

**Report From Agency**

**STATE OF WISCONSIN  
MASSAGE THERAPY AND BODYWORK THERAPY AFFILIATED  
CREDENTIALING BOARD**

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<b>IN THE MATTER OF RULEMAKING</b>	<b>:</b>	<b>REPORT TO THE LEGISLATURE</b>
<b>PROCEEDINGS BEFORE THE</b>	<b>:</b>	<b>CR 19-101</b>
<b>MASSAGE THERAPY AND</b>	<b>:</b>	
<b>BODYWORK THERAPY</b>	<b>:</b>	
<b>AFFILIATED CREDENTIALING</b>	<b>:</b>	
<b>BOARD</b>	<b>:</b>	

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**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:**

Section MTBT 5.04 is revised to comply with s. 440.03 (4m), Stats., as created by 2017 Wisconsin Act 59. Under this provision, the Board may require a credential holder to submit proof of completing continuing education programs or courses only if a complaint is made against the credential holder. Other provisions throughout ch. MTBT 5 have been revised to ensure consistency with current standards for drafting style and format and applicable Wisconsin statutes.

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

The Massage Therapy and Bodywork Affiliated Credentialing Board held a public hearing on September 3, 2019. The Board did not receive any written comments or testimony concerning the proposed rules.

**VI. RESPONSE TO MEDICAL EXAMINING BOARD AND LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS:**

The proposed rule was submitted to the Medical Examining Board on October 17, 2018. The Medical Examining Board had no recommendations concerning the proposed rule.

All Legislative Council recommendations have been incorporated into the proposed rules.

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

N/A