

WMC Public Meetings



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September - 2024

26 - Policy Committee

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2024- 2025 Respiratory Virus
Season*

30 - Addressing Vaccine Hesitancy in
Rural Communities: Part One*

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11 - WMC Offices Closed

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05 - Policy: Interested Parties

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02 - Policy Committee

09 - Personal Appearances

10 - WMC Business Meeting

30 - Policy: Interested Parties

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The WMC will hold two Rules Hearings on Friday, October 11, 2024:

1. Regarding military spouse temporary practice permits, [WAC 246-918-076](#) (physician assistants) and [WAC 246-919-397](#) (physicians). Begins at 9:15 am. The CR-102, Proposed Rulemaking, filed as [WSR #24-18-041](#) on August 27, 2024, includes the proposed language.
2. Regarding general provisions for opioid prescribing and tapering rules for allopathic physicians and physician assistants. Begins at 9:45 am (CORRECTED TIME). The Supplemental CR-102, Proposed Rulemaking, filed as [WSR #24-18-091](#) on August 30, 2024, includes the proposed language.

The comment period for both rules will expire on October 4, 2024, at 11:59 pm. If you would like to provide comments, [you may do so here](#).

These hearings will be held in conjunction with the WMC's Business meeting, which will begin after the last hearing is adjourned or 10:15 am, whichever is later. These meetings will be held [virtually via Teams](#).