## TITLE 405 OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF FAMILY AND SOCIAL SERVICES

## Notice of Intent to Adopt a Rule

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Under <u>IC 4-22-2-23</u>, the Office of the Secretary of Family and Social Services intends to adopt a rule concerning the following:

**OVERVIEW:** Amends 405 IAC 5-3-9 to provide for prior authorization of a nursing facility admission after services have begun in certain situations. Amends 405 IAC 5-3-10 to add nursing facilities to the list of providers who may submit prior authorization requests. Amends 405 IAC 5-3-13 to add nursing facility admissions and continued stays to the list of Medicaid services requiring prior authorization. Amends 405 IAC 5-31-1 to specify that prior authorization of a nursing facility admission or continued stay is required for Medicaid reimbursement. Adds 405 IAC 5-31-8.1 to define continued stay and to establish the prior authorization process for admission to a nursing facility or a continued stay. Repeals 405 IAC 1-1-7 and 405 IAC 1-4.1. Statutory authority: IC 12-8-6-5; IC 12-15-1-10; IC 12-15-21-3.

For purposes of IC 4-22-2-28.1, the Small Business Regulatory Coordinator for this rule is:

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