

**OFFICE OF PERSONNEL  
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**Regulatory Agenda**

**AGENCY:** Office of Personnel Management.

**ACTION:** Semiannual Regulatory Agenda.

**SUMMARY:** The following Office of Personnel Management (OPM) regulations are scheduled for development or review during the next year. This agenda carries out OPM’s responsibilities to publish a semiannual agenda under Executive Order 12866, “Regulatory Planning and Review,” and the Regulatory Flexibility Act (5 U.S.C. chapter 6). This publication does not

impose a binding obligation on OPM with regard to any specific item on the agenda. Regulatory action in addition to the items listed is not precluded.

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OFFICE OF PERSONNEL MANAGEMENT—FINAL RULE STAGE

Sequence No.	Title	Regulation Identifier No.
397 .....	Requirements Related to Surprise Billing; Part II .....	3206–AO29

**OFFICE OF PERSONNEL  
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Final Rule Stage

**397. Requirements Related to Surprise Billing; Part II**

*Legal Authority:* Pub. L. 116–260, Division BB, title I and title II

*Abstract:* This joint interim final rule with comment with the Departments of Health and Human Services, Labor, and Treasury would implement additional protections against surprise medical

bills under the No Surprises Act, including provisions related to the independent dispute resolution processes.

*Timetable:*

Action	Date	FR Cite
Interim Final Rule	10/07/21	86 FR 55980
Interim Final Rule Effective.	10/07/21	
Interim Final Rule Comment Period End.	12/06/21	

*Regulatory Flexibility Analysis Required: Yes.*

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