## Proposed Uniform Application Changes

At the request of the NAIC Producer License Task Force, the NIPR team met and discussed the uniform application changes that are under consideration by the Committee.  The application changes were broken out and estimated on an individual basis (Appendix A).  The total number of hours that NIPR estimates it will take to complete all changes fall into the following range in hours:

| Application Type | Low Range Hours | High Range Hours |
|---|---|---|
| **Individual** | 3,673 | 7,850 |
| **Business Entity** | 449 | 2,865 |
| **Total Hours** | **4,122** | **10,715** |

The results of that exercise are included in the next sections.

**Work Estimates:**

The team met, reviewed the requested changes, and determined that each change could impact up to eleven products across six teams.  The hours estimated included analyzing, developing, and delivering the work to production and working with state and industry customers to coordinate the change.  The estimates do not reflect the amount of effort and work each state or back-office vendor would need to complete to be prepared for these changes.  The greatest amount of effort for NIPR involved changes to the application where the credentialing transaction is sent to NIPR by the customers and consumed by the states.

To arrive at the estimated hours, the team sized each change into T-Shirt sizes.  Those sizes were then broken down into a range of hours necessary to complete.  The Shirt Size to Hours table in Appendix B was used to calculate the hours.  These hours can be worked in parallel by different teams and the hours reflected in the estimate should not be considered to have to happen linearly.

**Implementation Timeline:**

NIPR believes with the current road map and initiatives that are in progress, the best time for implementation will be in October 2025 – February 2026 with being ready for Production between March – May 2026 depending on state and customer implementations.

Appendix A:


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Appendix B:

| Shirt Size to Hours | | |
|---|---|---|
| **T-Shirt Size** | **Minimum Hours** | **Maximum Hours** |
| **Small** | 1 | 50 |
| **Medium** | 51 | 100 |
| **Large** | 101 | 200 |
| **X-Large** | 201+ | |