

State of Washington

Board of Chiropractic Examiners

(name of governing body)

(agency name, if applicable)

Resolution No. _____

Administrative Order No. PL 355

(1) Be it resolved by the Board of Chiropractic Examiners
acting at Seattle, Washington (place)

that it does promulgate and adopted the annexed rules relating to:

New Section 114-12-150 Licensees residing and practicing out of state--
continuing education requirements; new section WAC 114-12-160
Continuing Chiropractic education--guidelines for symposium approval.
new section 114-12-170 License renewal--affidavit of compliance
with continuing education requirements; new section 114-14-121
Examination National Board; new section 114-12-131 Chiropractic
examinations--Limitation; Repealing 114-12-120 and 114-12-130.

(2) ALTERNATIVE A. Use only for Adoption of Permanent Rules.

This action is taken pursuant to Notice No. * filed with the code reviser on 6-11-80. Such rules shall take effect: WSR 80-07-019

pursuant to RCW 34.04.040(2),
at a later date, such date being _____

(2) ALTERNATIVE B. Use only for Adoption of Emergency Rules.

We, _____ find that an emergency exists and that the foregoing order is necessary for the preservation of the public health, safety, or general welfare and that observance of the requirements of notice and opportunity to present views on the proposed action would be contrary to public interest. A statement of the facts constituting such emergency is:

Such rules are therefore adopted as emergency rules to take effect upon filing with the code reviser.

(3) Pursuant to the requirements of RCW 34.04.____ (1977 c 19 § 2)¹ that "every agency shall incorporate the most specific, but in no case omit all, of the following language alternatives when adopting or amending rules" (fill in statement (a), (b), or (c) as appropriate):

(a) This rule is promulgated pursuant to RCW _____ and is intended to administratively implement that statute.

(b) This rule is promulgated pursuant to RCW _____ which directs that the

_____ (agency)
has authority to implement the provisions of

_____ (name of act or RCW citation)

(c) This rule is promulgated under the general rule making authority of the
Washington State Board of Chiropractic Examiners
(agency)
as authorized in RCW 18.25.070 and RCW 18.25.017

(4) The undersigned hereby declares that he has complied with the provisions of the Open Public Meetings Act (chapter 42.30 RCW), the Administrative Procedure Act (chapter 34.04 RCW) or the Higher Education Administrative Procedure Act (chapter 28B.19 RCW), as appropriate, and the State Register Act (chapter 34.08 RCW).

(5) This order after being first recorded in the order register of this governing body is herewith transmitted to the Code Reviser's Office pursuant to chapter 34.04 RCW and chapter 1-12 WAC.

STATE OF WASHINGTON
FILED

APPROVED AND ADOPTED August 14, 1980

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By James C. Burkett, D.C.
Chairman

Title

NEW SECTION

WAC 114-12-150. LICENSEES RESIDING AND PRACTICING OUT OF STATE -- CONTINUING EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS. Pursuant to RCW 18.25.070(1)(b), Washington licensed chiropractors who reside and practice exclusively outside the state of Washington may satisfy the continuing education requirements for renewal of their Washington licenses by meeting, and certifying to the Washington Board of Chiropractic Examiners that they have met, the continuing education requirements of the state in which they are residing and practicing.

NEW SECTION

WAC 114-12-160. CONTINUING CHIROPRACTIC EDUCATION -- GUIDELINES FOR SYMPOSIUM APPROVAL. (1) In order to be used by a licensee to satisfy the continuing chiropractic education requirements of RCW 18.25.070(1) an educational symposium must be approved by the Washington Board of Chiropractic Examiners.

(2) In order to qualify for board approval, the subject matter of an educational symposium must include at least nine hours in one or more of the following categories: chiropractic research; spinal adjusting technique and examination procedures; spinal x-ray; chiropractic philosophy.

(3) In order to qualify for board approval an educational symposium offered within the state of Washington must offer a minimum of nine hours provided by a minimum of two lecturers who are affiliated with chiropractic colleges approved by the Washington Board of Chiropractic Examiners; PROVIDED, that this requirement shall not apply to those educational symposiums using lecturers who have participated in educational symposiums approved by the Washington Board of Chiropractic Examiners for continuing education purposes within a ten-year period immediately prior to the date of the program seeking approval.

(4) As a condition of board approval, sponsors of educational symposiums offered within the state of Washington shall provide the board within thirty (30) days after the symposium is completed with an alphabetical list of those participants who were registered for the symposium.

(5) Because of the practical impossibility of the board monitoring the quality of symposiums given out-of-state, the board will not approve out-of-state symposiums except those given by chiropractic colleges approved by the board. Such approval will be limited to one major program annually for each college (e.g. Homecoming).

NEW SECTION

WAC 114-12-170. LICENSE RENEWAL -- AFFIDAVIT OF COMPLIANCE WITH CONTINUING EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS. (1) In conjunction with his or her annual application for renewal of license, a licensee shall submit, on a form provided by the board, an affidavit of compliance with the continuing education requirement of RCW 18.25.070.

(2) In addition to the affidavit of compliance, the licensee shall submit such further and other evidence and documentation to substantiate the affidavit of compliance as the board may request in any individual case. It shall be the responsibility of the licensee to maintain and provide such evidence and/or documentation on request of the board.

NEW SECTION

WAC 114-12-121. EXAMINATIONS -- NATIONAL BOARD. (1) Any applicant presenting evidence of having successfully completed Part I of the examination conducted by the National Board of Chiropractic Examiners, or presenting a basic science certificate, or successfully completing an examination conducted by the Board of Chiropractic Examiners, will be considered to have satisfied the requirement for basic sciences examination and such shall be waived.

(2) Any applicant presenting evidence of having successfully completed Part II of the examination conducted by the National Board of Chiropractic Examiners will be considered as having met the examination requirements as outlined in RCW 18.25.030, except that each such applicant, shall be required to appear before the Washington State Board of Chiropractic Examiners to be examined in the subjects of: Principles of Chiropractic; x-ray; and Adjustive Technique.

NEW SECTION

WAC 114-12-131. CHIROPRACTIC EXAMINATION -- LIMITATION. A passing score in the examination administered by the board in principles of chiropractic may be carried forward. A passing score in the written and practical board administered examinations in x-ray and adjustive technique will not be carried forward and must be taken each time an applicant is examined by the board.

REPEALER

The following sections of the Washington Administrative Code are repealed:

WAC 114-12-120 EXAMINATIONS -- NATIONAL BOARD.

WAC 114-12-130 CHIROPRACTIC EXAMINATIONS -- LIMITATION.