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

**Notice of Intent to Adopt a Rule**

LSA Document #13-497

Under [IC 4-22-2-23](#), the Office of the Secretary of Family and Social Services intends to adopt a rule concerning the following:

**OVERVIEW:** Amends [405 IAC 1-1.5-1](#) to add presumptive eligibility determinations to the list of appealable actions. Adds [405 IAC 2-3.3](#) to allow hospitals to make presumptive eligibility determinations and include criteria for monitoring and sanctioning nonperforming hospitals. Comments and questions may be addressed to the Small Business Regulatory Coordinator for this rule. Statutory authority: [IC 12-15-2.3-12](#); [IC 12-15-21](#).

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

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For purposes of [IC 4-22-2-28.1](#), the Small Business Ombudsman designated by [IC 5-28-17-5](#) is:

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Resources available to regulated entities through the small business ombudsman include the ombudsman's duties stated in [IC 5-28-17-5](#), specifically [IC 5-28-17-5\(9\)](#), investigating and attempting to resolve any matter regarding compliance by a small business with a law, rule, or policy administered by a state agency, either as a party to a proceeding or as a mediator.

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