

Administrative Rule Analysis



ACUPUNCTURE – 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 333.16141, 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 2021-38 LR would make numerous amendments, additions, and rescissions to rules pertaining to acupuncturists. Specific changes accomplished by the rule set include the following: inclusion of a completion deadline for training to identify human trafficking victims, approval and adoption of the examination and standards of competence established by the National Certification Commission for Acupuncture and Oriental Medicine, clarification of various licensure requirements, amendment of rules for relicensure, and various other changes for organization and clarity.

FISCAL IMPACT OF PROPOSED RULES

2021-38 LR is not anticipated to have a significant fiscal impact on the Department of Licensing and Regulatory Affairs or on any other unit of state or local government.

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