulemaking:

When HB345 was passed during the 2025 Legislative Session, Medicaid chapter 16.03.13 was inadvertently left out of the rule repeal section. To prevent the existence of one chapter for all of Medicaid, and then a separate independent chapter, this chapter is being repealed and consolidated into the overall Medicaid chapter 16.03.26.

FEE SUMMARY: The following is a specific description of the fee or charge imposed or increased:

Fees will not be increased by the elimination of this chapter.

FISCAL IMPACT: The following is a specific description, if applicable, of any negative fiscal impact on the state General Fund greater than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) during the fiscal year resulting from this rulemaking:

There will not be an impact to the General Fund greater than \$10,000.

NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING: Pursuant to Section 67-5220(2), Idaho Code, negotiated rulemaking was not conducted because there was not sufficient time for negotiated rulemaking after passage of HB345 during the 2025 Legislative Session.

INCORPORATION BY REFERENCE: Pursuant to Section 67-5229(2)(a), Idaho Code, the following is a brief synopsis of why the materials cited are being incorporated by reference into this rule: N/A.

ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS, SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS: For assistance on technical questions concerning the proposed rule, contact Jared Larsen at 208-334-5500.

Anyone may submit written comments regarding this proposed rulemaking. All written comments must be directed to the undersigned and must be delivered on or before September 24, 2025.

DATED this 20th day of August, 2025.

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IDAPA 16.03.13 IS PROPOSED TO BE REPEALED IN ITS ENTIRETY.