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**AGENCY REPORT TO THE  
JOINT COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE RULES (JCAR)**

**1. Agency Information**

**Agency name:**

Licensing and Regulatory Affairs

**Division/Bureau/Office:**

Bureau of Professional Licensing

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**2. Rule Set Information**

**MOAHR assigned rule set number:**

2021-96 LR

**Title of proposed rule set:**

Respiratory Care – General Rules

**3. Purpose for the proposed rules and background:**

The Respiratory Care General Rules pertain to the education, licensure, and relicensure of respiratory therapists.

The rules will be amended to review the impact of the amendment to MCL 333.16186 on applicants applying for licensure by endorsement. All rules will be reviewed and revised as needed for clarity and to provide up-to-date information.

**4. Summary of proposed rules:**

The proposed rules will eliminate definitions that are already provided in the Public Health Code, clarify the training standards for identifying victims of human trafficking, clarify the requirements for licensure by endorsement and relicensure and require that the applicant have resolved any disciplinary action taken against him or her before being licensed by endorsement or relicensed, and update accreditation standards.

**5. List names of newspapers in which the notice of public hearing was published and publication dates:**

The Flint Journal, June 28, 2022

The Grand Rapids Press, June 28, 2022

The Mining Journal, June 28, 2022

**6. Date of publication of rules and notice of public hearing in Michigan Register:**

7/15/2022

**7. Date, time, and location of public hearing:**

7/18/2022 09:00 AM at G. Mennen Williams Building Auditorium , 525 W. Ottawa Street, Lansing, Michigan

**8. Provide the link the agency used to post the regulatory impact statement and cost-benefit analysis on its website:**

<https://ARS.apps.lara.state.mi.us/Transaction/RFRTtransaction?TransactionID=1354>

**9. List of the name and title of agency representative(s) attending public hearing:**

Kerry Przybylo, Manager, Boards and Committees Section, Bureau of Professional Licensing

**10. Persons submitting comments of support:**

None.

**11. Persons submitting comments of opposition:**

None.

**12. Persons submitting other comments:**

None.

**13. Identify any changes made to the proposed rules based on comments received during the public comment period:**

	<b>Name &amp; Organization</b>	<b>Comments made at public hearing</b>	<b>Written Comments</b>	<b>Agency Rationale for Rule Change and Description of Change(s) Made</b>	<b>Rule number &amp; citation changed</b>
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**14. Date report completed:**

9/19/2022