

AHCCCS REGULATORY AGENDA FOR CALENDAR YEAR 2022

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NOTE: Currently, AHCCCS is not engaging in informal or formal rulemaking activities, except where approved by the Governor's Office, in compliance with Governor Douglas A. Ducey’s Executive Order 2021-02, which declares a rule moratorium. Information about Public Notices and comment periods are available on AHCCCS’s website <https://www.azahcccs.gov/PlansProviders/CurrentProviders/State/proposedrules.html>.

AHCCCS has listed the dates it currently anticipates the actions to be taken but may change the dates as necessary.

I. Rulemakings Expected to Be Underway in 2022

Citation	Notice of Docket Opening (Anticipated)	Notice of Proposed Rulemaking (Anticipated)	Notice of Final Rulemaking to GRRC (Anticipated)	Federal Funding	Summary
R9-22-Article 20	1/3/2022	1/3/2022	3/1/2022	Yes, partial.	Following the Administration’s 5YRR of Article 22 in May 2021, clarifying updates need to be made. Due to an update in the federal regulations of breast and cervical cancer regulations, AHCCCS must update in regulations accordingly.
R9-22-Article 10, R9-28-Article 9	2/1/2022	2/1/2022	4/1/2022	Yes, partial.	Following the Administration’s 5YRRs of Articles 10 & 9 in prior years, clarifying updates need to be made. In addition, federal regulations that correspond to the Administration’s third-party liability regulations have been change and the Administration’s regulations will be changed to align with them.
R9-Chapter 31	5/1/2022	5/1/2022	7/1/2021	Yes, partial.	Following the Administration’s 5YRR of Article 31 in prior years, clarifying updates need to be made. Chapter 31 contains the Administration’s regulations pertaining to the Children’s Health Insurance Program and KidsCare.
R9-22-730	6/1/2022	6/1/2022	Exempt	Yes, partial.	A.R.S. § 36-2901.08 authorizes the Administration to establish, administer and collect an assessment on hospital revenues, discharges or bed days for funding a portion of the nonfederal share of the costs incurred beginning January 1, 2014, associated with eligible persons added to the program by A.R.S. §§ 36-2901.01 and 36-2901.07. The assessments are updated annually.

R9-22-712.35, R9-22-712.61, R9-22-712.71	6/1/2022	6/1/2022	7/20/2022	Yes, partial.	The DAP is amended annually and specifies requirements for receipt of DAP for qualifying hospitals for both inpatient and outpatient services for the time period of October 1, 2021 through September 30, 2022.
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II. Reviews of Existing Rules Due in 2022

5-Year Review Due	Rules being reviewed
January 28, 2022	R9-22-Articles 6 & 7, R9-22-Articles 6 & 7
November 28, 2022	R9-22-Articles 2 & 10, R9-28-Articles 1, 2 & 9, R9-Chapter 29
December 28, 2022	R9-22-Article 5, R9-28-Article 5

III. Rulemakings Terminated in 2021

Not applicable at this time.

IV. Privatization Options and Other Nontraditional Regulatory Approaches Being Considered

Not applicable at this time.