

## IDAPA 18 – IDAHO DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE

### 18.04.08 – INDIVIDUAL DISABILITY AND GROUP SUPPLEMENTAL DISABILITY INSURANCE MINIMUM STANDARDS RULE

DOCKET NO. 18-0408-1901

#### NOTICE OF INTENT TO PROMULGATE RULES – NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Sections 67-5220(1) and 67-5220(2), Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency intends to promulgate rules and desires public comment prior to initiating formal rulemaking procedures. This negotiated rulemaking action is authorized pursuant to Sections 41-211 and 41-4207, Idaho Code.

**MEETING SCHEDULE:** A public meeting on the negotiated rulemaking will be held as follows:

#### PUBLIC MEETING

**Wednesday, August 14, 2019 at 10:00 a.m.**

**Idaho Department of Insurance  
700 W. State Street — 3rd Floor  
Boise, ID 83720**

The meeting site will be accessible to persons with disabilities, if needed. Requests for accommodation must be made not later than five (5) days prior to the meeting to the agency address below.

**METHOD OF PARTICIPATION:** Interested persons wishing to participate in the negotiated rulemaking must respond to this notice by contacting the agency either in writing (paper or email) or by calling the phone number listed below, and/or by attending the public meeting.

Upon conclusion of the negotiated rulemaking, any unresolved issues, all key issues considered, and conclusion reached during the negotiated rulemaking will be addressed in a written summary. The summary will be made available to interested persons who contact the agency or, if the agency chooses, the summary may be posted on the agency website.

**DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY AND STATEMENT OF PURPOSE:** The following is a statement in nontechnical language of the substance and purpose of the intended negotiated rulemaking and the principal issues involved:

This rule provides standards for various individual disability and group supplemental disability policies. This rulemaking seeks to fix confusing pre-existing condition language, remove limited benefit coverage type, make other clarifications and restructure sections in order to clarify which benefits apply to which type of coverage.

**ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS, SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS, OBTAINING DRAFT COPIES:** For assistance on technical questions concerning this negotiated rulemaking contact Weston Trexler at [weston.trexler@doi.idaho.gov](mailto:weston.trexler@doi.idaho.gov), or (208) 334-4315. Materials pertaining to the negotiated rulemaking, including any available preliminary rule drafts, can be found on the Idaho Department of Insurance web site at the following web address: <https://doi.idaho.gov>.

Anyone may submit written comments regarding this negotiated rulemaking. All written comments must be directed to the undersigned and must be delivered on or before August 30, 2019.

Dated this 2nd day of July, 2019.

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