

Administrative Rule Analysis



ACUPUNCTURE – GENERAL RULES

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Department: Licensing and Regulatory Affairs
Agency: Bureau of Professional Licensing
Enabling Statute(s): Public Health Code, 1978 PA 368, MCL 333.16141, 333.16145, 333.16148, 333.16174, 333.16201, 333.16204, 333.16205, 333.16287, 333.16515, 333.16517, and 333.16525 et seq.

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BACKGROUND AND SUMMARY OF PROPOSED RULES

Rule Set 2020-08 LR would make numerous amendments, additions, and rescissions to rules pertaining to the practice of acupuncture. Specific changes accomplished by the rule set would include the following: revision of definitions; inclusion of a telehealth rule for scope of treatment and patient consent; updating adopted standards; creation of requirements for licensure, licensure by endorsement, relicensure, and limited licensure (as required under statute); and provision of continuing education requirements for license renewal (as required under statute).

FISCAL IMPACT OF PROPOSED RULES

2020-08 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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