

Red Tape Review Rule Report (Due: September 1, 2025)

Department Name:	Health and Human Services	Date:	September 1, 2025	Total Rule Count:	5
IAC #:	441	Chapter/ SubChapter/ Rule(s):	80	Iowa Code Section Authorizing Rule:	249A
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What is the intended benefit of the rule?

The proposed rulemaking is intended to provide instructions for health care providers on how to submit claims for medical and remedial services for reimbursement to the Department.

Is the benefit being achieved? Please provide evidence.

Yes. In SFY 2024, the Department received 14,758,588 claims and reimbursed health care providers \$5,106,587,377.84 for covered services provider to lowans.

What are the costs incurred by the public to comply with the rule?

Health care providers may incur administrative costs to comply with this rule chapter.

What are the costs to the agency or any other agency to implement/enforce the rule?

The department incurs personnel and other administrative costs to implement the rule chapter.

Do the costs justify the benefits achieved? Please explain.

Yes. In SFY 2024, the Department received 14,758,588 claims and reimbursed health care providers \$5,106,587,377.84 for covered services provider to lowans.

Are there less restrictive alternatives to accomplish the benefit? ☐ YES ☒ NO

If YES, please list alternative(s) and provide analysis of less restrictive alternatives from other states, if applicable. If NO, please explain.

Rulemaking is required by law.

Does this chapter/rule(s) contain language that is obsolete, outdated, inconsistent, redundant, or unnecessary language, including instances where rule language is duplicative of statutory language? [list chapter/rule number(s) that fall under any of the above categories]

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80.1 – deleted as it had been rescinded
80.2 – referred claim submission parameters to the Department’s provider manual
80.3 – deleted restrictive terms and added dates certain
80.4 – removed a restrictive term
80.5 – uncapitalized words according to LSA’s rule writing parameters and deleted a restrictive term
80.6 – no change
80.7 – added dates certain

RULES PROPOSED FOR REPEAL (list rule number[s]):

80.1

RULES PROPOSED FOR RE-PROMULGATION (list rule number[s] or include rule text if available):

80.2 through 80.7

****For rules being re-promulgated with changes, you may attach a document with suggested changes.***

METRICS

Total number of rules repealed:	1
Proposed word count reduction after repeal and/or re-promulgation	1,157
Proposed number of restrictive terms eliminated after repeal and/or re-promulgation	24

ARE THERE ANY STATUTORY CHANGES YOU WOULD RECOMMEND INCLUDING CODIFYING ANY RULES?

No.