

Report From Agency

**STATE OF WISCONSIN
BOARD OF NURSING**

**IN THE MATTER OF RULEMAKING :
PROCEEDINGS BEFORE THE : REPORT TO THE LEGISLATURE
BOARD OF NURSING : CR 18-050**

I. THE PROPOSED RULE:

The proposed rule, including the analysis and text, is attached.

II. REFERENCE TO APPLICABLE FORMS: n/a

III. FISCAL ESTIMATE AND EIA:

The Fiscal Estimate and EIA is attached.

IV. DETAILED STATEMENT EXPLAINING THE BASIS AND PURPOSE OF THE PROPOSED RULE, INCLUDING HOW THE PROPOSED RULE ADVANCES RELEVANT STATUTORY GOALS OR PURPOSES:

Advanced practice nurse prescribers are required to work in collaboration with other health care professions with at least one being a physician. As health care practice evolves, advanced practice nurse prescribers, particularly certified registered nurse anesthetists, are working in dental practice settings. Stakeholders approached the Board of Nursing with a concern about dental patient access to care being impeded by the current physician collaboration requirement and requested that dentists be specified in ch. N 8 along with physicians as a type of health care professional that meets the collaboration requirement.

V. SUMMARY OF PUBLIC COMMENTS AND THE BOARD'S RESPONSES, EXPLANATION OF MODIFICATIONS TO PROPOSED RULES PROMPTED BY PUBLIC COMMENTS:

The Board of Nursing held a public hearing on December 13, 2018. No one testified or provided written comments.

VI. RESPONSE TO LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS:

All of the recommendations suggested in the Clearinghouse Report have been accepted in whole.

VII. REPORT FROM THE SBRRB AND FINAL REGULATORY FLEXIBILITY ANALYSIS:

This proposed rule does not have an economic impact on small businesses, as defined in s. 227.114 (1), Stats.