

## STATE OF NEVADA

## BOARD OF EXAMINERS FOR SOCIAL WORKERS

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## NOTICE OF WORKSHOP TO SOLICIT COMMENTS ON PROPOSED REGULATIONS

Pursuant to NRS 233B.061(2), prior to conducting a public hearing, an agency shall conduct at least one workshop to solicit comments from interested persons on one or more general topics to be addressed in the proposed regulations. The Board of Examiners for Social Workers (Board) is proposing the addition, amendment and/or repeal of regulations pertaining to Chapter 641B of the Nevada Administrative Code. A Public Workshop to solicit comments from interested persons has been set as follows: 10:30am to 1:30pm, Friday, November 3, 2017. The locations for the workshop will be: Mojave Mental Health, 745 West Moana Lane, Suite 100, Reno, Nevada 89509 and Mojave Mental Health, 4000 East Charleston Blvd., Suite B-230, Las Vegas, NV 89104.

The purpose of the workshop is to solicit comments from interested persons on the following general topics that may be addressed in the proposed regulations - LCB File Number: R110-17:

- Reducing the amount of time an application is considered open.
- Removal of "Provisional C" licensure based on legislative changes in endorsement.
- Expanding clinical hours allowed per quarter for clinical internships.
- Telecommunication options for supervision of clinical / independent internships.
- Expanding content areas for ethics CEUs and increasing ethics CEUs to 4 per renewal period for all licensees.
- Removal of the 1-year grace period for CEUs post-graduation.
- Removal of limitation of the number of CEUs that can be earned online.
- Changes for Board approved CEU vendors.
- Development of a professional will for social workers in independent practice.

A copy of the proposed regulations may be obtained at the workshop or by contacting the Social Workers, 4600 Kietzke Lane, Suite C-121, Reno, NV 89502. A copy of the proposed regulations are also available for viewing and printing from the Board's website, www.socwork.nv.gov. Email comments will be accepted prior to the workshop date. Pursuant to NRS 233B.061(2), this Notice of Workshop to Solicit Comments on Proposed Regulations (Notice) will be sent out electronically to all individuals licensed by this Board currently on the Board's listserv. Written notification will be sent to all licensees not on the listserv. Notice of this workshop will be posted at the Board of Examiners for Social Workers office, the Board's website, www.socwork.nv.gov, and the following locations: Washoe Co. Dept. of Social Services, 350 S. Center St., Reno; Clark Co. Social Services, 1600 Pinto Ln., Las Vegas; UNR School of Social Work, Ansari Business Bldg., Rm. 523, 900 N. Virginia St., Reno; UNLV School of Social Work, Central Desert Complex 10, 4505 Maryland Pkwy., Las Vegas. This Notice has also been posted at various libraries throughout Nevada. A list of libraries posting this Notice may be found on the Board's website, www.socwork.nv.gov.