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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

**Name of person completing this form:**

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Elizabeth Arasim

**2. Rule Set Information**

**MOAHR assigned rule set number:**

2019-135 LR

**Title of proposed rule set:**

Public Health Code--General Rules

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

The Public Health Code General Rules establish the specific dates that a license or registration renewal period begins or ends for licenses and registrations regulated by the Public Health Code. The rule set provides general rules applicable to all professionals regulated under Article 15 of the Public Health code.

**4. Summary of proposed rules:**

The proposed rules will add definitions for terms used in the rules; add midwifery to the biennial renewals; add quadrennial license renewals for behavior analysts; change the renewal date for optometry, pharmacy, physician's assistants, dentistry, medicine, osteopathic medicine and surgery, podiatric medicine and surgery, and veterinary medicine to the date when the initial license was issued; and add the department's minimum English language standard for licensure or registration.

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

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The Mining Journal – May 5, 2020  
The Grand Rapids Press – May 8, 2020  
The Flint Journal – May 8, 2020

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

5/15/2020

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

5/22/2020 09:00 AM at G. Mennen Williams Building Auditorium or virtually via Zoom if Executive Order 2020-48 is extended in response to the COVID-19 pandemic. , 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/RFRTransaction?TransactionID=121>

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

Kimberly Catlin  
Weston MacIntosh  
Kerry Przybylo

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

None.

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

None.

**12. 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 change</b>	<b>Rule number &amp; citation changed</b>
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**13. Date report completed:**

6/30/2020