

**PROPOSED REGULATION OF THE  
STATE BOARD OF ORIENTAL MEDICINE**

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**The following document is the initial draft regulation proposed  
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**PROPOSED CHANGES TO NAC 634A (2026)**

**Color key:**

Blue: Proposed language to be added

Purple: Language already added or deleted from 2024 approved regulations

Red/Purple strike-through line: Language to be deleted

**NAC 634A.071** Application deletes the requirement for the Applicant’s social security number;

**NAC 634A.080** Updates the name of the national organization, and clarifies the requirement of a current valid license in another state for endorsement eligibility; deletes the requirement for chemistry or biochemistry;

**NAC 634A.085** Updates the name of the national organization;

**NAC 634A.133** Updates the name of the national organization;

**NAC 634A.137** Expands the automatic acceptance of all continuing education classes approved by the national organization;

**NAC 634A.142** Adopts the national organization’s Acupuncture Point Injection Therapy (“APIT”) certificate of qualification and allows prior APIT endorsees registered with the Board prior to 2/1/2027 to maintain their endorsement status.

**NAC 634A.142** Endorsement to practice acupuncture point injection therapy.

1. A doctor of Oriental medicine licensed pursuant to this chapter may apply to the Board for an endorsement to practice acupuncture point injection therapy. The applicant must submit with his or her application proof that the applicant has:

(a) Successfully completed the Acupuncture Injection Therapy Certificate of Qualification from the National Certification Board for Acupuncture and Herbal Medicine or its successor organization, effective 2/1/2027; and

(b) Obtained and carries an unexpired policy of professional liability insurance which insures the applicant against any liability arising from the provision of acupuncture point injection therapy by the applicant.

2. The Board shall issue an endorsement to practice acupuncture point injection therapy to an applicant who meets the requirements of subsection 1.

3. A licensee who is issued an endorsement to practice acupuncture point injection therapy may only inject substances for which the licensee has received training which may include, without limitation, nutritional, homeopathic and herbal substances.

4. As used in this section, “acupuncture point injection therapy” means the subcutaneous, intramuscular and intradermal injection of substances to stimulate acupuncture points, ashi points, and trigger points to relieve pain and prevent illness.

5. Acupuncture Point Injection Therapy endorsees actively registered with the Board prior to 2/1/2027 shall be permitted to maintain their endorsement status under the terms of the prior regulations.

**NAC 634A.165 Fees of Board.** (NRS 634A.070, 634A.110, 634A.160, 634A.165) The Board will charge and collect the following fees:

Original application for licensure as a doctor of Oriental medicine.....	<del>\$1,000</del> , <del>\$900</del> , \$500
Renewal of active license before February 1.....	<del>700</del> , <del>600</del> , 500
Renewal of inactive license before February 1.....	500.00
Penalty for late renewal of license within 90 days after February 1.....	100.00
Renewal of active license of an active member of the Armed Forces of the United States, a veteran or the spouse of such a veteran or veteran before February 1 .....	<del>500</del> , 400
<del>Replacement of pocket license.....</del>	<del>100.00</del>
Replacement of license.....	200.00
Original fee for state examination.....	<del>1,000</del> , <del>900</del> , 500
Reexamination fee for state examination.....	500.00
Approval of course of continuing education.....	100.00
<del>Temporary certificate for lecturing or training.....</del>	<del>100.00</del>

Check returned for insufficient funds.....	25.00
<del>For copies of this chapter and chapter 634A of NRS.....</del>	<del>10.00</del>
<del>For other copies, per page.....</del>	<del>0.25</del>
For other copies, per compact disc or tape recording.....	20.00
Original application fee for a school or college of Oriental medicine.....	2,000.00
Annual fee for approval of curriculum before February 1.....	1,000.00