

Message from the Dept. of Regulatory Agencies:

This is to notify you that the Department of Public Health and Environment has submitted proposed rules or amendments to existing rules concerning:

Standards for Hospitals and Health Facilities, Chapter XXVI, Home Care Agencies

The proposed rules or amendments may be found at:

[http://www.dora.state.co.us/pls/real/SB121\\_Web.Show\\_Rule?p\\_rule\\_id=3069](http://www.dora.state.co.us/pls/real/SB121_Web.Show_Rule?p_rule_id=3069).

The rulemaking hearing is set for Wednesday, March 18, 2009 at 10:00 am at Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment, 4300 Cherry Creek Drive S., Sabin-Cleere Conf. Rm., Denver CO 80246. For more information about the proposed rules or amendments, you can contact Lauarie Schoder, Policy Analyst, Health Facilities Division at 303-692-2832 at the Department of Public Health and Environment.

**We will be analyzing the proposed rules or amendments to determine if they may negatively impact Colorado's small businesses, job creation or economic competitiveness. If initial research indicates possible negative impact in one or more of these areas, we will request that the entity submitting the proposed rules or amendments perform a cost-benefit analysis. If you want to provide us with feedback on the proposed rules or amendments to help us make that determination or to let us know how the proposed rules positively impact these areas, please email me at [opr@dora.state.co.us](mailto:opr@dora.state.co.us).**

I hope you find this service and information useful.

Bruce Harrelson  
Director  
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If you wish to receive e-mails regarding the review of other proposed rules, please visit [http://www.dora.state.co.us/pls/real/SB121\\_Web.SignIn\\_Form](http://www.dora.state.co.us/pls/real/SB121_Web.SignIn_Form) .