



PREPROPOSAL STATEMENT OF INQUIRY

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Agency: Department of Children, Youth, and Families (DCYF)

Subject of possible rule making: Chapter 110-148 WAC Licensing Requirements for Child Foster Homes and all other related rules.

Statutes authorizing the agency to adopt rules on this subject: RCW 74.15.030

Reasons why rules on this subject may be needed and what they might accomplish: The Licensing Division (LD) is updating chapter 110-148 WAC Licensing Requirements for Child Foster Homes and other related rules to be more developmentally appropriate and flexible to meet the individual child's and youth's needs. LD will engage in negotiated rule making (NRM) for foster care placements identify sections that need to updated to meet those goals and to make general housekeeping updates.

Identify other federal and state agencies that regulate this subject and the process coordinating the rule with these agencies: N/A

Process for developing new rule (check all that apply):

- Negotiated rule making
- Pilot rule making
- Agency study
- Other (describe)

Interested parties can participate in the decision to adopt the new rule and formulation of the proposed rule before publication by contacting:

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