

Department of Licensing and Regulatory Affairs
Bureau of Professional Licensing
Administrative Rules for Marriage and Family Therapy – General Rules
Rule Set 2022-37 LR

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Tuesday, September 5, 2023

09:00 AM

UL-4

611 W. Ottawa Street, Lansing, Michigan

The Department of Licensing and Regulatory Affairs will hold a public hearing to receive public comments on proposed changes to the Marriage and Family Therapy – General Rules rule set.

The proposed revisions to the rules include: re-organization and grammatical revisions, updates to educational standards, and clarification that an applicant must show proof of successfully passing the Marital and Family Therapy National Examination conducted and scored by the Association of Marital and Family Therapy Regulatory Boards during the 3-year period immediately preceding the date of the application for relicensure, as a pathway for those applicants who have let the license lapse more than three years.

By authority conferred on the department in consultation with the board under MCL 333.16145, MCL 333.16148, MCL 333.16901, MCL 333.16903, MCL 333.16909, and MCL 333.16913, and Executive Reorganization Order Nos. 1991-9, 1996-2, 2003-1, and 2011-4, MCL 338.3501, MCL 445.2001, MCL 445.2011, and MCL 445.2030.

The proposed rules will take effect immediately after filing with the Secretary of State. The proposed rules are published on the State of Michigan's website at www.michigan.gov/ARD and in the 9/1/2023 issue of the Michigan Register. Copies of these proposed rules may also be obtained by mail or electronic mail at the following email address: BPL-BoardSupport@michigan.gov.

Comments on these proposed rules may be made at the hearing, by mail, or by electronic mail at the following addresses until 9/5/2023 at 05:00PM.

Department of Licensing and Regulatory Affairs Bureau of Professional Licensing – Boards and Committees Section P.O. Box 30670 Lansing, MI 48909-8170 Attention: Departmental Specialist

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The public hearing will be conducted in compliance with the 1990 Americans with Disabilities Act. If the hearing is held at a physical location, the building will be accessible with handicap parking available. Anyone needing assistance to take part in the hearing due to disability may call 711- to make arrangements.