

2025 Fall National Meeting Hollywood, Florida

REGULATORY FRAMEWORK (B) TASK FORCE

Wednesday, December 10, 2025 12:00 – 1:00 p.m.

Meeting Summary Report

The Regulatory Framework (B) Task Force met Dec. 10, 2025. During this meeting, the Task Force:

- 1. Adopted its Summer National Meeting minutes.
- 2. Adopted its Oct. 20 and Sept. 22 minutes. During these meetings, the Task Force took the following action:
 - A. Discussed the Aug. 19 comments received on the July 28 draft of the *Prior Authorization White Paper*.
 - B. Adopted its 2026 proposed charges and the 2026 proposed charges of its working groups.
- 3. Adopted the Prior Authorization White Paper.
- 4. Adopted the report of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act (ERISA) (B) Working Group. The ERISA Preemption Post Rutledge Drafting Group has been meeting every other week to work on a guidance paper for state insurance regulators.
- 5. Adopted the report of the Mental Health Parity and Addiction Equity Act (MHPAEA) (B) Working Group, which met Dec. 10. During this meeting, the Working Group:
 - A. Heard presentations from Arizona and New Mexico on their development and use of reporting templates.
 - B. Adjourned into regulator-to-regulator session, pursuant to paragraph 8 (consideration of strategic planning issues) of the NAIC Policy Statement on Open Meetings.
- 6. Adopted the report of the Prescription Drug Coverage (B) Working Group, which met Dec. 9. During this meeting, the Working Group took the following action:
 - A. Adopted its Summer National Meeting minutes.
 - B. Heard a presentation from The INS Companies on prescription drug formulary development and design, as well as specialty prescription drugs.
- 7. Heard a presentation from the National Committee for Quality Assurance (NCQA) on updates to its 2026 utilization management (UM) standards.
- 8. Received an update on the work of the ERISA (B) Working Group on its development of guidance on pharmacy benefit manager (PBM) ERISA issues and its development of guidance on level-funded plans and other alternative arrangements potentially impacting the small group market.