

**TITLE 17. DIVISION 1.  
CHAPTER 14, ARTICLE 1, SECTIONS 40100.  
Regulations Package Title**

**FINAL STATEMENT OF REASONS**

The information contained in the Initial Statement of Reasons at the time of Public Notice remains unchanged. As authorized by Government Code Section 11346.9(d), the California Department of Public Health (Department) incorporates by reference the Initial Statement of Reasons prepared for this rulemaking.

The regulation text was made available for public comment for at least 45 days, from April 7, 2023 through May 22, 2023. There was no request for a Public Hearing, and no public comments were received.

No changes were necessary to the Initial Statement of Reasons following the 45-day public comment period.

**Local Mandate Determination:**

The Department has determined that the regulations do not impose a mandate on local agencies or school districts, nor are there any costs for which reimbursement is required by Part 7 (commencing with Section 17500) of Division 4 of the Government Code, nor are there any other non-discretionary costs imposed.

**Impact on Business:**

The Department has determined that the regulations would not have a significant statewide adverse economic impact directly affecting business, including the ability of California businesses to compete with businesses in other states.

**Alternatives Determination:**

In accordance with Government Code Section 11346.5(a)(13), no reasonable alternative considered by CCLHO or that has otherwise been identified and brought to the attention of CCLHO would be more effective in carrying out the purpose for which the action is proposed; would be as effective and less burdensome to affected private persons than the proposed action; or, would be more cost-effective to affected private persons and equally effective in implementing the statutory policy or other provision of law.