

Notice of Public Rule-Making Hearing January 15, 2020

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to the provisions of Section 24-4-103, C.R.S., that the Colorado Board of Health will conduct a public rule-making hearing on January 15, 2020 at 10 a.m. in the Sabin-Cleere Conference Room of the Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment, Bldg. A, First Floor, 4300 Cherry Creek Drive, South, Denver, CO 80246, to consider the new rule, 6 CCR 1009-6, Newborn Hearing Screening. The rule is proposed in response to House Bill 18-1006, which updates and expands the statutes related to newborn hearing screening in Colorado and requires the Board of Health to promulgate rules related to newborn hearing screening. The proposed rule has been developed by the Center for Health and Environmental Data of the Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment pursuant to Section 25-4-1004.7, C.R.S.

The agenda for the meeting and the proposed amendments will also be available on the Board's website, https://www.colorado.gov/pacific/cdphe/boh at least seven (7) days prior to the meeting. The proposed rules, together with the proposed statement of basis and purpose, specific statutory authority and regulatory analysis will be available for inspection at the Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment, 4300 Cherry Creek Drive South EDO-A5, Denver, Colorado 80246-1530 at least five days prior to the hearing. Copies of the proposed rules may be obtained by contacting the Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment, Center for Health and Environmental Data, 4300 Cherry Creek Drive S., Denver, CO 80246, 303-692-2160.

The Board encourages all interested persons to participate in the hearing by providing written data, views, or comments. Written testimony is encouraged; oral testimony will be received only to the extent the Board finds it necessary. For those that are permitted to provide oral testimony, the time may be limited to 3 minutes or less. Testimony is limited to the scope of the rulemaking hearing. Pursuant to 6 CCR 1014-8, §3.02.1, written testimony must be submitted no later than five (5) calendar days prior to the rulemaking hearing. Written testimony must be received by 5:00 p.m., Thursday, January 9, 2020. Persons wishing to submit written comments should submit them to: Colorado Board of Health, ATTN: Board of Health Program Assistant, Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment, 4300 Cherry Creek Drive South EDO-A5, Denver, Colorado 80246-1530 or by e-mail at: cdphe.bohrequests@state.co.us

Dated this 22 rd day of October, 2019.	
	Deborah Nelson
	Board of Health Administrator