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MAINE HEALTH DATA ORGANIZATION
2021 - 2022 Regulatory Agenda

AGENCY UMBRELLA UNIT NUMBER: 90-590

AGENCY NAME: Maine Health Data Organization (MHDO)

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EMERGENCY RULES ADOPTED SINCE THE LAST REGULATORY AGENDA: None

EXPECTED 2021-2022 RULE-MAKING ACTIVITY:

CHAPTER 50: Prices for Data Sets, Fees For Programming and Report Generation, Duplication Rates (Routine Technical)

STATUTORY BASIS: 22 M.R.S.A., §8704, sub-§4; §8706, sub-§2A.

PURPOSE: These rules may be amended to change the reporting fees and to include the addition of a provider directory.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 2022

AFFECTED PARTIES: All parties who request, access, and utilize data from the MHDO.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not applicable.

CHAPTER 120: Release of Information to the Public (*Major Substantive*)

STATUTORY BASIS: 22 M.R.S.A., §8704, sub-§4, §8708, §8714, §8715, §8716, and §8717

PURPOSE: This rule will be amended to update the data elements allowable for release to authorized data recipients.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 2022

AFFECTED PARTIES: All parties who request, access, and utilize data from the MHDO and all parties who submit data to the MHDO.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not applicable.

CHAPTER 241: Uniform Reporting System for Hospital Inpatient Data Sets and Hospital Outpatient Data Sets (*Routine Technical*)

STATUTORY BASIS: 22 M.R.S.A., §8704, sub-§1 and 4 and §8708

PURPOSE: This rule will be amended to add and/or remove data elements.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Spring 2022

AFFECTED PARTIES: All Maine hospitals that submit health-related data to the MHDO

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not applicable.

CHAPTER 243: Uniform Reporting System for Health Care Claims Data Sets (*Routine Technical*)

STATUTORY BASIS: 22 M.R.S.A., §8704, sub-§1 and 4, and §8708

PURPOSE: This rule will be amended to add and/or remove data elements.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Spring 2022

AFFECTED PARTIES: All Maine licensed health insurance carriers, health maintenance organizations, and carriers that provide only administrative services for plan sponsors, and third-party administrators of health benefits plans administered for employers or a plan sponsor that pay claims for Maine residents.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not applicable.

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CHAPTER 247: Uniform Reporting System for Non-Claims Based Primary Care Payments

(Routine Technical)

STATUTORY BASIS: 22 M.R.S. §8704 (1-A)(1-5)

PURPOSE: This new rule Chapter will require reporting entities to submit to the MHDO or its designee non-claims-based payment information for primary care services in accordance with the requirements of this rule.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Spring 2022

AFFECTED PARTIES: All Maine licensed health insurance carriers, health maintenance organizations, and carriers that provide only administrative services for plan sponsors, and third-party administrators of health benefits plans administered for employers or a plan sponsor that pay claims for Maine residents.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not applicable.

CHAPTER 570: Uniform Reporting System for Prescription Drug Price Data Sets *(Major Substantive)*

STATUTORY BASIS: 22 M.R.S. Sections 8703 (1), 8704(1), 8705-A and 8705A(3), 8731, 8732, 8733, 8734, 8737, and PL 2019, c470.

PURPOSE: This rule will be amended to clarify definitions and reporting requirements.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 2022

AFFECTED PARTIES: All drug manufacturers, wholesale drug distributors and pharmacy benefit managers.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not applicable.

CHAPTER 630: Uniform System for Reporting Baseline Information and Restructuring Occurrences Relevant to the Delivery and Financing of Health Care in Maine *(Routine Technical)*

STATUTORY BASIS: 22 M.R.S.A., §8704, sub-§4 and §8710

PURPOSE: This rule may be repealed due to changes made to Chapter 300.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 2022

AFFECTED PARTIES: All Maine hospitals and their parent entities.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not applicable.

CHAPTER 730: INTERAGENCY REPORTING OF CANCER-INCIDENCE REGISTRY AND VITAL STATISTICS DATA *(Routine Technical)*

STATUTORY BASIS: 22 M.R.S. §§1406-A; 2706, sub-§2-A; and 8715-A.

PURPOSE: This new rule Chapter provides for the reporting of cancer and vital statistics data from the Department of Health and Human Services, Bureau of Health and Office of Data Research and Vital Statistics to the Maine Health Data Organization

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Spring 2022

AFFECTED PARTIES: Department of Health and Human Services, Bureau of Health and Office of Data Research and Vital Statistics

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not applicable.



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From: Debra Dodge, Health Planner, Maine Health Data Organization

Subject: 2021 – 2022 Annual Regulatory Agenda

Date: July 8, 2021

Attached you will find a paper copy of the MHDO's Annual Regulatory Agenda covering the agency's planned rulemaking activity for the period of 10/1/2021 through 9/30/2022. An electronic copy of this document has already been sent to your office.

Per your filing instructions a copy has also been filed with the Executive Director of the Legislative Council, using the Maine Legislature's Online Notification of Agency Rulemaking System.

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