



## PUBLIC HEARING

### REGULATIONS FOR THE ISSUANCE OF IDENTIFICATION CARDS TO SENIOR CITIZENS AND PERSONS WITH FUNCTIONAL DIVERSITY


Pursuant to Act No. 108 of July 12, 1985, Act No. 107 of July 3, 1998, as well as Act No. 38-2017, known as the Uniform Administrative Procedure Act of the Government of Puerto Rico, the Secretary of Health intends to repeal Regulation 6143 of May 8, 2000, and adopt a new Regulation for the Issuance of Identification Cards to Senior Citizens and Persons with Disabilities. The proposed regulation is intended to modernize and clarify the procedure for the elderly and persons with functional diversity to obtain their identification card for the enjoyment of the rights granted by law.

The proposed regulation is published on the website of the Department of Health: <http://www.salud.pr.gov/> or by accessing it through the QR code included in this notice. Public is invited to submit their comments or recommendations within thirty (30) days from the date of publication of this notice, to the following address [a.ruiz@salud.pr.gov](mailto:a.ruiz@salud.pr.gov) or by mail addressed to the Department of Health, Office of Legal Advisors, PO Box 70184, San Juan, P.R. 00936-8184. To present your comments in person or request a copy of the proposed regulation, visit the Office of Legal Advisors of the Department of Health located in Building A, old Psychiatric Hospital, Medical Center, Río Piedras, from Monday to Friday from 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

A virtual public hearing will be held on **August 16, 2024, at 10:00 a.m.** Anyone interested in participating must register by accessing the following web page: [www.bit.ly/TarjetasID](http://www.bit.ly/TarjetasID) or by accessing through the QR code included in this notice. After registration, you will receive an invitation to connect to the virtual public hearing.

In San Juan, Puerto Rico, on July 31, 2024.

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