

NOTICES OF PUBLIC INFORMATION

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC INFORMATION

BOARD OF NURSING

[M14-312]

1. **Title and its heading:** 4, Professions and Occupations
Chapter and its heading: 19, Board of Nursing
2. **The topic of public information in this notice:** Notice of Proposed Rulemaking: 20 A.A.R. 2555, September 19, 2014
3. **The public information related to the topic:**
The above Notice of Proposed Rulemaking contained an error in item 10 of the Preamble, on page 2557, regarding the close of record. The close of record was incorrectly noticed for September 29, 2014, instead of October 20, 2014, the date an oral proceeding was held. In order to provide members of the public, who may have refrained from submitting a comment due to believing the record was closed, another opportunity to provide comment on the rule, the agency will hold an additional oral proceeding and extend the comment period. An oral proceeding will be held on December 1, 2014, at 3:30 p.m. in the offices of the Arizona State Board of Nursing at 4747 N. 7th St., STE 200, Phoenix, AZ 85014. The agency will accept written comments until close of record at 5 p.m. on December 1, 2014.

Please direct any written comments to:

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC INFORMATION

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH SERVICES

[M14-282]

1. **Title of the substantive policy statements and the substantive policy statements numbers by which the substantive policy statements are referenced:**
SP-008-ALS-LTC: Documentation of Vaccinations
SP-009-ALS-ALF: Documentation of Vaccinations
SP-010-ALS-OMF: Hospice Services Clarification of Requirements in R9-10-808(B)(5)
SP-011-ALS-OAD: Applicable Construction Standards for Psychiatric Hospitals
SP-013-ALS-OAD: Clarification of Licensure Requirements for Health Care Institutions Providing Off-Site Services
SP-014-ALS-OMF: Hospice Inpatient Facilities Clarification of Requirements Regarding Approval of Architectural Plans and Specifications in 9 A.A.C. 10, Article 1
SP-015-ALS-OMF: Hospice Inpatient Facilities Clarification of Physical Plant Health And Safety Compliance Requirements Under R9-10-816(A)(2), R9-1-412(A)(8), and R9-10-104
SP-017-ALS-OAD: Considerations Before Taking Action Under A.R.S. § 36-427(A)(1)
SP-018-ALS-OAD: Direct Risk to the Life, Health or Safety of Patients or Residents in a Residential Care Institution
SP-020-ALS-ALL: Determining Eligibility for Exemption Under A.R.S. § 36-402(8)
2. **The public information relating to the substantive policy statements:**
The Arizona Department of Health Services (Department) is rescinding the substantive policy statements specified in paragraph 1, effective November 1, 2014, because these substantive policy statements are no longer needed. The subject matter in these substantive policy statements have been addressed in the recent rulemakings for A.A.C. Title 9, Chapter 10 in 19 A.A.R. 2015 and 20 A.A.R. 1409 or are included in statute.

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3. The name and address of agency personnel with whom persons may communicate regarding this notice of public information:

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC INFORMATION

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH SERVICES

[M14-283]

1. Title and its heading:

9, Health Services

Chapter and its heading:

10, Department of Health Services

Health Care Institutions: Licensing

2. The public information relating to the listed Article:

Laws 2014, Ch. 233, effective July 24, 2014, provided a new definition for behavioral health services and amended the definition of health care institution to include facilities that provide behavioral health services. Laws 2014, Ch. 233 also provided the Department with exempt rulemaking authority to amended rules in 9 A.A.C. 10. After receiving an exception from the Governor's rulemaking moratorium, established by Executive Order 2012-03, the Department has drafted amendments to Article 1 General and Article 10 Outpatient Treatment Centers, and has drafted a new Article 19, Counseling Facilities to comply with Laws 2014, Ch. 233. The Department posted the draft rules for public comment on October 14, 2014. This Notice of Public Information provides notice that the Department has again posted the draft rules at: <http://www.azdhs.gov/ops/oacr/rules/rulemakings/active/index.php?pg=counseling-facilities>. The draft rules are being made available to allow interested persons an opportunity to provide comments on the draft rules. The draft rules will post on November 5, 2014 and will be posted for at least 30 days from the date first posted.

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4. The website where persons may obtain information about the rulemaking:

<http://www.azdhs.gov/ops/oacr/rules/rulemakings/active/index.php?pg=counseling-facilities>