

**PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT[641]**

**Notice of Intended Action**

**Proposing rulemaking related to emergency medical services—air medical service program authorization and providing an opportunity for public comment**

The Department of Public Health hereby proposes to rescind Chapter 144, “Emergency Medical Services—Air Medical Service Program Authorization,” Iowa Administrative Code.

*Legal Authority for Rulemaking*

This rulemaking is proposed under the authority provided in Iowa Code section 147A.4.

*State or Federal Law Implemented*

This rulemaking implements, in whole or in part, Iowa Code chapter 147A.

*Purpose and Summary*

This rulemaking is a result of Executive Order 10. This proposed rulemaking rescinds and reserves Chapter 144. The content of 641—Chapters 132 and 144 are proposed to be combined into a single Chapter 132 in another rulemaking herein (ARC 8721C, IAB 1/8/24). It is not necessary to have a separate chapter for air medical services. Combining the two chapters is congruent with the intent of Executive Order 10.

*Regulatory Analysis*

A Regulatory Analysis for this rulemaking was published in the Iowa Administrative Bulletin on October 16, 2024. A public hearing was held on the following date(s):

- November 7, 2024

*Fiscal Impact*

This rulemaking has no fiscal impact to the State of Iowa.

*Jobs Impact*

After analysis and review of this rulemaking, no impact on jobs has been found.

*Waivers*

This chapter is being rescinded, so there is no waiver provision.

*Public Comment*

Any interested person may submit written or oral comments concerning this proposed rulemaking, which must be received by the Department no later than 4:30 p.m. on January 29, 2025. Comments should be directed to:

Victoria L. Daniels  
Department of Health and Human Services  
Lucas State Office Building  
321 East 12th Street  
Des Moines, Iowa 50319  
Phone: 515.829.6021  
Email: [compliance@hhs.iowa.gov](mailto:compliance@hhs.iowa.gov)

*Public Hearing*

Public hearings at which persons may present their views orally or in writing will be held as follows:

January 28, 2025 1 to 2 p.m.	Microsoft Teams Meeting ID: 222 847 169 42 Passcode: d7aG7cR9
January 29, 2025 10 to 11 a.m.	Microsoft Teams Meeting ID: 243 840 908 594 Passcode: a7Jg78UJ

Persons who wish to make oral comments at a public hearing may be asked to state their names for the record and to confine their remarks to the subject of this proposed rulemaking.

Any persons who intend to attend a public hearing and have special requirements, such as those related to hearing or mobility impairments, should contact the Department and advise of specific needs.

*Review by Administrative Rules Review Committee*

The Administrative Rules Review Committee, a bipartisan legislative committee which oversees rulemaking by executive branch agencies, may, on its own motion or on written request by any individual or group, review this rulemaking at its [regular monthly meeting](#) or at a special meeting. The Committee's meetings are open to the public, and interested persons may be heard as provided in Iowa Code section 17A.8(6).

The following rulemaking action is proposed:

ITEM 1. Rescind and reserve **641—Chapter 144**.