

Annual Legislative Rulemaking Report

Department of Health and Hospitals / Bureau of Health Services Financing

2015 Notices of Intent / Regular Rulemaking

1 Nursing Facilities - Per Diem Rate Reduction (LAC 50:II.20005)

Notice of Intent: January 20, 2015
Public Hearing: February 26, 2015
Oversight Report: March 10, 2015
Oversight Hearing: N/A
Final Rule: April 20, 2015

2 Rehabilitation Clinics - Physical and Occupational Therapies - Reimbursement Rate Increase (LAC 50:XI.301 and 303)

Notice of Intent: January 20, 2015
Public Hearing: February 26, 2015
Oversight Report: March 10, 2015
Oversight Hearing: N/A
Final Rule: April 20, 2015

3 School Based Health Centers - Rehabilitation Services - Reimbursement Rate Increase (LAC 50:XV.9141)

Notice of Intent: January 20, 2015
Public Hearing: February 26, 2015
Oversight Report: March 10, 2015
Oversight Hearing: N/A
Final Rule: April 20, 2015

4 State Children's Health Insurance Program - Coverage of Prenatal Care Services (LAC 50:III.20301 and 20303)

Notice of Intent: January 20, 2015
Public Hearing: February 26, 2015
Oversight Report: March 10, 2015
Oversight Hearing: N/A
Final Rule: April 20, 2015

5 Applied Behavior Analysis-Based Therapy Services (LAC 50:XV.Chapters 1-7)

Notice of Intent: February 20, 2015
Public Hearing: March 31, 2015
Oversight Report: April 9, 2015
Oversight Hearing: N/A
Final Rule: May 20, 2015

6 Behavioral Health Service Providers - Licensing Standards (LAC 48:I.Chapters 74, LAC 48:I.Chapters 56-57 and LAC 48:III.Chapter 5)

Notice of Intent: February 20, 2015
Public Hearing: March 31, 2015
Oversight Report: August 10, 2015
Oversight Hearing: N/A
Final Rule: September 20, 2015

7 Hospital Licensing Standards - Therapeutic Recreational Therapists (LAC 48:I.9501)

Notice of Intent: February 20, 2015
Public Hearing: March 31, 2015
Oversight Report: July 10, 2015
Oversight Hearing: N/A
Final Rule: August 20, 2015

8 Medicaid Eligibility - Children Supplemental Security Income (SSI)

Notice of Intent: February 20, 2015
Public Hearing: March 31, 2015
Oversight Report: April 9, 2015
Oversight Hearing: N/A
Final Rule: May 20, 2015

9 Medicaid Eligibility - Modified Adjusted Gross Income (LAC 50:III.2327,2529,10307, and 10705)

Notice of Intent: February 20, 2015
Public Hearing: March 31, 2015
Oversight Report: April 9, 2015
Oversight Hearing: N/A
Final Rule: May 20, 2015

10 Nursing Facilities - Per Diem Rate Reduction (LAC 50:II.20005)

Notice of Intent: February 20, 2015
Public Hearing: March 31, 2015
Oversight Report: April 9, 2015
Oversight Hearing: N/A
Final Rule: May 20, 2015

11 Medicaid Eligibility - Provisional Medicaid Program (LAC 50:III.2305)

Notice of Intent: March 20, 2015
Public Hearing: April 29, 2015
Oversight Report: May 9, 2015
Oversight Hearing: N/A

Final Rule: June 20, 2015

12 Professional Services Program - Physician Services - Reimbursement Rate Adjustment (LAC 50:IX.15113)

Notice of Intent: March 20, 2015
Public Hearing: April 29, 2015
Oversight Report: May 9, 2015
Oversight Hearing: N/A
Final Rule: June 20, 2015

13 Behavioral Health Services - Statewide Management Organization - LaCHIP Affordable Plan Benefits Administration (LAC 50:XXXIII.103)

Notice of Intent: April 20, 2015
Public Hearing: May 28, 2015
Oversight Report: June 10, 2015
Oversight Hearing: N/A
Final Rule: July 20, 2015

14 Free-Standing Birthing Centers (LAC 50:XV Chapters 265-271)

Notice of Intent: April 20, 2015
Public Hearing: May 28, 2015
Oversight Report: October 9, 2015
Oversight Hearing: N/A
Final Rule: November 20, 2015

15 Home and Community-Based Services Waivers - Children's Choice Waiver -Electronic Visit Verification (LAC 50:XXI.11531)

Notice of Intent: April 20, 2015
Public Hearing: May 28, 2015
Oversight Report: June 10, 2015
Oversight Hearing: N/A
Final Rule: July 20, 2015

16 Home and Community-Based Services Waivers - New Opportunities Waiver - Electronic Visit Verification (LAC 50:XXI.Chapter 142)

Notice of Intent: April 20, 2015
Public Hearing: May 28, 2015
Oversight Report: June 10, 2015
Oversight Hearing: N/A
Final Rule: July 20, 2015

17 Home and Community-Based Services Waivers - Residential Options Waiver - Electronic Visit Verification (LAC 50:XXI.16705)

Notice of Intent: April 20, 2015
Public Hearing: May 28, 2015
Oversight Report: June 10, 2015
Oversight Hearing: N/A
Final Rule: July 20, 2015

18 Home and Community-Based Services Waivers - Supports Waiver - Electronic Visit Verification (LAC 50:XXI.5903)

Notice of Intent: April 20, 2015
Public Hearing: May 28, 2015
Oversight Report: June 10, 2015
Oversight Hearing: N/A
Final Rule: July 20, 2015

19 Home Health Program - Rehabilitation Services - Reimbursement Rate Increase (LAC 50:XIII.Chapter 9)

Notice of Intent: April 20, 2005
Public Hearing: May 28, 2015
Oversight Report: June 10, 2015
Oversight Hearing: N/A
Final Rule: July 20, 2015

20 Nursing Facilities - Standards for Payment - Level of Care Determinations (LAC 50:II.10156)

Notice of Intent: April 20, 2015
Public Hearing: May 28, 2015
Oversight Report: June 10, 2015
Oversight Hearing: N/A
Final Rule: July 20, 2015

21 Professional Services Program - Immunizations - Reimbursement Methodology (LAC 50:IX.8305 and 8505)

Notice of Intent: April 20, 2015
Public Hearing: May 28, 2015
Oversight Report: June 10, 2015
Oversight Hearing: N/A
Final Rule: July 20, 2015

22 Professional Services Program - Physician Services - Reimbursement Methodology (LAC 50:IX.15113)

Notice of Intent: April 20, 2015
Public Hearing: May 28, 2015
Oversight Report: June 10, 2015
Oversight Hearing: N/A
Final Rule: July 20, 2015

23 State Children's Health Insurance Program - LaCHIP Affordable Plan Benefits Administration (LAC 50:III.Chapter 205)

Notice of Intent: April 20, 2015
Public Hearing: May 28, 2015
Oversight Report: June 10, 2015
Oversight Hearing: N/A
Final Rule: July 20, 2015

24 State Children's Health Insurance Program - Modified Adjusted Gross Income (LAC 50:III.20103)

Notice of Intent: April 20, 2015
Public Hearing: May 28, 2015
Oversight Report: June 10, 2015
Oversight Hearing: N/A
Final Rule: July 20, 2015

25 Therapeutic Group Homes - Licensing Standards (LAC 48:I.Chapter 62)

Notice of Intent: April 20, 2015
Public Hearing: May 28, 2015
Oversight Report: June 10, 2015
Oversight Hearing: N/A
Final Rule: July 20, 2015

26 Medicaid Eligibility - Federally-Facilitated Marketplace Assessments (LAC 50:III.505)

Notice of Intent: May 20, 2015
Public Hearing: June 25, 2015
Oversight Report: July 10, 2015
Oversight Hearing: N/A
Final Rule: August 20, 2015

27 Targeted Case Management - Reimbursement Methodology (LAC 50:XV.10701)

Notice of Intent: May 20, 2015
Public Hearing: June 25, 2015
Oversight Report: July 10, 2015
Oversight Hearing: N/A
Final Rule: August 20, 2015

28 Managed Care for Physical and Basic Behavioral Health - Timely Filing of Claims (LAC 50:I.3511)

Notice of Intent: June 20, 2015
Public Hearing: July 30, 2015
Oversight Report: N/A
Oversight Hearing: N/A
Final Rule: N/A

29 Targeted Case Management - Foster Care and Family Support Worker Services (LAC 50:XV.Chapter 115)

Notice of Intent: June 20, 2015
Public Hearing: July 30, 2015
Oversight Report: August 10, 2015
Oversight Hearing: N/A
Final Rule: September 20, 2015

30 Case Management - Licensing Standards (LAC 48:I.4929)

Notice of Intent: July 20, 2015
Public Hearing: August 27, 2015
Oversight Report: September 10, 2015
Oversight Hearing: N/A
Final Rule: October 20, 2015

31 Emergency Medical Transportation Services - Ambulance Licensing Standards (LAC 48:I.6001, 6037, 6057)

Notice of Intent: July 20, 2015
Public Hearing: August 27, 2015
Oversight Report: September 10, 2015
Oversight Hearing: N/A
Final Rule: October 20, 2015

32 Home and Community-Based Services Waivers - Residential Options Waiver (LAC 50:XXI.Chapters 161-169)

Notice of Intent: July 20, 2015
Public Hearing: August 27, 2015
Oversight Report: September 10, 2015
Oversight Hearing: N/A
Final Rule: October 20, 2015

33 Home and Community-Based Services Waivers - Residential Options Waiver - Permanent Supportive Housing Services (LAC 50:XXI.16339,16341 and 16901)

Notice of Intent: July 20, 2015
Public Hearing: August 27, 2015
Oversight Report: September 10, 2015
Oversight Hearing: N/A
Final Rule: October 20, 2015

34 Nursing Facilities - Licensing Standards (LAC 48:I.9704, 9707, and Chapter 99)

Notice of Intent: July 20, 2015

Public Hearing: August 27, 2015
Oversight Report: N/A
Oversight Hearing: N/A
Final Rule: N/A

35 School Based Behavioral Health Services (LAC 50:XXXIII.Chapters 41-47)

Notice of Intent: July 20, 2015
Public Hearing: August 27, 2015
Oversight Report: September 10, 2015
Oversight Hearing: N/A
Final Rule: October 20, 2015

36 Adult Behavioral Health Services (LAC 50:XXXIII.Chapters 61-67)

Notice of Intent: August 20, 2015
Public Hearing: September 24, 2015
Oversight Report: N/A
Oversight Hearing: N/A
Final Rule: N/A

37 Behavioral Health Services - Louisiana Bayou Health and Coordinated System of Care Waiver (LAC 50:XXXIII.Chapters 1-9)

Notice of Intent: August 20, 2015
Public Hearing: September 24, 2015
Oversight Report: October 9, 2015
Oversight Hearing: N/A
Final Rule: November 20, 2015

38 Behavioral Health Services - Substance Use Disorders Services (LAC 50:XXXIII.Chapters 141-147)

Notice of Intent: August 20, 2015
Public Hearing: September 24, 2015
Oversight Report: October 9, 2015
Oversight Hearing: N/A
Final Rule: November 20, 2015

39 Children's Behavioral Health Services (LAC 50:XXXIII. Chapters 21-27)

Notice of Intent: August 20, 2015
Public Hearing: September 24, 2015
Oversight Report: October 9, 2015
Oversight Hearing: N/A
Final Rule: November 20, 2015

40 Home and Community-Based Behavioral Health Services Waiver (LAC 50:XXXIII.Chapters 81-85)

Notice of Intent: August 20, 2015
Public Hearing: September 24, 2015
Oversight Report: October 9, 2015
Oversight Hearing: N/A
Final Rule: November 20, 2015

41 Managed Care for Physical and Basic Behavioral Health - Behavioral Health Integration (LAC 50:I.Chapters 31-37)

Notice of Intent: August 20, 2015
Public Hearing: September 24, 2015
Oversight Report: October 9, 2015
Oversight Hearing: N/A
Final Rule: November 20, 2015

42 Medicaid Eligibility - Louisiana Health Insurance Premium Payment Program Termination (LAC 50:III.2311)

Notice of Intent: August 20, 2015
Public Hearing: September 24, 2015
Oversight Report: October 9, 2015
Oversight Hearing: N/A
Final Rule: November 20, 2015

43 Psychiatric Residential Treatment Facilities - (LAC 50:XXXIII Chapters 101-107)

Notice of Intent: August 20, 2015
Public Hearing: September 24, 2015
Oversight Report: October 9, 2015
Oversight Hearing: N/A
Final Rule: November 20, 2015

44 Therapeutic Group Homes - Behavioral Health Integration (LAC 50:XXXIII.Chapters 121-127)

Notice of Intent: August 20, 2015
Public Hearing: September 24, 2015
Oversight Report: October 9, 2015
Oversight Hearing: N/A
Final Rule: November 20, 2015

45 Disproportionate Share Hospital Payments - Inpatient Psychiatric Services - Reimbursement Rate Reduction (LAC 50:V.959 and 2709)

Notice of Intent: September 20, 2015
Public Hearing: October 29, 2015
Oversight Report: November 10, 2015

Oversight Hearing: N/A
Final Rule: N/A

46 Facility Need Review (LAC 48:I.Chapter 125)

Notice of Intent: September 20, 2015
Public Hearing: October 29, 2015
Oversight Report: November 10, 2015
Oversight Hearing: N/A
Final Rule: December 20, 2015

47 Federally Qualified Health Centers - Service Limits (LAC 50:XI.10303)

Notice of Intent: September 20, 2015
Public Hearing: October 29, 2015
Oversight Report: November 10, 2015
Oversight Hearing: N/A
Final Rule: December 20, 2015

48 Home and Community-Based Services Providers - Licensing Standards (LAC 48:I.Chapters 50 and 51)

Notice of Intent: September 20, 2015
Public Hearing: October 29, 2015
Oversight Report: November 10, 2015
Oversight Hearing: N/A
Final Rule: December 20, 2015

49 Home and Community-Based Services Waivers - Community Choices Waiver (LAC 50:XXI.8329 and 8601)

Notice of Intent: September 20, 2015
Public Hearing: October 29, 2015
Oversight Report: November 10, 2015
Oversight Hearing: N/A
Final Rule: December 20, 2015

50 Outpatient Hospital Services - Outpatient Clinics - Service Limits (LAC 50:V.5117)

Notice of Intent: September 20, 2015
Public Hearing: October 29, 2015
Oversight Report: November 10, 2015
Oversight Hearing: N/A
Final Rule: December 20, 2015

51 Pain Management Clinics - Licensing Standards (LAC 48:I.Chapter 78)

Notice of Intent: September 20, 2015
Public Hearing: October 29, 2015
Oversight Report: November 10, 2015
Oversight Hearing: N/A
Final Rule: December 20, 2015

52 Professional Services Program - Physician Services - Outpatient Physician Visits (LAC 50:IX.Chapter 6)

Notice of Intent: September 20, 2015
Public Hearing: October 29, 2015
Oversight Report: November 10, 2015
Oversight Hearing: N/A
Final Rule: December 20, 2015

53 Rural Health Clinics - Service Limits

Notice of Intent: September 20, 2015
Public Hearing: October 29, 2015
Oversight Report: November 10, 2015
Oversight Hearing: N/A
Final Rule: December 20, 2015

54 Adult Mental Health Services - Covered Services and Recipient Qualifications (LAC 50:XXXIII.Chapters 61-67)

Notice of Intent: October 20, 2015
Public Hearing: November 25, 2015
Oversight Report: December 10, 2015
Oversight Hearing: N/A

55 Disproportionate Share Hospital Payments - Louisiana Low-Income Academic Hospitals (LAC 50:V.2903 and Chapter 31)

Notice of Intent: October 20, 2015
Public Hearing: November 25, 2015
Oversight Report: N/A
Oversight Hearing: N/A

56 Facility Need Review - Outpatient Abortion Facilities (LAC 48:I.Chapter 125)

Notice of Intent: October 20, 2015
Public Hearing: November 25, 2015
Oversight Report: December 10, 2015
Oversight Hearing: N/A

57 Home and Community-Based Services Waivers - Residential Options Waiver - Reserved Capacity Group (LAC 50:XXI.16107,16343,16705 and 16901)

Notice of Intent: October 20, 2015

Public Hearing: November 25, 2015
Oversight Report: December 10, 2015
Oversight Hearing: N/A

58 Nursing Facilities - Non-State Governmental Organizations - Supplemental Payments (LAC 50:II.20029)

Notice of Intent: October 20, 2015
Public Hearing: November 25, 2015
Oversight Report: December 10, 2015
Oversight Hearing: N/A

59 Inpatient Hospital Services - Non-Rural, Non-State Hospitals - Children's Specialty Hospitals Reimbursements (LAC 50:V.967)

Notice of Intent: November 20, 2015
Public Hearing: December 30, 2015

60 Intermediate Care Facilities for Persons with Intellectual Disabilities - Complex Care Reimbursements (LAC 50:VII.32915)

Notice of Intent: November 20, 2015
Public Hearing: December 30, 2015

61 Medical Transportation Program - Emergency Aircraft Transportation - Rotor Winged Ambulance Services Rate Increase (LAC 50:XXVII.353)

Notice of Intent: November 20, 2015
Public Hearing: December 30, 2015

62 Psychiatric Residential Treatment Facilities - Licensing Standards (LAC 48:I.Chapter 90)

Notice of Intent: November 20, 2015
Public Hearing: December 30, 2015

63 Direct Service Worker Registry (LAC 48:I.Chapter 92)

Notice of Intent: December 20, 2015

64 Inpatient Hospital Services - Non-Rural, Non-State Hospitals - Reinstatement of Additional Payments for Hemophilia Blood Products (LAC 50:V.965)

Notice of Intent: December 20, 2015

65 Inpatient Hospital Services - Public-Private Partnerships - Supplemental Payments (LAC 50:V.Chapter 17)

Notice of Intent: December 20, 2015

66 Outpatient Hospital Services - Public-Private Partnerships - Supplemental Payments (LAC 50:V.Chapter 67)

Notice of Intent: December 20, 2015

67 Abortion Facilities - Licensing Standards (LAC 48:I.Chapter 44)

Public Hearing: January 29, 2015
Oversight Report: February 10, 2015
February 13, 2015
Oversight Hearing: N/A
Final Rule: April 20, 2015

68 Free-Standing Birthing Centers (LAC 50:XV Chapters 265-271)

Public Hearing: January 29, 2015
Oversight Report: N/A
Oversight Hearing: N/A
Final Rule: N/A

69 Intermediate Care Facilities for Persons with Intellectual Disabilities - Provider Fee Increase (LAC 50:VII.32903)

Public Hearing: January 29, 2015
Oversight Report: February 10, 2015
Oversight Hearing: N/A
Final Rule: March 20, 2015

70 Laboratory and Radiology Services - Reimbursement Methodology - Manual Pricing (LAC 50:XIX.Chapter 43)

Public Hearing: January 29, 2015
Oversight Report: February 10, 2015
Oversight Hearing: N/A
Final Rule: March 20, 2015

71 Personal Care Services - Long-Term - Freedom of Choice and Service Delivery (LAC 50:XV.12901 and 12913)

Public Hearing: January 29, 2015
Oversight Report: February 10, 2015
Oversight Hearing: N/A
Final Rule: March 20, 2015

72 Professional Services Program - Physicians Services - Reimbursement Methodology (LAC 50:IX.15113)

Public Hearing: January 29, 2015
Oversight Report: February 10, 2015
Oversight Hearing: N/A
Final Rule: March 20, 2015

73 Adult Behavioral Health Services (LAC 50:XXXIII.6103, 6301, 6303, and Chapter 65)

Oversight Report: January 9, 2015
Oversight Hearing: N/A
Final Rule: February 20, 2015

74 Behavioral Health Services - Statewide Management Organization (LAC 50:XXXIII.101,103,301,305,501 and 901)

Oversight Report: January 9, 2015
Oversight Hearing: N/A
Final Rule: N/A

75 Family Planning Services (LAC 50:XV.Chapters 251-255)

Oversight Report: January 9, 2015
Oversight Hearing: N/A
Final Rule: February 20, 2015

76 Home and Community-Based Services Waivers - Adult Day Health Care (LAC 50:XXI.Chapter 29)

Oversight Report: January 9, 2015
Oversight Hearing: N/A
Final Rule: February 20, 2015

77 Managed Care for Physical and Basic Behavioral Health (LAC 50:I.Chapters 31-40)

Oversight Report: December 18, 2014
April 9, 2015
Oversight Hearing: N/A
Final Rule: May 20, 2015

78 Medicaid Eligibility - Behavioral Health Services - Medically Needy Program (LAC 50:III.2314)

Oversight Report: January 9, 2015
Oversight Hearing: N/A
Final Rule: N/A

79 School Based Behavioral Health Services (LAC 50:XXXIII.4303 and 4501)

Oversight Report: January 9, 2015
Oversight Hearing: N/A
Final Rule: February 20, 2015

80 Adult Residential Care Providers – Licensing Standards (LAC 48:I.Chapters 68)

Oversight Report: May 8, 2015
Oversight Hearing: N/A
Final Rule: June 20, 2015

81 Crisis Receiving Centers - Licensing Standards (LAC 48:I.Chapters 53 and 54)

Final Rule: January 20, 2015

82 Home and Community-Based Services Waivers - Children's Choice Waiver (LAC 50:XXI.11107, 11303, 11527, 11529, 11703, 11901, 11905, and 12101)

Final Rule: January 20, 2015
Final Rule Republished: March 20, 2015

83 Hospice Services - (LAC 50:XV.Chapters 33-43)

Final Rule: January 20, 2015

84 Inpatient Hospital Services - Non-Rural, Non-State Hospitals - Supplemental Payments (LAC 50:V.953)

Final Rule: January 20, 2015

85 Nursing Facilities - Leave of Absence Days - Reimbursement Reduction (LAC 50:II.20021)

Final Rule: January 20, 2015

86 Pediatric Day Health Care Program (LAC 48:I.Chapters 52 and 125 and LAC 50:XV.27503)

Final Rule: January 20, 2015

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2015 Emergency Rules

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Redeclared Emergency Rule:	February 18, 2015
2	Home Health Program - Rehabilitation Services - Reimbursement Rate Increase (LAC 50:XIII.Chapter 9)
Redeclared Emergency Rule:	February 11, 2015
Redeclared Emergency Rule:	June 12, 2015
3	Inpatient Hospital Services - Non-Rural, Non-State Hospitals - Children's Specialty Hospitals Reimbursements (LAC 50:V.967)
Redeclared Emergency Rule:	February 2, 2015
Redeclared Emergency Rule:	June 3, 2015
Redeclared Emergency Rule:	October 2, 2016
4	Inpatient Hospital Services - Public-Private Partnerships - South Louisiana Area (LAC 50:V.1709)
Redeclared Emergency Rule:	February 17, 2015
Redeclared Emergency Rule:	June 18, 2016
Redeclared Emergency Rule:	October 17, 2015
5	Intermediate Care Facilities for Persons with Intellectual Disabilities - Complex Care Reimbursements (LAC 50:VII.52515)
Redeclared Emergency Rule:	January 30, 2015
Redeclared Emergency Rule:	May 31, 2015
Redeclared Emergency Rule:	September 29, 2015
6	Intermediate Care Facilities for Persons with Intellectual Disabilities—Public Facilities - Reimbursement Rate Increase (LAC 50:VII.52969)
Redeclared Emergency Rule:	January 30, 2015
Redeclared Emergency Rule:	May 31, 2015
Redeclared Emergency Rule:	September 29, 2015
7	Medicaid Eligibility - Provisional Medicaid Program (LAC 50:III.2805)
Redeclared Emergency Rule:	February 7, 2015
Amended Emergency Rule:	March 20, 2015
8	Medical Transportation Program - Non-Emergency Medical Transportation (LAC 50:XXVI.Chapter 3)
Redeclared Emergency Rule:	January 30, 2015
Amended Emergency Rule:	May 20, 2015
Redeclared Emergency Rule:	September 18, 2015
Redeclared Emergency Rule:	January 17, 2016
9	Outpatient Hospital Services - Public-Private Partnerships - South Louisiana Area (LAC 50:V.6709)
Redeclared Emergency Rule:	February 16, 2015
Redeclared Emergency Rule:	June 17, 2015
Redeclared Emergency Rule:	October 16, 2015
10	Pharmacy Benefits Management Program - Pharmacy Benefits Management Program
Redeclared Emergency Rule:	January 30, 2015
Redeclared Emergency Rule:	May 31, 2015
Redeclared Emergency Rule:	September 29, 2015
11	Pharmacy Benefits Management Program - State Supplemental Rebate Agreement Program (LAC 50:XXIX.Chapter 11)
Redeclared Emergency Rule:	February 20, 2015
Redeclared Emergency Rule:	June 21, 2015
Redeclared Emergency Rule:	October 20, 2015
12	Professional Services Program - Immunizations - Reimbursement Methodology (LAC 50:IX.8905 and 8905)
Redeclared Emergency Rule	February 16, 2015
Redeclared Emergency Rule	June 17, 2015
13	Rehabilitation Clinics - Physical and Occupational Therapies - Reimbursement Rate Increase (LAC 50:XI.801 and 808)
Redeclared Emergency Rule:	February 11, 2015
Redeclared Emergency Rule:	
14	School Based Health Centers - Rehabilitation Services - Reimbursement Rate Increase (LAC 50:IXV.8141)
Redeclared Emergency Rule:	February 10, 2015
15	Inpatient Hospital Services - Children's Specialty Hospitals - Supplemental Payments for New Orleans Area Hospitals (LAC 50:V.969)
Emergency Rule:	February 12, 2015
Redeclared Emergency Rule:	June 13, 2015
Redeclared Emergency Rule:	October 12, 2015
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16	Inpatient Hospital Services - Non-Rural, Non-State Hospitals - Supplemental Payments for Baton Rouge Area Hospitals (LAC 50:V.979)
Emergency Rule:	February 12, 2015
Redeclared Emergency Rule:	June 13, 2015
Redeclared Emergency Rule:	October 12, 2015
17	Inpatient Hospital Services - Non-Rural, Non-State Hospitals - Supplemental Payments for Monroe Area Hospitals (LAC 50:V.971)
Emergency Rule:	February 12, 2015
Redeclared Emergency Rule:	June 13, 2015
Redeclared Emergency Rule:	October 12, 2015
18	Nursing Facilities - Per Diem Rate Reduction (LAC 50:II.20005)
Amended Emergency Rule:	February 20, 2015
19	Outpatient Hospital Services - Children's Specialty Hospitals - Supplemental Payments for New Orleans Area Hospitals (LAC:V.6121)
Emergency Rule:	February 12, 2015
Redeclared Emergency Rule:	June 13, 2015
Redeclared Emergency Rule:	October 12, 2015
20	Outpatient Hospital Services - Non-Rural, Non-State Hospitals - Supplemental Payments for Baton Rouge Area Hospitals (LAC 50:V.6905)
Emergency Rule:	February 12, 2015
Redeclared Emergency Rule:	June 13, 2015
Redeclared Emergency Rule:	October 12, 2015
21	Outpatient Hospital Services - Non-Rural, Non-State Hospitals - Supplemental Payments for Monroe Area Hospitals (LAC 50:V.6905)
Emergency Rule:	February 12, 2015
Redeclared Emergency Rule:	June 13, 2015
Redeclared Emergency Rule:	October 12, 2015
22	Coordinated Care Network - Physician Services - Reimbursement Methodology (LAC 50:3.9307 and 9309)
Redeclared Emergency Rule:	March 21, 2015
Amended Emergency Rule:	
23	Coordinated Care Network - Recipient Participation (LAC 50:3.9109)
Redeclared Emergency Rule:	March 19, 2015
Redeclared Emergency Rule:	April 4, 2015
24	Facility Need Review (LAC 48:II.12501 and 12525)
Redeclared Emergency Rule:	March 21, 2015
Redeclared Emergency Rule:	July 20, 2015
Amended Emergency Rule:	September 20, 2015

25	Home and Community-Based Services Providers - Licensing Standards (LAC 48:I, Chapters 50 and 51)
	Redeclared Emergency Rule: March 21, 2015
	Redeclared Emergency Rule: July 20, 2015
	Redeclared Emergency Rule: November 18, 2015
26	Home and Community-Based Services Providers - Community Choices Waiver (LAC 50:XXI.8528 and 8601)
	Redeclared Emergency Rule: March 21, 2015
	Redeclared Emergency Rule: July 20, 2015
	Amended Emergency Rule: October 20, 2015
27	Inpatient Hospital Services - Public-Private Partnerships - Reimbursement Methodology (LAC 50:V, 1709)
	Redeclared Emergency Rule: March 17, 2015
	Redeclared Emergency Rule: July 16, 2015
	Redeclared Emergency Rule: November 14, 2015
28	Inpatient Hospital Services - Public-Private Partnerships - Supplemental Payments (LAC 50:V, Chapter 17)
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	Redeclared Emergency Rule: October 26, 2015
29	Nursing Facilities - Per Diem Rate Reduction (LAC 50:II, 20005)
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30	Nursing Facilities - Standards for Payment - Level of Care Determinations (LAC 50:II, 10156)
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31	Outpatient Hospital Services - Public-Private Partnerships - Supplemental Payments (LAC 50:V, Chapter 67)
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32	Recovery Audit Contractor Program (LAC 50:I, Chapter 63)
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34	Therapeutic Group Homes - Licensing Standards (LAC 48:I, Chapter 62)
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	Redeclared Emergency Rule: July 18, 2015
35	Disproportionate Share Hospital Payments - Mental Health Emergency Room Extensions (LAC 50:V, 2711)
	Emergency Rule: March 5, 2015
	Redeclared Emergency Rule: July 4, 2015
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36	Home and Community-Based Services Waivers - Community Choices Waiver - Electronic Visit Verification (LAC 50:XXI.9305)
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	Redeclared Emergency Rule: November 29, 2015
37	Inpatient Hospital Services - Non-Rural, Non-State Hospitals - Termination of Additional Payments for Hemophilia Blood Products (LAC 50:V, 965)
	Emergency Rule: March 5, 2015
	Redeclared Emergency Rule: July 5, 2015
38	Medicaid Eligibility - Modified Adjusted Gross Income (LAC 50:III, 2527, 2529, 10507, and 10705)
	Amended Emergency Rule: March 20, 2015
39	Personal Care Services - Long-Term - Standards for Participation - Electronic Visit Verification (LAC 50:KV, 12909)
	Emergency Rule: April 1, 2015
	Redeclared Emergency Rule: July 31, 2015
	Redeclared Emergency Rule: November 29, 2015
40	Psychiatric Residential Treatment Facilities - Licensing Standards (LAC 48:I, Chapter 90)
	Amended Emergency Rule: March 20, 2015
	Redeclared Emergency Rule: July 19, 2015
	Redeclared Emergency Rule: November 17, 2015
401	Behavioral Health Services - Statewide Management Organization - LaCHIP Affordable Plan Benefits Administration (LAC 50:XXXIII, 103)
	Redeclared Emergency Rule: March 31, 2015
42	Nursing Facilities - Reimbursement Methodology - Supplemental Payments (LAC 50:II, 20029)
	Redeclared Emergency Rule: March 23, 2015
	Redeclared Emergency Rule: July 22, 2015
43	Outpatient Hospital Services - Public-Private Partnerships - Reimbursement Methodology (LAC 50:V, 6703)
	Redeclared Emergency Rule: April 11, 2015
	Redeclared Emergency Rule: August 10, 2015
	Redeclared Emergency Rule: December 9, 2015
44	State Children's Health Insurance Program - Coverage of Prenatal Care Services (LAC 50:III, 20301 and 20303)
	Redeclared Emergency Rule: April 18, 2015
45	State Children's Health Insurance Program - Modified Adjusted Gross Income (LAC 50:III, 20103)
	Redeclared Emergency Rule: April 18, 2015
46	Home and Community-Based Services Waivers - Residential Options Waiver (LAC 50:XXI, Chapters 163-169)
	Redeclared Emergency Rule: May 11, 2015
	Redeclared Emergency Rule: September 9, 2015
47	Medicaid Eligibility - Medically Needy Program - Behavioral Health Services (LAC 50:III, 2313)
	Redeclared Emergency Rule: May 19, 2015
	Amended Emergency Rule: August 20, 2015
	Amended Emergency Rule: September 20, 2015
	Redeclared Emergency Rule: January 19, 2016
48	Medical Transportation Program - Emergency Aircraft Transportation - Rotor Winged Ambulance Services Rate Increase (LAC 50:XXVII, 353)
	Redeclared Emergency Rule: May 1, 2015
	Redeclared Emergency Rule: August 30, 2015
	Redeclared Emergency Rule: December 29, 2015
49	Nursing Facilities - Licensing Standards (LAC 48:I, 9704, 9707, and Chapter 99)
	Redeclared Emergency Rule: May 18, 2015
	Redeclared Emergency Rule: September 16, 2015
	Redeclared Emergency Rule: January 15, 2016
50	Behavioral Health Services - Statewide Management Organization - LaCHIP Affordable Plan Benefits Administration (LAC 50:XXXIII, 103)
	Redeclared Emergency Rule: April 28, 2015
51	Professional Services Program - Physician Services - Reimbursement Methodology (LAC 50:IX, 15113)
	Amended Emergency Rule: May 20, 2015

52 Disproportionate Share Hospital Payments - Louisiana Low-Income Academic Hospitals (LAC 50:V, Chapter 51)

Redeclared Emergency Rule: May 20, 2015
Redeclared Emergency Rule: September 18, 2015
Redeclared Emergency Rule: January 17, 2016

53 Therapeutic Group Homes (LAC 50:XXXIII.12101 and 12501)

Redeclared Emergency Rule: May 15, 2015
Redeclared Emergency Rule: September 17, 2015

54 Case Management - Licensing Standards (LAC 48:I.4929)

Emergency Rule: July 1, 2015

55 Early and Periodic Screening, Diagnosis and Treatment - School-Based Nursing Services (LAC 50:XV.9501)

Emergency Rule: July 1, 2015
Redeclared Emergency Rule: October 30, 2015

56 Medicaid Eligibility - Louisiana Health Insurance Premium Payment Program (LAC 50:III.2911)

Emergency Rule: July 1, 2016
Rescinded Emergency Rule:

57 Targeted Case Management - Foster Care and Family Support Worker Services (LAC 50:XV, Chapter 115)

Emergency Rule: July 1, 2015

58 Facility Need Review - Outpatient Abortion Facilities (LAC 48:I, Chapter 125)

Emergency Rule: July 1, 2015
Amended Emergency Rule: October 20, 2015

59 Inpatient Hospital Services - Non-Rural, Non-State Hospitals - Reinstatement of Additional Payments for Hemophilia Blood Products (LAC 50:V.985)

Emergency Rule: July 1, 2015
Redeclared Emergency Rule: October 30, 2015

60 Nursing Facilities - Reimbursement Methodology (LAC 50:II.20001)

Emergency Rule: July 11, 2015
Redeclared Emergency Rule: November 9, 2015

61 Intermediate Care Facilities for Persons with Intellectual Disabilities - Supplemental Payments (LAC 50:VII.52917)

Emergency Rule: August 1, 2015
Redeclared Emergency Rule: November 30, 2015

62 Disproportionate Share Hospital Payments - Inpatient Psychiatric Services - Reimbursement Rate Reduction (LAC 50:V.959 and 2709)

Emergency Rule: October 1, 2015

63 Home and Community-Based Services Waivers - New Opportunities Waiver - Emergency Opportunities (LAC 50:XXI.13709)

Emergency Rule: October 1, 2015
Rescinded Emergency Rule

64 Adult Mental Health Services - Covered Services and Recipient Qualifications (LAC 50:XXXIII, Chapters 63-67)

Redeclared Emergency Rule: December 1, 2015
Amended Emergency Rule

65 Home and Community-Based Services Waivers - Adult Day Health Care Waiver - Electronic Visit Verification (LAC 50:XXI.2705)

Emergency Rule: November 1, 2015

66 Inpatient Hospital Services - Non-Rural, Non-State Hospitals - Public Hospitals Supplemental Payments (LAC 50:V.949)

Emergency Rule: October 1, 2015

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1 Substantive Changes and Public Hearing Notification - Managed Care for Physical and Basic Behavioral Health [LAC 50:I.Chapters 31-40]

Published: February 20, 2015
Public Hearing: March 31, 2015

2 Substantive Changes and Public Hearing Notification - Adult Residential Care Providers - Licensing Standards [LAC 48:I.Chapters 68]

Published: March 20, 2015
Public Hearing: April 29, 2015

3 Substantive Changes and Public Hearing Notification - Hospital Licensing Standards - Therapeutic Recreational Therapists [LAC 48:I.9501]

Published: May 20, 2015
Public Hearing: June 25, 2015

4 Substantive Changes and Public Hearing Notification - Behavioral Health Services Providers - Licensing Standards [LAC 48:I.Chapters 74, LAC 48:I.Chapters 56-57 and LAC 48:III.Chapter 5]

Published: June 20, 2015
Public Hearing: July 30, 2015

5 Substantive Changes and Public Hearing Notification - Free-Standing Birthing Centers [LAC 50:XV.Chapters 265-271]

Published: August 20, 2015
Public Hearing: September 24, 2015

6 Substantive Changes and Public Hearing Notification - Managed Care for Physical and Basic Behavioral Health - Timely Filing of Claims [LAC 50:I.3511]

Published: November 20, 2015
Public Hearing: December 30, 2015

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1 Single Point of Entry - (LAC 48 IX Chapter 7)

Notice of Intent: May 20, 2015
Public Hearing: June 24, 2015
2nd Public Hearing:
Oversight Report: July 20, 2015
Oversight Hearing:
Final Rule: : August 20, 2015

2 EarlySteps/Infant Intervention (Cost Participation) (LAC 48: IX. 334)

Notice of Intent:
Public Hearing:

Oversight Report:
Oversight Hearing:
Final Rule: : January 20, 2015

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1 Certified Medication Attendant - (LAC 48:IX. 915 and 917)

Emergency Rule:

Redeclared Emergency Rule: February 20, 2015

Redeclared Emergency Rule: June 20, 2015

Redeclared Emergency Rule: October 20, 2015

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1 State Personal Assistance Services Program (LAC 48:I.Chapter 191 and LAC 67:VII.Chapter 11)

Notice of Intent: November 20, 2014
Public Hearing: December 30, 2014
Oversight Report: January 14, 2015
Oversight Hearing: N/A
Final Rule: February 20, 2015

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1	Opioid Antagonist Administration (LAC 48:II.3901)
Notice of Intent:	September 20, 2015
Public Hearing:	November 30, 2015
Oversight Report:	December 4, 2015
Oversight Hearing:	N/A
Final Rule:	January 20, 2016

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1 Substantive Changes and Public Hearing Notification - Opioid Antagonist Administration

Notice: October 20, 2015

Public Hearing: November 30, 2015

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Minimum Disinfectant Residual Levels in Public Water Systems (LAC 51:XII.Chapter 3, 903, Chapter 11 and 1503)

Notice of Intent: December 20, 2015
Public Hearing: January 25, 2016
Oversight Report: February 8, 2016
Oversight Hearing: To be determined by oversight committee
Final Rule: March 20, 2016 Subject to change

Disease Reporting Requirements/Anti-Rabies Vaccination Requirements for Dogs and Cats (LAC 51:II.105, 107, 109, 111, 113; III.103; XVII.501; and XXI.105)

Notice of Intent: September 20, 2015
Public Hearing: October 26, 2015
Oversight Report: November 4, 2015
Oversight Hearing: N/A
Final Rule: December 20, 2015

Tanning (LAC 49: I.1301-1347) 1856

Notice of Intent: September 20, 2015
Public Hearing: October 26, 2015
Oversight Report: November 4, 2015
Oversight Hearing: N/A
Final Rule: December 20, 2015

Plumbing Fixtures, Water Supply and Distribution, and Referenced Standards (LAC 51:XIV.411, 609, and 1403)

Notice of Intent: March 20, 2014
Public Hearing: April 29, 2014
2nd Public Hearing: December 29, 2014
Oversight Report: January 1, 2015
Oversight Hearing: N/A
Final Rule: February 20, 2015

Mobile Food Establishments (LAC 51:XXIII.4513 and 4523)

Notice of Intent: December 20, 2013
Public Hearing: February 27, 2013
Oversight Report: March 8, 2013
Oversight Hearing: N/A
Final Rule: May 20, 2014

Shellstock Refrigeration (LAC 51:IX.323, 329, and 333)

Notice of Intent: December 20, 2013
Public Hearing: February 27, 2013
Oversight Report: March 8, 2013
Oversight Hearing: N/A
Final Rule: May 20, 2014

Health Examination for Employees, Volunteers and Patients at Certain Medical Facilities (LAC 51:II.503)

Notice of Intent: July 20, 2014
Public Hearing: August 29, 2014
First Oversight Report: July 9, 2014
Second Oversight Report: September 8, 2014
Oversight Hearing: N/A
Final Rule: October 20, 2014

Registration of Foods, Drugs, Cosmetics, and Prophylactic Devices (LAC 51:VI.105)

Notice of Intent: July 20, 2014
Public Hearing: August 29, 2015
First Oversight Report: July 9, 2014
Second Oversight Report: September 8, 2014
2nd Notice of Intent: September 20, 2014 NOI republished to correct a codification error. The original Notice of Intent may be viewed in the July 20, 2014 [LA Register](#).
Oversight Hearing: N/A
Final Rule: October 20, 2014

Reclassification of Failure to Obtain a Food Safety Certification as a Class A Violation (LAC 51:I.113)

Notice of Intent: September 20, 2014
Public Hearing: October 27, 2014
Notice of Intent: November 20, 2014 NOI republished to correct a submission error. The original Notice of Intent may be viewed in the September 20, 2014, [LA Register](#).
Public Hearing: N/A Public comment deadline/request for public hearing by December 10, 2014. No requests received for a public hearing.

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Redeclared Emergency Rule:	March 5, 2015
Redeclared Emergency Rule:	November 3, 2014
Redeclared Emergency Rule:	July 5, 2014
Redeclared Emergency Rule:	March 6, 2014
Redeclared Emergency Rule:	November 6, 2013

Added Controlled Dangerous Substances (LAC 46:LIII.2704)

Emergency Rule:	January 27, 2015
Emergency Rule:	March 20, 2014
Emergency Rule:	July 3, 2014
Emergency Rule:	October 29, 2014
Emergency Rule:	November 20, 2014
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Maternal and Child Health Block Grant

Notice: June 20, 2014

Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants and Children (WIC)

Notice: August 20, 2014

Plumbing Fixtures, Water Supply and Distribution, and Referenced Standards (LAC 51:XIV.411, 609, and 1403)

Notice: August 20, 2014

2nd Notice: November 20, 2014