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NEWS

Chiropractic Physicians' Board

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**DC License Renewals for 2017/2018 are
DUE BY DECEMBER 31, 2016.**

LICENSE RENEWAL

To renew your license online visit the Boards' website at chirobd.nv.gov. You may also submit the paper renewal application located under "Application Info" for active or inactive status.

BOARD NEWS

The Board welcomes its two new Board Members in Northern Nevada effective November 1, 2016

Morgan Rovetti, DC

and

Xavier Martinez, DC

Message from the President

Happy Holidays on behalf of the Chiropractic Physicians' Board of Nevada! The Board would like to give thanks to Dr. David Rovetti and Dr. Lawrence Davis for their last eight years of service as professional Board Members. I appreciate each of you for your experience and lessons you have taught me along the way. I would like to welcome and congratulate Dr. Morgan Rovetti and Dr. Xavier Martinez on their appointment as the newest Board Members. As a Board, we look forward to serving with you in public safety.

I would like to thank our Board Executive Director, Board staff, Board attorney, and fellow Board Members for their hard work and dedication you give and have given in representing the Chiropractic Physicians' Board of Nevada during the past year. Your experience and knowledge in regulations, as well as public safety do not go unrecognized. Thank you!

We invite each of you to view the Boards website and we hope you find the updated format, information, and on-line payment more user friendly. DC license renewal is currently upon us and this is a very busy time of year for our staff. Please be sure you have completed all continuing education requirements (36 hours) before beginning the renewal process. This makes for a faster and smoother renewal process.

As a reminder, we invite you to attend our Board meetings and public comment at the beginning and end of each meeting, and is always welcomed. Our first meeting of 2017 will on Friday, January 13, 2017 in Las Vegas, Nevada.

Dr. Benjamin S. Lurie, President
Chiropractic Physicians' Board of Nevada

CONTINUING EDUCATION

Pursuant to NAC 634.385 it is the licensees responsibility to retain their continuing education certificates.

If you have renewed your license in previous years you are required to provide 36 hours of continuing education (may be attended online) attained from January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2016.

If you obtained your first license certificate during 2015 ~ 2016, continuing education hours are not required for the 2017/2018 renewal period.

The Board accepts all Providers of Approved Continuing Education (PACE) courses.

Continuing Education certificates may be faxed, mailed, or e-mailed to the Board office.

To view Nevada Board and/or PACE approved courses, select the following link
[Continuing Education](#)

HOUSEKEEPING

- [Chiropractor's Assistants](#) - Please print the most recent application from the Boards' website chirobd.nv.gov or by selecting the following link [CA APPLICATION](#). Please be certain to complete the application in its entirety. Call the Board office if you have any questions.

Board Correspondence: In addition to regular USPS mail, please watch for Board correspondence via email.

EXAMINATIONS

The jurisprudence examination for DC applicants is now available on-line!!

Each applicant has the option to take the jurisprudence exam on-line through Myicourse or in person at the Board's office complex in Reno, Nevada on the second Wednesday of each month. The 2017 dates are as follows:

EXAMINATIONS cont.

January 11

April 12

July 12

October 11

February 8

May 10

August 9

November 8

March 8

June 14

September 13

December 13

CONGRATULATIONS to the following Chiropractic Physicians who passed the exam for DC licensure.

Devoree Bang

Brianna McNall

Joshua Redd

Richard Ford

Michael Milman

Johnathan Tinsley

Valentin Krivitsky

Jonathan Parham

Glenn Lunceford

Alexandar Peters

CONGRATULATIONS to those who passed the Chiropractor's Assistant exam on August 18, 2016.

Heidi Allen

Bo Ram Kim

Karla Nevarez

Luz Barosio

Heather Kuhn

Erika Ortiz

Alyssa Baskiewicz

Beverly Kuhn

Ashley Perez

Dana Cano

Beverly Liggett

Karina Perez

Samantha Fazzio

Lance Lisitza

Jamie Reyes-Rios

Pedro Gutierrez

Nicole Lopez

Chase Schroeder

Julie Hearn

Tanesha McKeever

Charvonnia Williams

Heidi Hegglund

Anais Melendez-Estrada

Katherine Hemberger

Amy Moore

Michael Karl

Melissa Munoz

The next CA exam will take place on February 16, 2017 at the Boards' office complex in Reno and at the College of Southern Nevada, 6375 W. Charleston Blvd., Building I—Library Building—Room 108 Auditorium, Las Vegas, NV. Applicants working full-time (21 hours or more per week) must have completed six months of on-the-job training and applicants working part-time (less than 21 hours per week) must have completed one year of on-the-job training, or have attained equivalent education in order to sit for the examination. **Please select the following link for the CA reference guides: [References for Chiropractic Assistants](#)**

The 79th Session of the Nevada Legislature will begin on
February 6, 2017.

Stay tuned for information pertaining to the Chiropractic
Physicians' Board of Nevada

DISCIPLINARY ACTIONS

Mark Rubin, DC, License Number B648 Effective September 10, 2016

Dr. Rubin entered into a Settlement Agreement and Order with the Board on September 10, 2016, which orders his license to be on probation for three years. The matter stems from Dr. Rubin practicing chiropractic while collecting supplemental Security Disability and not properly reporting his income to the Social Security Administration.

Dr. Rubin admits to the First (Failure to Make, Maintain, and Provide Medical Records) and Second (Failure to Notify Patients of Lack of Malpractice Insurance) Causes of Action, and did not contest the Fourth (Making False Statement to Investigation) Cause of Action. Regarding the Third Cause of Action, Dr. Rubin did not

contest that his conduct may have constituted a violation of NRS 634.018 (10) as conduct unbecoming a chiropractic physician in that he did not notify SSD of his earnings as chiropractic physician for the time period of March 2014 to March 2016.

Dr. Rubin's license shall be on probation for a period of three years effective September 10, 2016. Dr. Rubin shall provide documentation as noted in the Settlement Agreement and Order to the Investigating Board Member within the time frames identified.

BOARD MEMBERS

Dr. Benjamin S. Lurie, President, Las Vegas

Dr. Margaret Colucci, Vice President, Las Vegas

Dr. Jason O. Jaeger, Secretary-Treasurer, Las Vegas

Dr. Xavier Martinez, Member, Reno

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**Happy Holidays and may you all have a Merry Christmas
and a healthy and prosperous New Year!**