

## ADMINISTRATIVE RULES Fiscal Estimate & Economic Impact Analysis

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1. Type of Estimate and Analysis

Original    Updated    Corrected

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2. Administrative Rule Chapter, Title and Number

N 5 and 6

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3. Subject

Renewal, reinstatement and standards of practice

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4. Fund Sources Affected

GPR    FED    PRO    PRS    SEG    SEG-S

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5. Chapter 20, Stats. Appropriations Affected

20.165(1)(g)

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6. Fiscal Effect of Implementing the Rule

No Fiscal Effect    Increase Existing Revenues    Increase Costs  
 Indeterminate    Decrease Existing Revenues    Could Absorb Within Agency's Budget  
 Decrease Cost

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7. The Rule Will Impact the Following (Check All That Apply)

State's Economy    Specific Businesses/Sectors  
 Local Government Units    Public Utility Rate Payers  
 Small Businesses **(if checked, complete Attachment A)**

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8. Would Implementation and Compliance Costs Be Greater Than \$20 million?

Yes    No

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9. Policy Problem Addressed by the Rule

The current renewal chapter contains rules which are inconsistent with current practices for renewal and included outdated references. The proposed rule recognizes modern practices, technologies and procedures, removed obsolete references and corrected inconsistencies with statutes as well as relocated the chapter to be a subchapter of the licensure chapter which is more logical. The standards of practice chapter is being updated to current nursing standards and practice.

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10. Summary of the businesses, business sectors, associations representing business, local governmental units, and individuals that may be affected by the proposed rule that were contacted for comments.

This rule was posted for economic comments for 14 days and none were received.

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11. Identify the local governmental units that participated in the development of this EIA.

None. This does not affect local governmental units.

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12. Summary of Rule's Economic and Fiscal Impact on Specific Businesses, Business Sectors, Public Utility Rate Payers, Local Governmental Units and the State's Economy as a Whole (Include Implementation and Compliance Costs Expected to be Incurred)

This rule will not have an economic affect specific businesses, business sectors, public utility rate payers, local governmental units or the state's economy as a whole.

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13. Benefits of Implementing the Rule and Alternative(s) to Implementing the Rule

The benefits to implementing the rule are to create clarity and reflect current standards and practices.

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14. Long Range Implications of Implementing the Rule

The long range implication of implementing the rule is to have chapters which are up-to-date.

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15. Compare With Approaches Being Used by Federal Government

None

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16. Compare With Approaches Being Used by Neighboring States (Illinois, Iowa, Michigan and Minnesota)

**Illinois:** A license within 5 years of expiration is renewed by paying a fee and completion of 20 hours of continuing education. After 5 years a license is renewed by evidence of active practice in another state and completion of an approved licensure examination. A LPN accepts delegated acts from a RN, APN, or a physician assistant, physician,

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dentist or podiatrist. A delegated act, to or by an RN, is not distinguished as a medical or nursing delegated act. Practice as a RN means the full scope of nursing for which the registered nurse is properly trained.

**Iowa:** A license is renewed by paying a fee, attesting that Iowa is the primary state of residence and completion of continuing education and mandatory reporter training. RN minimum standards do not include practices ascribed to the advanced registered nurse practitioner. In executing the medical regimen prescribed, the RN shall notify the physician. A RN may delegate nursing tasks. An LPN shall perform services under the supervision of a RN or physician and may not perform any activity requiring the knowledge and skill ascribed to a RN.

**Michigan:** A license is renewed by payment of paying fees and completion of continuing education. Only a RN may delegate nursing acts, functions or tasks.

**Minnesota:** A license is renewed by paying a fee and completion of continuing education. Minnesota has a definition of delegation referring to the transfer of authority to another nurse or competent, unlicensed assistive person to perform a specific nursing task or activity in a specific situation. A LPN performs nursing standards at the direction of a registered nurse, advanced practice registered nurse or other licensed health care provider. A RN performs nursing standards recognized by the board. A RN receives delegations from a licensed health care provider and delegates nursing tasks. There is not a definition for health care provider.

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