## **Administrative Rule Analysis**



## **RESPIRATORY CARE – GENERAL RULES**

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**Department: Licensing and Regulatory Affairs Agency: Bureau of Professional Licensing** 

Enabling Statute: Public Health Code, 1978 PA 368, MCLs 333.16148, 333.16174, and

333.18709 et seq.

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## BACKGROUND AND SUMMARY OF PROPOSED RULES

Rule Set 2018-041 LR would make amendments, additions, and rescissions to rules pertaining to licensure and relicensure of respiratory therapists. The rule set would also reorganize the rules for added clarity. Specific changes that would be accomplished by the rule set include: establishing a date for completing human trafficking victim identification training, adding a rule advising applicants trained outside the United States and Canada that their education must be evaluated by the National Association of Credential Evaluation Services, adding a rule advising foreign-trained applicants that they must obtain a certain score on the TOEFL examination, amending rules regarding licensure by endorsement, and updating rues for clarity.

## FISCAL IMPACT OF PROPOSED RULES

2018-041 LR is not anticipated to have a fiscal impact on the Department of Licensing and Regulatory Affairs or any other unit of state or local government.

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