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Notice of Proposed Rules

Date in parentheses indicates when rules were filed with the Legislative Research Council.
Copies of proposed rules may be obtained for no charge at <https://rules.sd.gov> or from the agency directly.

South Dakota Division of Insurance (Department of Labor and Regulation): (April 28, 2026) intends to amend rules to update the sources referenced in rule and incorporate the 2026 Medicare Supplement coverage amounts set by the federal government. The general authority for these rules, as cited by the division, is SDCL [58-3-11](#), [58-3-26](#), [58-4-48](#), [58-6-75](#), [58-26-13.1](#), [58-26-45.1](#), [58-26-46](#), [58-27-7](#), and [58-27-108](#).

A public hearing at which persons may present amendments, data, opinions, and arguments for or against the proposed rules will be held in the Oahe Conference Room, 124 South Euclid Avenue, 1st Floor, Pierre, South Dakota, on May 19, 2026, at 1:00 p.m. (CT). Copies of the proposed rules may be obtained without charge from, and written comments may be sent to, South Dakota Division of Insurance, Administrative Rules, 124 South Euclid Avenue, 2nd Floor, Pierre, South Dakota 57501. Comments may also be emailed to lisa.harmon@state.sd.us. Information submitted in writing must be received on or before May 29, 2026, to be considered. Copies of the proposed rules are also available at http://dlr.sd.gov/insurance/admin_rules/public_hearings.aspx and <https://rules.sd.gov/>, by phone call to (605) 773-3563, or by email request to lisa.harmon@state.sd.us. Members of the public wishing to appear at the hearing remotely should contact the division for more information by May 14, 2026. This hearing is being held in a physically accessible location. Persons with special needs for whom the division can make arrangements may call (605) 773-3563 at least 48 hours before the public hearing.

South Dakota State Fair (Department of Agriculture and Natural Resources): (April 29, 2026) intends to amend and adopt rules to increase daily and weekly parking fees; establish new premium and handicapped parking fee categories; establish fines for parking violations; and outline procedures for addressing non-payment of fines. The general authority for these rules, as cited by the department, is SDCL [1-21-10](#).

A public hearing at which persons may present amendments, data, opinions, and arguments for or against the proposed rules will be held at the Nordby Exhibit Hall, South Dakota State Fairgrounds, 1060 3rd Street Southwest, Huron, South Dakota, on June 9, 2026, at 10:00 a.m. (CT). Copies of the proposed rules may be obtained without charge from, and written comments on the proposed rules may be sent to, the Department of Agriculture and Natural Resources, State Fair Division, 1060 3rd Street Southwest, Huron, South Dakota 57350 or by email to peggy.besch@state.sd.us. Copies of the proposed rules may also be obtained by calling (605) 353-7340. The deadline to submit written comments for consideration is June 23, 2026. This hearing is being held in a physically accessible location. Persons with special needs for whom the department can make arrangements may call (605) 353-7340 at least 48 hours prior to the hearing.

Notice

The **Department of Social Services** intends to make changes to the South Dakota Medicaid State Plan to update the provider lists and supplemental payment amounts for the inpatient and nursing facility providers that have a signed care

coordination agreement with Indian Health Services and have ensured access and proper coordination of care of health services. The supplemental payment amounts are as follows:

Inpatient Provider	Amount
Abbot House Inc.	\$28,112
Aurora Plains Academy	\$16,050
Avera	\$475,337
Bennett County	\$16,768
Black Hills Surgical	\$385
Mobridge Regional	\$9,104
Monument Health	\$1,258,951
Lutheran Social Services	\$24,127
Our Home	\$20,397
Rushmore Ambulatory Surgery	\$13,325
Sanford	\$801,843
Sioux Falls Children's Home	\$46,247
Nursing Facility/ICF Provider	Amount
Aurora Plains Academy	\$8,016
Avera	\$25,127
Bennett County	\$567
Legacy	\$120,846
Monument Health	\$5,643
Sanford	\$21,751

The proposed State Plan Amendment (SPA) has an effective date of June 1, 2026, and amends page 14 of Attachment 4.19-A and page 17b of Attachment 4.19-D of the South Dakota Medicaid State Plan.

The department estimates the fiscal impact will be \$1,420,322 in state funds and \$1,478,886 in federal funds, totaling \$2,899,207 in Federal Fiscal Year 2026, with no fiscal impact in 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 May 4, 2026, and end June 3, 2026.

SCHEDULED PUBLIC HEARINGS

5-7-2026	<u>Department of Game, Fish and Parks:</u> Amend a rule to increase the Black Hills elk hunting season length in Unit BHE-4B from October 15-31 and December 1-16 to October 1-31 and December 1-16; 52 SDR 97, April 20, 2026.
5-14-2026	<u>Appraiser Certification Program (Department of Labor and Regulation):</u> Amend rules to make appraisers certified by reciprocity subject to the continuing education requirements; allow for the approval of the eight-hour valuation bias and fair housing course as qualifying education; align course approval terms to the relevant delivery mechanism certification; allow flexibility for approval of seminar-type continuing education courses; clarify what types of discipline owners of appraisal management companies (AMCs) are required to disclose on an AMC application; and clarify change of ownership obligations for AMCs; 52 SDR 101, April 27, 2026.

5-15-2026	<u>Department of Social Services:</u> Amend rules to update the TANF payment standard by approximately 6.4 percent and to update federal medical services eligibility standards that are reflected in rule; 52 SDR 100, April 27, 2026.
5-15-2026	<u>Department of Social Services:</u> Amend and adopt rules to update hospital reimbursement methodologies including inpatient and outpatient hospital services for both in-state and out-of-state hospitals to more closely align with industry standards; repeal rules that are duplicative of federal regulation or other rules; and to make style and form changes; 52 SDR 100, April 27, 2026.
5-18-2026	<u>Department of Labor and Regulation:</u> Adopt rules to establish the State Apprenticeship Agency (SAA). Specifically, the rules define administrative duties, registration procedures, program standards, review requirements, actions involving apprenticeship programs, reciprocity processes; and complaint procedures; and align South Dakota with federal apprenticeship requirements under 29 CFR Part 29, allowing the SAA to administer, register, oversee, and enforce Registered Apprenticeship Programs requirements at the state level; 52 SDR 100, April 21, 2026.
5-19-2026	<u>South Dakota Division of Insurance (Department of Labor and Regulation):</u> Amend rules to update the sources referenced in rule and incorporate the 2026 Medicare Supplement coverage amounts set by the federal government; 52 SDR 103, May 4, 2026.
6-2-2026	<u>South Dakota Board of Nursing (Department of Health):</u> Adopt and amend rules to remove the requirement for the board to notify a nursing education program of an applicant's licensure examination results; remove the requirement for the board to issue renewal certificates and inactive status cards; and allow registered nurses to delegate gastrostomy tube care to a nursing assistant; 52 SDR 97, April 20, 2026.
6-9-2026	<u>South Dakota State Fair (Department of Agriculture and Natural Resources):</u> Amend and adopt rules to increase daily and weekly parking fees; establish new premium and handicapped parking fee categories; establish fines for parking violations; and outline procedures for addressing non-payment of fines; 52 SDR 103, May 4, 2026.

RULES REVIEW COMMITTEE MEETINGS

The next meeting of the Interim Rules Review Committee for the 2026 Interim is Tuesday, May 5, 2026, at 10:00 a.m. (CT) via electronic conference and in Room 414 of the State Capitol. Future meetings for the 2026 Interim are scheduled for June 9, July 14, August 18, September 8, and October 14. 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.