

Department of Licensing and Regulatory Affairs
Bureau of Professional Licensing

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

March 19, 2024

9:00 a.m.

**Location: 611 W. Ottawa Street, UL-5
Lansing, Michigan**

The hearing is held to receive public comments on the following administrative rules:

**Acupuncture
(MOAHR #2023-33 LR)**

Authority: MCL 333.16141, 333.16145, 333.16148, 333.16174, 333.16201, 333.16204, 333.16205, 333.16287, 333.16515, 333.16517, and 333.16525 and Executive Reorganization Order Nos. 1991-9, 1996-2, 2003-1, and 2011-4, MCL 338.3501, 445.2001, 445.2011, and 445.2030.

Overview: The proposed rules revise definitions, update the national standards of competence approved and adopted by the board, and clarify that a licensee who completes an implicit bias training program required under R 338.7004 may also use that training toward fulfillment of continuing education requirements if the training has been approved by the National Certification Commission for Acupuncture and Oriental Medicine.

**Chiropractic
(MOAHR #2023-035 LR)**

Authority: MCL 333.16145, 333.16148, 333.16204, 333.16287, 333.16401, 333.16412, 333.16423, and 333.16431, and Executive Reorganization Nos. 1991-9, 1996-2, 2003-1 and 2011-4, MCL 338.3501, 445.2001, 445.2011, and 445.2030.

Overview: The proposed rules include clarifying language and typographical revisions, supplying conditions related to consent, scope of practice, and standard of care for telehealth services, removal of the requirement that a licensee must complete not less than two hours of continuing education in performing and ordering tests, and clarification that a license who completes implicit bias training under R 338.7004 may also use that training toward fulfillment of continuing education requirements.

The rules will take effect immediately upon filing with the Secretary of State, unless specified otherwise in the rules. Comments on the proposed rules may be presented in person at the public hearing. Written comments will also be accepted from date of publication until **5:00 p.m. on March 19, 2024**, at the following address or e-mail address:

Department of Licensing and Regulatory Affairs
Bureau of Professional Licensing– Boards and Committees Section

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Attention: Departmental Specialist Email: BPL-BoardSupport@michigan.gov

A copy of the proposed rules may be obtained by contacting Board Support at (517) 241-7500 or the email address noted above. Electronic copies also may be obtained at the following link:

Acupuncture

<https://ars.apps.lara.state.mi.us/Transaction/RFRTtransaction?TransactionID=1460>

Chiropractic

<https://ars.apps.lara.state.mi.us/Transaction/RFRTtransaction?TransactionID=1462>

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