

South Dakota Department of Health
Notice of Public Hearing to Adopt Rules

A public hearing will be held at the AmericInn Lodge & Suites, Hospitality Room, 1981 East King Street, Chamberlain, SD 57325, on December 6, 2014, at 8:00 a.m., to consider the adoption and amendment of proposed rules numbered:

20:41:05:01.01; 20:41:05:06; 20:41:05:06.01; 20:41:13:09.01; 20:41:13:12; 20:41:14:07;
20:41:15:06.01; 20:41:15:09

The effect of the rules will be to update requirements for individuals not immediately seeking licensure after graduation; modify requirements for activating an inactive or lapsed chiropractic license; establish rule for activating a lapsed chiropractic radiographic and chiropractic assistant certificate; modify continuing education requirements for chiropractic radiographic and chiropractic assistant certifications; update reference material for peer review process.

The reason for adopting the proposed rules is to clarify licensing process and ensure qualified and competent chiropractors are issued licenses; allow a means for reactivating lapsed chiropractic radiographic and chiropractic assistant certificates; align education requirements with national standards and establish same education cycle for all chiropractic licensees; replace obsolete materials for peer review process.

Persons interested in presenting data, opinions, and arguments for or against the proposed rules may do so by appearing in person at the hearing or by sending them to the South Dakota Board of Chiropractic Examiners, 407 Belmont Avenue, Yankton, SD 57078. Material sent by mail must reach the Chiropractic Board of Examiners by December 4, 2014 to be considered.

After the hearing, the Chiropractic Board of Examiners will consider all written and oral comments it receives on the proposed rules. The Chiropractic Board of Examiners may modify or amend a proposed rule at that time to include or exclude matters that are described in this notice.

Notice is further given to individuals with disabilities that this hearing is being held in a physically accessible place. Please notify the Chiropractic Board of Examiners at least 48 hours before the public hearing if you have special needs for which special arrangements must be made. The telephone number for making special arrangements is (605) 668-9017.

Copies of the proposed rules may be obtained without charge from the following address, the Chiropractic Board website at <http://chiropractic.sd.gov> or rules.sd.gov.

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