

Final Cost-Benefit Analysis

Employer Address Changes

Introduction

Pursuant to RCW 34.05.328, the Employment Security Department (Department) hereby analyzes the costs and benefits of amending and permanently adopting rules regarding public health emergencies.

Costs

No costs are anticipated. The purpose of the rulemaking is to provide guidance to employers on when they should notify the Department of an address change. Employers are already required to keep their information up to date with the Department under RCW 50.12.070. The rule does not include a penalty for failure to comply.

Benefits

The proposed rulemaking will provide guidance for employers on when to notify the Department of an address change. This will help ensure that the Department has up-to-date contact information for employers and that employers receive mailed notices and correspondence from the Department.

Conclusion

The proposed rulemaking will help ensure that the Department has current address information for employers without imposing costs on employers.