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**TITLE 844 MEDICAL LICENSING BOARD OF
INDIANA**

Proposed Rule
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DIGEST

Adds 844 IAC 11-3-3.1 to establish licensure by credentials for respiratory care practitioners. Adds 844 IAC 11-3-4.1 to establish temporary permits by examination for respiratory care practitioners. Effective 30 days after filing with the secretary of state.

844 IAC 11-3-3.1

844 IAC 11-3-4.1

SECTION 1. 844 IAC 11-3-3.1 IS ADDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS:

844 IAC 11-3-3.1 Licensure by credentials

Authority: IC 25-34.5-2-7

Affected: IC 25-34.5-2-6

Sec. 3.1. The committee may issue a license by credentials to an applicant who completes the following:

(1) Applies to the committee in the form and manner required by the board.

(2) Submits the fee required under 844 IAC 11-2-1.

(3) Submits two (2) recent passport-quality photographs of the applicant, no smaller than two (2) inches by two (2) inches, each signed by the applicant at the bottom in black ink.

(4) Submits an official transcript of grades from the school or program from which the applicant obtained the applicant's degree, which shows that all requirements for graduation have been met by the applicant, that meets the standards set by the board under 844 IAC 11-1-2.

(5) Submits an official credentials report, which verifies passing a respiratory care practitioner examination, approved by the board.

(6) If five (5) years have elapsed since the successful completion of the examination, required by the board, the applicant must take and successfully complete an examination approved by board within six (6) months of the date of application for licensure.

(7) Otherwise meets the requirements of IC 25-34.5-2.

(Medical Licensing Board of Indiana; 844 IAC 11-3-3.1)

SECTION 2. 844 IAC 11-3-4.1 IS ADDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS:

844 IAC 11-3-4.1 Temporary permits by examination

Authority: IC 25-34.5-2-6; IC 25-34.5-2-7

Affected: IC 25-34.5-2-10.1

Sec. 4.1. (a) An applicant for a temporary permit by examination under IC 25-34.5-2-10.1(a)(3) will be required to take the examination for licensure within six (6) months after graduation.

(b) The temporary permit by examination will expire six (6) months after graduation.

(c) If the applicant fails to take the examination within the six (6) month period and presents an explanation to the committee in writing, which shows good cause for not taking the examination, the committee may allow the applicant to renew their temporary permit.

(d) The committee shall not issue or renew a temporary permit to an applicant who has failed the examination.
(Medical Licensing Board of Indiana; 844 IAC 11-3-4.1)

Notice of Public Hearing

Under IC 4-22-2-24, notice is hereby given that on October 25, 2001 at 9:45 a.m., at the Indiana Government Center-South, 402 West Washington Street, Conference Center Rooms 4 and 5, Indianapolis, Indiana the Medical Licensing Board of Indiana will hold a public hearing on proposed new rules to establish licensure by credentials and temporary permits by examination for respiratory care practitioners. Copies of these rules are now on file at the Indiana Government Center-South, 402 West Washington Street, Room W041 and Legislative Services Agency, One North Capitol, Suite 325, Indianapolis, Indiana and are open for public inspection.

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