

**ADOPTED REGULATION OF THE
BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS**

LCB File No. R042-12

Effective February 20, 2013

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

AUTHORITY: §1, NRS 630.130 and 630.265.

A REGULATION relating to physicians; revising provisions relating to the issuance of a limited license to practice medicine as a resident physician in certain graduate programs; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Section 1. NAC 630.130 is hereby amended to read as follows:

630.130 1. The applicant for a limited license to practice medicine as a resident physician in a graduate program of clinical training must file an application with the Board on the standard form for application for a license to practice medicine and submit with the application such proofs and documents as are required on the form to the extent that the proofs and documents are applicable to the issuance of the limited license.

2. The application must be accompanied by written confirmation from the institution sponsoring the graduate program of clinical training that the applicant has been appointed to a position in the program. If the applicant is not a citizen of the United States, the applicant must also provide satisfactory evidence from the United States Citizenship and Immigration Services of the Department of Homeland Security that he or she is lawfully entitled to remain and work in the United States.

3. ~~{The limited license will generally be issued at a meeting of the Board, but the President or Secretary of the Board may issue a limited license between meetings of the Board, subject to the approval of the Board at its next meeting.~~

~~—4.†~~ The *Board will review the application and, upon approval, issue the limited license. An* applicant for a limited license may be required to appear before the Board or one of its members for an oral interview before the issuance of the limited license.

~~{5.†~~ 4. A limited license issued under this section will state on its face that it is a limited license to practice medicine as a resident physician in a graduate program of clinical training, and the period during which it is valid. If the licensee is not a citizen of the United States, a limited license is valid only as long as the licensee is lawfully entitled to remain and work in the United States.

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NEVADA STATE BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS
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INFORMATIONAL STATEMENT

Pursuant to the provisions of NRS 233B.066, the following informational statement is submitted:

**DESCRIPTION OF HOW PUBLIC COMMENT WAS SOLICITED
SUMMARY OF THE PUBLIC RESPONSE
EXPLANATION HOW OTHER INTERESTED PERSONS MAY OBTAIN
A COPY OF THE SUMMARY**

How public comment was solicited:

The Nevada State Board of Medical Examiners (Board) published a Notice of Intent to Act Upon Regulation to solicit comments on proposed changes to the regulation. The hearing was to be conducted in Reno on Wednesday, September 19, 2012 at the hour of 11:00 a.m., at the Board office located at 1105 Terminal Way, Ste. 301, Reno, Nevada and videoconferenced to the Las Vegas Board office located at 6010 S. Rainbow Blvd., Bldg. A., Suite 1, Las Vegas, Nevada.

In the notice the public was notified that a copy of the proposed regulation was on file at the State Library, 100 Stewart St., Carson City, Nevada; available at the offices of the Board at 1105 Terminal Way, Suite 301, Reno, Nevada; in all counties in the state of Nevada in which the Board does not maintain an office, at the main public library; in the State of Nevada Register of Administrative Regulations which is prepared and published monthly by the Legislative Counsel Bureau pursuant to NRS 233B.0653; and on the Internet at <http://www.leg.state.nv.us>, as well as posted at the following locations:

Washoe County Courthouse	Reno, Nevada
Carson City Library	Carson City, Nevada
Clark County District Library	Las Vegas, Nevada
Churchill County Library	Fallon, Nevada
Douglas County Library	Minden, Nevada
Elko County Library	Elko, Nevada
Esmeralda County Library	Goldfield, Nevada
Humboldt County Library	Winnemucca, Nevada
Lander County Library	White Pine, Nevada
Lincoln County Library	Pioche, Nevada
Lyon County Library	Yerington, Nevada
Mineral County Library	Hawthorne, Nevada
Tonopah Library	Tonopah, Nevada
Pershing County Library	Lovelock, Nevada
Storey County Library	Virginia City, Nevada
White Pine County Library	Ely, Nevada

Attached hereto, and made a part hereof, are copies of certifications of posting from many of the above named.

Summary of the public response:

Supportive oral comment from Larry Matheis representing the Nevada State Medical Association.

How other interested persons may obtain a copy of the public response to the regulations:

On file with the Board at the offices of the Board at 1105 Terminal Way, Suite 301, Reno, Nevada, is a complete transcript of the hearing conducted on the regulation change.

Any member of the public may visit the offices of the Board and may review any or the entire transcript referred to above. Also, any member of the public may request copies of the transcript of all the public comment by contacting the court reporter and requesting a copy.

The court reporter may be contacted at:

Bonanza Reporting
1111 Forest Street
Reno, Nevada 89509
(775) 786-7655

Persons who attended the workshop and hearing:

Workshop: None

Hearing: Larry Matheis, representing the Nevada State Medical Association

Persons who testified at the workshop or public hearing:

Hearing: Larry Matheis, representing the Nevada State Medical Association

The number of persons who submitted written statements:

None.

**HOW COMMENT WAS SOLICITED FROM AFFECTED BUSINESSES,
A SUMMARY OF THEIR RESPONSE, AND
HOW INTERESTED PERSONS MAY OBTAIN A COPY OF THE SUMMARY**

The comments, conclusions, and information set out above and all information contained thereunder applies to this portion of the informational statement as well.

THE REGULATION WAS ADOPTED IN ENCLOSED FORM.

THE ESTIMATED ECONOMIC EFFECT OF THE REGULATION ON THE BUSINESS WHICH THE BOARD REGULATES AND ON THE PUBLIC

The economic effect of the regulation on the medical profession:

There will be no economic effect to the medical profession by adoption of this regulation.

The economic effect of the regulation on the general public:

There will be no economic effect to the general public by adoption of this regulation.

THE ESTIMATED COST TO THE NEVADA STATE BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS TO ENFORCE THE PROPOSED REGULATION

The Nevada State Board of Medical Examiners estimates that there will be no additional cost to itself to enforce the proposed regulation.

THE REGULATION OF THE NEVADA STATE BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS DOES NOT OVERLAP OR DUPLICATE ANY REGULATIONS OF ANY OTHER STATE OR GOVERNMENTAL AGENCIES, INCLUDING THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT.

THE REGULATION OF THE NEVADA STATE BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS DOES NOT INCLUDE PROVISIONS WHICH ARE MORE STRINGENT THAN A FEDERAL REGULATION WHICH REGULATES THE SAME ACTIVITY.

THE NEW REGULATION DOES NOT PROVIDE OR INVOLVE A NEW FEE.