

# PROPOSED REGULATION OF THE COMMISSION ON PROFESSIONAL STANDARDS IN EDUCATION

## LCB File No. R138-15

### Proposed Revision to NAC 391.320

EXPLANATION: Matter in *italics* is new; matter in brackets ~~omitted material~~ is material to be omitted.

#### **NAC 391.320 Endorsement to serve as social worker.** (NRS 385.080, 391.019)

1. To receive an endorsement to serve as a social worker, a person must:

(a) Complete three (3) semester credits in a course of study regarding parental involvement and family engagement; and

(b) Hold a current license issued by the Board of Examiners for Social Workers (*hereinafter "BOESW"*) *or an equivalent reciprocal license from another state on the condition that the prospective licensee attain a license issued by the BOESW within one year of applying for endorsement to serve as a school social worker as a requirement for continued employment after that year*; and

(c) Have completed an educational program for social workers in schools which includes a practicum in schools *or equivalent professional or practicum experience in a setting providing direct services to individuals and groups of school age children and their families*.

2. In addition to the requirements listed in subsection 1, a person who wishes to receive such an endorsement must:

(a) Have completed a program to serve as a social worker in schools that is approved by the Board;

(b) Hold the credential issued by the National Association of Social Workers certifying that the holder is a specialist in social work in schools; or

(c) Hold a master's degree in social work from a college or university that has been accredited by the Council on Social Work Education.

3. To renew the endorsement, the holder must:

(a) Continue to hold a valid license issued by the Board of Examiners for Social Workers;  
and

(b) Each time that the license is renewed by the Board of Examiners for Social Workers, deliver a copy of the license to the Teacher Licensure Office within the Department.

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