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FILINGS WITH THE LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH COUNCIL

Notice

The **Department of Social Services** intends to submit a Medicaid State Plan Amendment (SPA) to update state plan pages to a new template released by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) in accordance with the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2024 (CAA, 2024). The proposed SPA replaces the current Substance Use Disorder (SUD)/Institutions for Mental Diseases (IMD) State Plan pages with the 1915(I) Template as provided by CMS; it does not alter current coverage. Additionally, for school-based services, it also updates the random moment time study cost pool list of providers that may perform school-based direct services and/or administrative claiming activities. The amendment replaces pages 1-2 of Attachment 3.1-L-SUD/IMD with template pages 1-6 of Attachment 3.1-L-SUD/IMD. It also revises page 4i of Attachment 4.19-B of the Medicaid State Plan.

The department intends to make this SPA effective October 1, 2025, and estimates there will be no fiscal impact associated with it in Federal Fiscal Year 2026 and Federal Fiscal Year 2027.

The SPA is available to view on the department's website at <http://dss.sd.gov/medicaid/medicaidstateplan.aspx>. Copies of the proposed SPA pages are also available at the Department of Social Services, Division of Medical Services. Written requests for a copy of these changes, and corresponding comments, may be emailed to MedicaidSPA@state.sd.us or sent to the Division of Medical Services, Department of Social Services, 700 Governors Drive, Pierre, South Dakota 57501-2291. The public comment period will start September 29, 2025, and end October 29, 2025.

FILINGS WITH THE OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE

Executive Order

Governor Rhoden has signed [Executive Order 2025-07](#) establishing the Correctional Rehabilitation Task Force, a group tasked with evaluating programming and treatment needs for the inmate population in the new prison authorized by the passage of [Senate Bill 2](#) by the First Special Session of the One Hundredth Legislature, and identify opportunities for expansion; engaging in consultation to understand needs of Native American-focused programming; engaging in consultation for faith-based programming; studying re-entry models and best practices; and recommending legislation related to these issues. The Order, dated September 23, 2025, states that membership of the task force shall at least include the Lieutenant Governor (serving as Chair), six current members of the House of Representatives, five current members of the Senate, one judge, two law enforcement representatives, one Indigenous representative, one health care representative with behavioral or mental health expertise, one representative with experience in correctional rehabilitative services, and any other interested representative deemed necessary by the Governor. The task force will expire on January 1, 2027, unless sooner terminated by the Governor.

SCHEDULED PUBLIC HEARINGS

9-29-2025	No hearings scheduled.
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RULES REVIEW COMMITTEE MEETINGS

The last scheduled meeting of the Interim Rules Review Committee for the 2025 Interim is Tuesday, October 7, 2025, at 10:00 a.m. (CT) via electronic conference and in Room 414 of the Capitol. Notices of future committee meetings will be posted in this publication, on the [LRC website](#), and at the Capitol.

The Drafting Manual for Administrative Rules in South Dakota is available on the [Administrative Rules Manual page](#) of the LRC website and is updated regularly to reflect changes in drafting styles and procedures.