

ADMINISTRATIVE RULES Fiscal Estimate & Economic Impact Analysis

1. Type of Estimate and Analysis

Original Updated Corrected

2. Administrative Rule Chapter, Title and Number

Phar 17

3. Subject

Pharmacy Internship

4. Fund Sources Affected

GPR FED PRO PRS SEG SEG-S

5. Chapter 20, Stats. Appropriations Affected

20.165(1)(g)

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

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)**

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

Yes No

9. Policy Problem Addressed by the Rule

The Pharmacy Examining Board did a comprehensive review of chapter Phar 17 to ensure the chapter is statutorily compliant and current with professional standards and practices.

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 impact comments and none were received.

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

None

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)

There is no economic or fiscal impact on specific businesses, business sectors, public utility rate payers, local governmental units or the state's economy as a whole.

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

The benefit to implementing the rule is providing updated references and terminology and reflecting current pharmacy practice. If the rule is not implemented, it will continue to provide outdated references and terminology and reflect practices that are no longer current.

14. Long Range Implications of Implementing the Rule

The long range implication of implementing the rule is updated references and terminology and reflecting current pharmacy practice.

15. Compare With Approaches Being Used by Federal Government

There are no federal regulations relating to pharmacist interns.

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

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Illinois: Illinois requires approved pharmacy programs to contain a minimum of 400 hours of direct contact hours in clerkship and externship experience including supervised training in inpatient environments providing for interdisciplinary experiences with other health professionals and distributive aspects of pharmacy practice.

Iowa: In Iowa an intern is a person who is enrolled in a college of pharmacy or actively pursuing a pharmacy degree, or as otherwise provided by the board is registered for the purpose of obtaining instruction in the practice of pharmacy from a preceptor pursuant to Iowa Code section 155A.6. A licensed pharmacist must be on duty and responsible for intern during all periods of training and tasks usually restricted to a pharmacist may be delegated to interns at the discretion of the supervising pharmacist.

Michigan: Michigan requires an intern to obtain an intern license before training an intern, a licensed pharmacist must obtain board approval. The preceptor is responsible for the overall internship program at the pharmacy.

Minnesota: Minnesota requires a person to register with the board before beginning an internship. Pharmacists intending to act as preceptors for interns must also register with the board. An intern performing tasks associated with dispensing or compounding shall be immediately and directly supervised by a licensed pharmacist stationed within the same work area who has the ability to control and is responsible for the actions of the intern. Immediate and direct supervision by a licensed pharmacist is not required when the intern performs tasks that do not involve dispensing and compounding. However, all drug therapy and related recommendations that an intern proposes to make to other health professionals and patients must be reviewed and approved by a licensed pharmacist before they are made.

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