

NOTICES OF RULEMAKING DOCKET OPENING

The Administrative Procedure Act (APA) requires the publication of Notices of Rulemaking Docket Opening when an agency opens a rulemaking docket to consider rulemaking. Under the APA effective January 1, 1995, agencies must submit a Notice of Rulemaking Docket Opening before beginning the formal rulemaking process.

NOTICE OF RULEMAKING DOCKET OPENING BOARD OF HOMEOPATHIC MEDICAL EXAMINERS

- 1. Title and its heading:** 4, Professions and Occupations
Chapter and its heading: 38, Board of Homeopathic Medical Examiners
Article and its heading: 1, General
Section numbers: R4-38-101, R4-38-102, R4-38-103, R4-38-104, R4-38-105, R4-38-106, R4-38-107, R4-38-108, R4-38-109, R4-38-110, R4-38-111, R4-38-112, R4-38-113, R4-38-114, and R4-38-115 (Section numbers may be repealed and replaced by new Sections, other Sections will be amended.)
- 2. The subject matter of the proposed rules:**
The Board is amending this Article that sets forth the standards an applicant must meet to qualify for licensure. The definitions Section has been expanded. The rules provide the criteria that applicants who have graduated from foreign medical must meet. Clarification is provided regarding the post-graduate education required for licensure. The Board has listed the treatment modalities defined as the practice of homeopathic medicine in Arizona and sets forth the methods of documenting that the postgraduate education requirements have been met. Some applicants may have completed a preceptorship to meet post-graduate education requirements. Those standards are also described. Criteria for waiver of the written examination is amended. The Board is raising fees to meet increased costs associated with regulation. Chelation therapy practice requirements are being amended and updated. Other housekeeping amendments are being made with regard to reporting address changes and the use of abbreviations and titles. Finally, amendments updating procedures to request a rehearing or review of a Board decision are being made to make them compliant with the Administrative Procedure Act.
- 3. A citation to all published notices relating to the proceeding:**
None
- 4. The name and address of agency personnel with whom persons may communicate regarding the rules:**
Name: Christine Springer
Address: 1400 W. Washington, Room 230
Phoenix, AZ 85007
Telephone: (602) 542-8154
Fax: (602) 542-3093
- 5. The time during which the agency will accept written comments and the time and place where oral comments may be made:**
Written and oral comments will be accepted between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday at the address listed in item #4 until the close of record. The Board will schedule oral proceedings, within the statutory mandated time-frame, which will be noticed in the *Arizona Administrative Register*.
- 6. A timetable for agency decisions or other action on the proceeding, if known:**
To be determined

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NOTICE OF RULEMAKING DOCKET OPENING
ARIZONA HEALTH CARE COST CONTAINMENT SYSTEM
ADMINISTRATION

- 1. Title and its heading:** 9, Health Services
Chapter and its heading: 22, Arizona Health Care Cost Containment System Administration
Articles and their headings: 1, Definitions
Section numbers: 5, General Provisions and Standards
R9-22-101, R9-22-105, R9-22-501, R9-22-502, R9-22-504, R9-22-505, R9-22-507 through R9-22-514, R9-22-518, R9-22-521, R9-22-522, and R9-22-524 (Other Sections may be added, deleted, or modified as necessary.)
- 2. The subject matter of the proposed rules:**
The rules outline the general provisions and standards applicable to the Administration and program contractors. They address quality, continuity and coordination of member care, as well as certain rights and prohibitions.
- 3. A citation to all published notices relating to the proceeding:**
None
- 4. The name and address of agency personnel with whom persons may communicate regarding the rules:**
Name: Barbara Ledder
Address: AHCCCS
Office of Legal Assistance
701 E. Jefferson, Mail Drop 6200
Phoenix, AZ 85034
Telephone: (602) 417-4580
Fax: (602) 253-9115
- 5. The time which the agency will accept written comments and the time and place where oral comments may be made:**
The Administration will accept written comments Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., at the address indicated in item #4. A public hearing will be scheduled later to provide a forum for interactive discussion with interested parties.
- 6. A timetable for agency decisions or other action on the proceeding, if known:**
The Administration anticipates filing a Notice of Proposed Rulemaking in February 2004 and holding a public hearing in April 2004.

NOTICE OF RULEMAKING DOCKET OPENING
ARIZONA HEALTH CARE COST CONTAINMENT SYSTEM
HEALTH CARE FOR PRIVATE EMPLOYER GROUPS/AHCCCS ADMINISTERED

- 1. Title and its heading:** 9, Health Services
Chapter and its heading: 27, Arizona Health Care Cost Containment System Health Care for Private Employer Groups/AHCCCS Administered
Articles and their headings: 1, Definitions
Section numbers: 5, General Provisions and Standards
R9-27-101, R9-27-501, R9-27-503 through R9-27-507, and R9-27-509 through R9-27-516 (Other Sections may be added, deleted, or modified as necessary.)
- 2. The subject matter of the proposed rules:**
The rules outline the general provisions and standards applicable to program contractors and providers. They address quality, continuity and coordination of member care, as well as certain rights and prohibitions.
- 3. A citation to all published notices relating to the proceeding:**
None

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**NOTICE OF RULEMAKING DOCKET OPENING
ARIZONA HEALTH CARE COST CONTAINMENT SYSTEM
ARIZONA LONG-TERM CARE SYSTEM**

1. Title and its heading:

9, Health Services

Chapter and its heading:

28, Arizona Health Care Cost Containment System

Arizona Long-term Care System

Articles and their headings:

1, Definitions

5, Program Contractor and Provider Standards

Section numbers:

R9-28-101, R9-28-105, R9-28-502 through R9-28-505, R9-28-507,

R9-28-510, R9-22-511, and R9-28-513 through R9-28-515

(Other Sections may be added, deleted, or modified as necessary.)

2. The subject matter of the proposed rules:

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3. A citation to all published notices relating to the proceeding:

None

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NOTICE OF RULEMAKING DOCKET OPENING
ARIZONA HEALTH CARE COST CONTAINMENT SYSTEM
CHILDREN'S HEALTH INSURANCE PROGRAM

- 1. Title and its heading:** 9, Health Services
Chapter and its heading: 31, Arizona Health Care Cost Containment System
Children's Health Insurance Program
Articles and their headings: 1, Definitions
5, General Provisions and Standards
Section numbers: R9-31-101, R9-31-105, R9-31-501, R9-31-502, R9-31-504 through
R9-31-510, R9-31-512 through R9-31-514, R9-31-518, and R9-31-520
through R9-31-524 (Other Sections may be added, deleted, or modified
as necessary.)
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- 6. A timetable for agency decisions or other action on the proceeding, if known:**
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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
ADMINISTRATION

1. **Title and its heading:** 17, Transportation
Chapter and its heading: 1, Department of Transportation
Administration
Article and its heading: 3, Taxes
Section numbers: R17-1-306, R17-1-308, R17-1-309, and R17-1-317
2. **The subject matter of the proposed rules:**
The agency is repealing these obsolete Sections. In a separate rulemaking, the agency will create replacement Sections in a new Chapter, 8, that will contain all future tax rules.
3. **A citation to all published notices relating to the proceeding:**
Notice of Proposed Rulemaking: 9 A.A.R. 5235, December 5, 2003
4. **The name and address of agency personnel to whom persons may communicate regarding the rules:**
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Department of Transportation, Mail Drop 507M
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Phoenix, AZ 85014-5079
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Fax: (602) 241-1624
E-mail: bheiss@dot.state.az.us
Please visit the ADOT web site to track progress of this rule and any other agency rulemaking matters at www.dot.state.az.us/about/rules/index.htm.
5. **The time during which the agency will accept written comments and the time and place where oral comments may be made:**
An interested person may make comments to the agency official listed in item #4 from 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday except state holidays.
6. **A timetable for agency decisions or other action on the proceeding, if known:**
To be determined