

Administrative Rule Analysis



SOCIAL WORK – GENERAL RULES

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Department: Licensing and Regulatory Affairs
Agency: Bureau of Professional Licensing
Enabling Statute: Public Health Code, 1978 PA 368, MCL 333.16145 et seq.

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BACKGROUND AND SUMMARY OF PROPOSED RULES

2017-094 LR would make numerous changes to rules pertaining to the social work profession. The set would alter the definitions section of the rules to update accreditation information and to clarify language regarding the social work examination. Requirements for registration as a social service technician would be altered to allow for a greater number of experience hours to be accrued in a given year. Numerous changes would be made to the part of the rules related to licensure as a bachelor's of social work, including increasing the number of experience hours that may be accrued annually and requiring a relicensure applicant to establish their good moral character. Similar changes that were made to the part on bachelor's licensure would also be made to the part pertaining to licensure as a master's of social work. Lastly, the rule set would make changes to the part related to continuing education.

FISCAL IMPACT OF PROPOSED RULES

2017-094 LR would not have a fiscal impact on any unit of state or local government.

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