



Ohio Board of Nursing

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PUBLIC NOTICE

The Ohio Board of Nursing (Board) will conduct a public hearing on Wednesday, November 15, 2006 beginning at 1:00 p.m. and continuing until all parties in attendance have had an opportunity to be heard. The hearing will be held at the Board offices, 17 South High Street, Suite 400, Columbus, Ohio 43215.

The Board is proposing to amend the following existing rules: 4723-5-01, Definitions; 4723-5-02, General information; 4723-5-02, Change of control of a nursing education program; 4723-5-04, Procedure for board determination of a program's approval status; 4723-5-05, Program reports to the board; 4723-5-06, Survey visits, reports, and response by the administrator of a program to a survey visit report; 4723-5-13, Curriculum for a professional nursing education program; 4723-5-14, Curriculum for a practical nursing education program; 4723-5-15, Evaluation plan of the program; 4723-5-16, Board approval of a curriculum revision; 4723-5-17, Program contractual relationships; 4723-5-19, Responsibilities of faculty teaching a nursing course; 4723-5-21, Program records; 4723-5-24, Closure of a program; 4723-13-01, Definitions; 4723-13-05, Criteria and standards for a licensed nurse delegating to a trained unlicensed person; 4723-13-06, Minimum curriculum requirements for teaching a delegable nursing task; 4723-13-07, Supervision of the performance of a delegable nursing task performed by a trained unlicensed person; 4723-14-01, Definitions; 4723-14-04, Determining the continuing education credit; 4723-14-05, Educational activities that do and do not meet the continuing education requirement; 4723-14-06, Proof of completion of continuing education; 4723-14-07, Verification of compliance of the continuing education requirements; 4723-14-09, Process to obtain initial approval as an OBN approver; 4723-14-10, Reapproval of an OBN approver; 4723-14-11, Withdrawal of OBN approver status; 4723-14-12, OBN approver policies and statements; 4723-14-13, Reports to the board by an OBN approver; 4723-14-14, OBN approval of a continuing education provider; 4723-14-16, Standards for approval of an independent study continuing education activity; 4723-14-17, Standards for approval of the total continuing education program of a provider unit; 4723-14-18, Termination of approval activities; 4723-18-01, Definitions; 4723-18-02, Process and criteria to use when identifying an individual's practice deficiency; 4723-18-04, Provisions of the participatory agreement for the practice intervention and improvement program (PIIP); 4723-18-05, Grounds for termination from the practice intervention and improvement program (PIIP); 4723-18-06, Requirements for educational providers offering remediation for the practice intervention and improvement program (PIIP); 4723-18-07, Standards and procedures for prescribing an educational intervention for purposes of remediation through the practice intervention and improvement program (PIIP); 4723-18-08, Standards and procedures for workplace monitoring of remediation in the practice intervention and improvement program (PIIP); 4723-18-09, Terms and conditions a participant must meet to successfully complete the practice intervention and improvement program (PIIP).

The Board is proposing to rescind the following existing rules: 4723-5-07, Continued compliance with the minimum standards; 4723-5-08, Proposed programs and requirements for a program with conditional approval; 4723-5-09, Organization and administration of the program; 4723-5-10, Qualifications of administrative, faculty, and instructional personnel for a

professional nursing education program; 4723-5-11, Qualifications of administrative, faculty, and instructional personnel for a practical nursing education program; 4723-5-12, Program policies; 4723-5-18, Supervision of a nursing student; 4723-5-20, Responsibilities of faculty and instructional personnel in a clinical setting; 4723-5-22, Nursing student exemption from licensure; 4723-5-23, Licensure examination; 4723-7-01, The examination for licensure as a nurse; 4723-7-02, Admission to the licensure examination for a graduate of a nursing education program approved by a jurisdiction; 4723-7-03, Admission to a licensure examination for a foreign educated nurse graduate; 4723-7-04, Administration of examination; 4723-7-05, Action upon examination results; 4723-7-06, Registered nurse licensure by endorsement; 4723-7-07, Practical nurse licensure by endorsement; 4723-7-09, Original certificate and license; 4723-7-10, Replacement of documents issued by the board; 4723-7-11, Licensure renewal; 4723-13-02, General information; 4723-13-03, Prohibitions; 4723-13-04, Conditions for delegation of medication administration; 4723-14-02, General information; 4723-14-03, Meeting the continuing education requirement for renewal by nurses; 4723-14-08, General requirements for an Ohio board of nursing (OBN) approver; 4723-14-15, Standards for approval of a faculty-directed continuing education activity; 4723-18-03, Eligibility requirements for participation in the practice intervention and improvement program.

The Board is proposing to adopt the following new rules: 4723-5-08, Requirements for a program seeking conditional approval; 4723-5-09, Organization and administration of the program; 4723-5-10, Qualifications of administrative, faculty, and instructional personnel for a registered nursing education program; 4723-5-11, Qualifications for administrative, faculty, and instructional personnel in a practical nursing education program; 4723-5-12, Program policies; 4723-5-20, Responsibilities of faculty and instructional personnel in a clinical setting; 4723-5-23, Program NCLEX rates; 4723-7-01, Definitions; 4723-7-02, Requirements and application for licensure by examination as a nurse; 4723-7-03, Authorization to test, accommodations, retesting, and notification; 4723-7-04, Requirements for licensure for foreign educated nurse graduates; 4723-7-05, Registered nurse licensure by endorsement; 4723-7-06, Practical nurse licensure by endorsement; 4723-7-07, Original certificate and license; 4723-7-08, Replacement of documents issued by the board; 4723-7-09, Licensure renewal; 4723-13-02, General information; 4723-13-03, Prohibitions; 4723-14-02, Military duty exception; 4723-14-03, Continuing education requirement for licensed nurses; 4723-14-08, General requirements for an Ohio board of nursing (OBN) approver; 4723-14-15, Approval of a faculty-directed continuing education activity; 4723-18-03, Eligibility requirements for participation in the practice intervention and improvement program.

Individuals intending to testify are encouraged to pre-register by sending an email to law-rules@nursing.ohio.gov or writing to:

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Witnesses who pre-register will be permitted to testify before those who have not pre-registered. Testimony presented during the hearing or submitted to Ms. Houchen will be considered by the Board at its meeting on November 16-17, 2006. A copy of the proposed rules referenced above may be obtained at the Board's website, www.nursing.ohio.gov, or from the Ohio Register, www.registerofohio.state.oh.us.

