

**PROPOSED REGULATION OF
THE BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS**

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NAC 630.350

Authority: NRS 630.130, NRS 630.253, NRS 630.275

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

NAC 630.350 Renewal of license; notification of withdrawal of certification; ~~suspension~~ expiration and reinstatement of license.

1. The license of a physician assistant may be renewed biennially. The application must be filed with the Board not less than 30 days before the expiration of the license. The license will not be renewed unless the physician assistant provides satisfactory proof:

(a) Of current certification by the National Commission on Certification of Physician Assistants; and

(b) That he has completed the following number of hours of continuing medical education as defined by the American Academy of Physician Assistants:

(1) If licensed during the first 6 months of the biennial period of registration, 40 hours.

(2) If licensed during the second 6 months of the biennial period of registration, 30 hours.

(3) If licensed during the third 6 months of the biennial period of registration, 20 hours.

(4) If licensed during the fourth 6 months of the biennial period of registration, 10 hours.

2. A physician assistant shall notify the Board within 10 days if his certification by the National Commission on Certification of Physician Assistants is withdrawn.

3. To allow for the renewal of a license to practice as a physician assistant by each person to whom a license was issued or renewed in the preceding renewal period, the Board will make such reasonable attempts as are practicable to:

(a) Mail a renewal notice at least 60 days before the expiration of a license to practice as a physician assistant; and

(b) Send a renewal application to a licensee at the last known address of the licensee on record with the Board.

4. If a licensee fails to pay the fee for biennial registration after it becomes due, his license to practice in this State ~~is automatically suspended~~ expires. Within 2 years after the date his license ~~is suspended~~ expires, the holder may be reinstated to practice as a physician assistant if he:

(a) Pays twice the amount of the current fee for biennial registration to the Secretary-Treasurer of the Board; and

(b) Is found to be in good standing and qualified pursuant to chapter 630 of NAC.