

Department of Health  
Rulemaking Hearing Rules  
Board of Examiners for Nursing Home Administrators  
Division of Health Related Boards

Chapter 1020-1  
General Rules Governing Nursing Home Administrators

Amendments

Rule 1020-1-.01, Definitions, is amended by relocating and renumbering paragraphs (19) and (20) as appropriately alphabetized and numbered paragraphs.

Authority: T.C.A. §§ 4-5-202, 4-5-204, and 63-16-103.

Rule 1020-1-.06, Preceptors, Administrators-In-Training and Administrator-In-Training Programs, is amended by deleting part (3) (b) 3. in its entirety and substituting instead the following language, so that as amended, the new part (3) (b) 3. shall read:

- (3) (b) 3. The preceptor and the A.I.T. shall spend a minimum of four (4) hours per week in orientation, direct instruction, planning and evaluation. The minimum four (4) hours per week of training must occur in person in the facility or facilities approved by the Board for that individual's A.I.T. program.

Authority: T.C.A. §§ 4-5-202, 4-5-204, 63-16-103, and 63-16-104.

Rule 1020-1-.13, Licensure Retirement and Reactivation, is amended by deleting subparagraph (2) (c) in its entirety and substituting instead the following language, so that as amended, the new subparagraph (2) (c) shall read:

- (2) (c) Submit, along with the reactivation request, proof of certification of attendance and completion of the following:
1. At least twenty-seven (27) clock hours of Board approved continuing education as a prerequisite to licensure reactivation, if the licensee applies for reactivation of a retired license before the expiration of five (5) years from the date of retirement; or
  2. At least fifty (50) clock hours of Board approved continuing education as a prerequisite to licensure reactivation, if the licensee applies for reactivation of a retired license after the expiration of five (5) years from the date of retirement; or
  3. The continuing education required by parts 1. or 2. if the licensee is licensed in good standing and actively practicing in another state whose

continuing education requirements do not meet or exceed the Board's continuing education requirements. If licensed in good standing and actively practicing in another state whose continuing education requirements meet or exceed the Board's requirements, a licensee may apply for reactivation without submitting proof of completing the continuing education required by parts 1. or 2.

Authority: T.C.A. §§ 4-5-202, 4-5-204, 63-16-103, and 63-16-107.

The rulemaking hearing rules set out herein were properly filed in the Department of State on the 9th day of December, 2005, and will become effective on the 22nd day of February, 2006.