

**RHODE ISLAND GOVERNMENT REGISTER  
PUBLIC NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULEMAKING**

**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH**

**Title of Rule:** Certification of Health Plans (216-RICR-40-10-21)

**Rule Identifier:** 216-RICR-40-10-21

**Rulemaking Action:** Direct Final Repeal

**Important Dates:**

Date of Public Notice: 09/10/2018

End of Public Comment: 10/11/2018

**Authority for this Rulemaking:**

R.I. Gen. Laws §§ 23-17-13, 7-41, and 23-27-18, as amended

**Summary of Rulemaking Action:**

RIDOH is proposing to repeal these regulations because the statutory authority under which they were created has been repealed and transferred to the Rhode Island Office of the Health Insurance Commissioner.

**Additional Information and Comments:**

If no formal objection is received on or before October 11, 2018, Department of Health will file the Repeal without opportunity for public comment..

Objections should be addressed to:

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**Regulatory Analysis Summary and Supporting Documentation:**

In the development of the proposed repeal, consideration was given to: 1) alternative approaches; 2) overlap or duplication with other statutory and regulatory provisions; and 3) significant economic impact on small business. No alternative approach, duplication, or overlap was identified based on available information. RIDOH has determined that the benefits of the proposed repeal justify the costs of the proposed repeal.

For full regulatory analysis or supporting documentation see agency contact person above.