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<u>Next Board Meeting – Thursday, February 3, 2022 at 9:00 a.m.</u>

Happy New Year!

Attention: Chiropractic Assistants Re: January 2022 – Continuing Education Audit

If you are selected in the CE audit you will receive a postcard asking that you submit your certificates totaling 12 hours.

Please submit your certificates upon receipt of this notice by one of the following options:

- 1) Email to cpbn@chirobd.nv.gov or chirobd@chirobd.nv.gov
- 2) By Fax: (775) 688-1920

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Annual Self-Inspection January 1 through March 31 of each year.

<u>Biennial Self-Inspection</u>: The submittal of the self-inspection has been aligned with the DC license renewal, October 1 through December 31 of each even year. (Please see the revised language on page 2 under Board Regulation News – NAC 634.384)

Biennial Renewal: October 1, 2022 through December 31, 2022

Business Entities: Initial Registration by January 1, 2022 Renew by May 31 of each year

BOARD REGULATION NEWS

• Effective <u>December 21, 2021</u> the Legislative Commission approved the Boards Regulation R179-20, which includes the following revisions:

In accordance with NRS 622.530 the Board will issue License by Endorsement.

(a) Holds a corresponding valid and unrestricted license to engage in the practice of chiropractic in the District of Columbia or any state or territory of the United States;

(b) Possesses qualifications that are substantially similar to the qualifications required for issuance of a license to engage in the practice of chiropractic in this State;

(c) Has successfully completed parts I, II, III and IV of the examination administered by the National Board of Chiropractic Examiners, or its successor organization, or those parts of the examination in effect at the time that the applicant obtained his or her initial licensure to engage in the practice of chiropractic in the District of Columbia or any state or territory of the United States;

(d) Has actively engaged in the practice of chiropractic in another state for not less than 7 of the 10 years immediately preceding the date of submission of the application;

(e) Provides an affidavit stating that the information contained in the application and any accompanying material is true and complete

(f) Completes the application for endorsement provided by the Board; and (g) Pays the fees prescribed by NAC 634.200 for an application for a license to practice chiropractic and the issuance of such a license.

2. The Board will not issue a license by endorsement to engage in the practice of chiropractic in this State if:

(a) The Board is prohibited from issuing the license by subsection 2 of NRS 622.530; or (b) The report from the Federal Bureau of Investigation pursuant to paragraph (g) of subsection 2 of NRS 622.530 indicates that the applicant has been convicted of a crime described in subsection 3 of NRS 634.140 and the Board has not previously taken disciplinary action against the licensee based on that conviction. 3. A license by endorsement to engage in the practice of chiropractic issued pursuant to this section may be issued at a meeting of the Board or between meetings of the Board by the President and Executive Director of the Board. Such an issuance is deemed to be an action of the Board.

NAC 634.355 (2) (a) Satisfies one of the following: (1) [Is certified as a chiropractor's assistant by a] Has successfully completed an educational program [for chiropractor's assistants] offered by a high school, community college, state university or private post-secondary school that is approved by the Board; or (2) Has had 6 months of full-time, or 12 months of part-time, training and employment as a chiropractor's assistant trainee from a licensee.

Self-Inspection

Sec. 4. NAC 634.384 is hereby amended to read as follows: 634.384 Each licensee shall [annually] biennially submit a self-inspection form prescribed by the Board. The self-inspection form must be received by the Board [between January 1 and March 31.] on or before December 31 of each even-numbered year. The Board will reject a self-inspection form submitted pursuant to this section if the form is incomplete. This revision aligns the self-inspection with the DC renewal.

DISCIPLINARY ACTION

Pursuant to NAC 634.384, each licensed chiropractic physician must submit annually a self-inspection form to the Board's office between January 1 and March 31.

The Board served by certified mail a Citation to the chiropractic physicians, which offered the chiropractic physician two options (1) to pay a fine of \$150.00 and provide the self-inspection form within 30 days of the Citation, or (2) to appeal the Citation to the Board. The chiropractic physicians listed below did not communicate either way.

At its October 28, 2021 meeting, the Board approved a Settlement Agreement & Order with the following chiropractic physicians who were found in violation of NAC 634.384 and for failure to timely respond to the Citation. The chiropractic physicians agreed to submit their 2021 self-inspection, pay a fine of \$150.00 and pay fees and costs associated with the investigation and prosecution in the amount of \$100.00.

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