

State of Washington

BOARD OF CHIROPRACTIC EXAMINERS

(name of governing body)

(agency name, if applicable)

Resolution No. \_\_\_\_\_

Administrative Order No. PL 347

(1) Be it resolved by the WASHINGTON BOARD OF CHIROPRACTIC EXAMINERS  
acting at Olympia, Washington Co  
(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.

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

This action is taken pursuant to Notice No. \_\_\_\_\_ filed with the code reviser on \_\_\_\_\_. Such rules shall take effect:  
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, Washington State Board of Chiropractic Examiners, 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: the statute, RCW 18.25.015, under which the members of the Chiropractic Examining Board are appointed was declared unconstitutional by the state Supreme Court. The legislature, by Chapter 51, Laws of 1980, regular session, amended RCW 18.25.015 to remedy the unconstitutionality found by the Supreme Court. A new Board of Chiropractic  
(over)  
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)<sup>1</sup> 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 18.25.070 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 18.25.017

(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).

A copy of this order, as first recorded in the order register of this governing body is herewith transmitted to the Code Reviser for filing pursuant to chapter 34.04 RCW and chapter 1-12 WAC.

APPROVED AND ADOPTED June 10, 19 80

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James C. Burkett  
JAMES C. BURKETT, D.C.  
Chairman

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STATE OF WASHINGTON  
CHIROPRACTIC EXAMINING BOARD

Administrative Order No. PL 347

STATEMENT OF PURPOSE AND IMPLEMENTATION

I. NAME OF AGENCY: WASHINGTON STATE BOARD OF CHIROPRACTIC EXAMINERS

II. GENERAL PURPOSE OF RULES:

These rules implement the requirement of RCW 18.25.070 that chiropractors obtain continuing education as a condition of license renewal.

III. DESCRIPTION, SUMMARY AND STATUTORY AUTHORITY FOR RULES:

1. WAC 114-12-150 provides that Washington licensed chiropractors who reside and practice outside the state of Washington may satisfy their continuing education requirements by meeting those applicable in the state in which they reside and practice. Statutory authority for this rule is RCW 18.25.070(1)(b) and RCW 18.25.017.

2. WAC 114-12-160 summarizes the requirements for a continuing chiropractic education symposium approval. It also requires that approval be obtained before a symposium may be used to satisfy continuing education requirements under RCW 18.25.070(1). Also, it requires a sponsor of a symposium to submit a list of participants to the board within thirty days after the symposium is completed. The statutory authority for this rule is RCW 18.25.070(1) and RCW 18.25.017.

3. WAC 114-12-170 requires applicants for renewal of licenses to submit affidavits verifying their compliance with continuing education requirements. Further, licensees are required, if so requested by the board, to verify the material in their affidavits by supporting documentation. The statutory authority for this rule is RCW 18.25.017.

IV. RESPONSIBLE DEPARTMENT PERSONNEL:

The following agency personnel have knowledge of and have responsibility for drafting, implementing and enforcing these rules:

<u>NAME/TITLE</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>	<u>TELEPHONE</u>
Joanne Redmond Assistant Administrator Division of Professional Licensing	Highways-Licenses Bldg. Sixth Floor 12th & Washington Olympia, WA 98504	753-2205 (Commercial) 234-2205 (Scan)

VI. PROPONENTS AND OPPONENTS:

These rules were adopted as emergency rules. There was no testimony taken and no public hearing held.

VII. AGENCY COMMENTS:

These rules will allow the board to administer continuing education requirements and license renewals until permanent rules on this subject can be effective.

SUBMITTED in accordance with RCW 34.04.045 on this 10th day of June, 1980.

  
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JAMES C. BURKETT, D.C., Chairman  
Washington Board of Chiropractic  
Examiners

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 be limited to 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.

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 requirements 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.