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ALABAMA STATE BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS

NOTICE OF INTENDED ACTION

AGENCY NAME: Alabama Board of Medical Examiners

RULE NO. & TITLE: 540-X-7-.21, Interim Approval Physician Assistant (P.A.)

INTENDED ACTION: To amend the rule

SUBSTANCE OF PROPOSED ACTION: Amend rule to clarify that a physician assistant granted temporary approval may not obtain interim approval

TIME, PLACE, MANNER OF PRESENTING VIEWS: All interested persons may submit data, views, or arguments concerning the proposed new rule(s) and regulation(s) in writing to: Carla H. Kruger, Office of the General Counsel, Alabama State Board of Medical Examiners, Post Office Box 946, Montgomery, Alabama 36101-0946, by mail or in person between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday, until and including September 4, 2020. Persons wishing to obtain copies of the text of this rule and submit data, views, or comments or arguments orally should contact Carla H. Kruger by telephone (334-242-4116) during said period in order to set up an appointment for a hearing respecting such oral data, views, or arguments. Copies can also be obtained at the Board's web site, www.albme.org.

FINAL DATE FOR COMMENT AND COMPLETION OF NOTICE: September 4, 2020

CONTACT PERSON AT AGENCY: Carla H. Kruger

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "William M. Perkins", written over a horizontal line.

(Signature of officer authorized
to promulgate and adopt
rules or his or her deputy)

540-X-7-.21 Interim Approval-Physician Assistant (P.A.). A physician assistant ~~previously approved to practice in a registration agreement under the provisions of Board Rules, Chapter 540-X-7,~~ may obtain interim approval of a supervised practice with an interim supervising physician after confirmed receipt by the Board of Medical Examiners of a registration application and may continue in interim practice until such time as the pending application for registration is approved or denied, provided the interim supervising physician meets the qualifications established in Rule 540-X-7-.17. A physician assistant granted temporary approval of their license may not obtain interim approval.

Author: Alabama Board of Medical Examiners

Statutory Authority: Code of Ala. 1975, §§34-24-290, et. seq.

History: Repealed and Replaced: Filed September 21, 1998; effective October 26, 1998. **Repealed and New Rule:** Filed August 22, 2002; effective September 26, 2002.

Repealed and New Rule: Filed September 19, 2002; effective October 24, 2002.

Amended: Filed August 2, 2018; effective September 16, 2018.