

# Administrative Rule Analysis



## PODIATRIC MEDICINE AND SURGERY – GENERAL RULES

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**Rule Set No.: 2023-58 LR**  
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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, 333.16148, 333.16174, 333.16178, 333.16182, 333.16186, 333.16204, 333.16205, 333.16287, 333.18031, and 333.18033 et seq.**

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## BACKGROUND AND SUMMARY OF PROPOSED RULES

Rule Set 2023-58 LR would make numerous amendments, rescissions, and additions to the rules pertaining to the podiatry profession. The changes would accomplish the following:

- Add definitions
- Rescind and relocate several existing sections
- Update accreditation standards to reflect the latest educational standards
- Remove the jurisprudence examination requirement for initial licensure, licensure by endorsement, and relicensure
- Expand the list of accepted continuing education providers
- Clarify that implicit bias training may be used to satisfy continuing education requirements
- Raise the fee for copies of standards adopted by reference from a rate of \$0.10 per page to \$0.25 cents per page.

## FISCAL IMPACT OF PROPOSED RULES

2023-58 LR is not anticipated to affect the expenditures or revenues of any state or local government units. Any fiscal impact from the fee increase related to copies of standards adopted by reference would likely be minimal, and thus would not have any appreciable impact on revenue for the Department of Licensing and Regulatory Affairs.

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