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Friday, July 11, 2025

To: Rachel Reiter, Policy, Communications and Administration Office Director
From: Kim Bimestefer, Executive Director of the Colorado Department of Health Care Policy and Financing

Re: Statement of Adoption - Adopted Executive Director Rules
10 CCR 2505-5 1.020.3.6 County Administrative - Business Process Standards

Pursuant to the Administrative Procedure Act, Title 24, Article 4, of the Colorado Revised Statutes, and Section 25.5-1-108, C.R.S., I, Kim Bimestefer, Executive Director of the Colorado Department of Health Care Policy and Financing, promulgate the following rules to become effective on September 1, 2025

New Permanent Rules - Adopted as Presented

1.020 COUNTY ADMINISTRATIVE: The following subsections have been adopted as presented.

- 1.020.6
- 1.020.6.a
- 1.020.6.a.i
- 1.020.6.a.i.a
- 1.020.6.a.ii
- 1.020.6.a.iii
- 1.020.6.a.iv
- 1.020.6.a.v
- 1.020.6.a.vii
- 1.020.6.b
- 1.020.6.b.ii
- 1.020.6.b.iii
- 1.020.6.c
- 1.020.6.c.i
- 1.020.6.c.iv
- 1.020.6.c.v
- 1.020.6.e

New Permanent Rules - Amended and Adopted



1.010 FINANCE AND ACCOUNTING: The following subsections have been adopted with the amendments indicated based on the Executive Director's review of the rule and consideration of public written comment and public testimony.

- 1.010.1 The "Business Process Standards" definition was adopted with the amendments indicated to clarify the County Department's role and to remove language around best practices.

1.020 COUNTY ADMINISTRATIVE: The following subsections have been adopted with the amendments indicated based on the Executive Director's review of the rule and consideration of public written comment and public testimony.

- 1.020.3.6.a.vi The phrase "joint analysis" was amended to "joint data review" by the Executive Director.
- 1.020.3.6.c.ii This subsection on identifying opportunities to improve efficiencies was added by the Executive Director in response to public comments after the Executive Director declined to adopt the rule on unavailability of funding, as noted below.
- 1.020.3.6.c.iii This subsection on soliciting input and feedback on strategies from County Departments was added by the Executive Director in response to public comments after the Executive Director declined to adopt the rule on unavailability of funding, as noted below.
- 1.020.3.6.d This subsection concerning term-limited waivers for County Departments was amended by the Executive Director to clarify language after the Executive Director declined to adopt the notification requirements, as noted below.

New Permanent Rules - Rejected

1.020 COUNTY ADMINISTRATIVE: The Executive Director declined to adopt the indicated portions of the following rules based on the Executive Director's review of the rule and consideration of public written comment and public testimony.

- 1.020.3.6.b.i The July 1, 2027 start date for Business Process Standards was rejected by the Executive Director
- 1.020.3.6.c.ii The subsection concerning unavailability of funding was rejected by the Executive Director (Note: this subsection was misnumbered as "v." in the fourth version of the rule version published before the public hearing.)
- 1.020.3.6.d The Executive Director declined to adopt the waiver notification requirements in this subsection.

For questions regarding this Statement of Adoption, please contact us at hcpf_countyrelations@state.co.us

