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NOTICE OF INTENT TO ACT UPON A REGULATION

Notice of Hearing for the Amendment of Regulations of the Board of Health

LCB File No. R103-24P relating to licensing Qualified Residential Treatment Programs (QRTP) in the state of Nevada

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the State Board of Health will hold a public hearing to consider amendments to Chapter 432B of Nevada Administrative Code (NAC). This public hearing is to be held at the State Board of Health meeting on December 6, 2024, at 9:00 AM. The State Board of Health will be conducted via videoconference beginning at 9:00 AM on December 6, 2024, at the following locations:

- Join via Teams: https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting_Njc0YjUxMDItYzljYy00YTBlThkNTktYmlxY2YxYjYyMGlz%40thead.v2/0?context=%7b%22Tid%22%3a%22e4a340e6-b89e-4e68-8eaa-1544d2703980%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%22768e443d-3be6-48f0-9bb0-7e72f1276b8d%22%7d
- Join By Phone: (775) 321-6111
Phone Conference ID: 758 031 181#
- Physical Locations:
Division of Public and Behavioral Health
Hearing Room 303
4150 Technology Way
Carson City, NV 89706
Southern Nevada Health District
Red Rock Trail Rooms A & B
208 S. Decatur Blvd.
Las Vegas, NV 89107

R103-24P seeks to amend NAC Chapter 432B to establish licensing regulations for Qualified Residential Treatment Facilities (QRTP).

1. Anticipated effects on the businesses which NAC 432B regulates:

- A. Adverse effects: None anticipated
- B. Beneficial: No beneficial financial impacts are anticipated on small businesses.
- C. Immediate: None anticipated by the passage of these proposed regulations
- D. Long-term: None anticipated.

2. Anticipated effects on the public:

- A. Adverse effects: None anticipated
- B. Beneficial: No beneficial financial impacts are anticipated on small businesses.
- C. Immediate: None anticipated by the passage of these proposed regulations
- D. Long-term: None anticipated.

3. The Division of Child and Family Services determined the impact on small businesses by conducting a public workshop on September 30, 2024. The Division sent an email containing a link to the Small Business Impact Questionnaire to the public and specific behavioral healthcare programs for the treatment of youth who need residential care and treatment.

4. There should be no additional costs to the agency to enforce the proposed regulations.

5. The proposed regulations do not overlap or duplicate any other Nevada State or federal regulations.

6. The proposed regulations do not impose any fees for licensure in the proposed regulations to operate a QRTP as outlined in LCB File No. R103-24P

Members of the public may make oral comments at this meeting. Persons wishing to submit written testimony or documentary evidence in excess of two typed, 8-1/2" x 11" pages must submit the material to the Board's Secretary, Cody Phinney, to be received no later than November 29, 2024, at the following address:

Secretary, State Board of Health
Division of Public and Behavioral Health
4150 Technology Way, Suite 300
Carson City, NV 89706
stateBOH@health.nv.gov

Written comments, testimony, or documentary evidence in excess of two typed pages will not be accepted at the time of the hearing. The purpose of this requirement is to allow Board members adequate time to review the documents. A copy of the notice and proposed regulations are on file for inspection and/or may be copied at the following locations during normal business hours:

- Nevada Division of Public and Behavioral Health - 4150 Technology Way, Suite #300, Carson City, NV 89706
- Nevada Division of Public and Behavioral Health - 4220 S. Maryland Parkway, Bldg. A, Ste. 100, Las Vegas, NV 89119
- Nevada State Library and Archives - 100 Stewart Street Carson City, NV, 89701

A copy of the regulations and small business impact statement can be found on-line by going to: <https://dpbh.nv.gov/Boards/BOH/Regulations/Regulations/>

A copy of the public hearing notice can also be found at Nevada Legislature's web page:
<https://www.leg.state.nv.us/App/Notice/A/>

Copies may be obtained in person, by mail, or by calling the Division of Public and Behavioral Health at (775) 684-2201

Copies may also be obtained from the Nevada State Library at the address listed below:

Nevada State Library & Archives
100 N. Stewart Street
Carson City, NV 89701

Per NRS 233B.064(2), upon adoption of any regulation, the agency, if requested to do so by an interested person, either prior to adoption or within 30 days thereafter, shall issue a concise statement of the principal reasons for and against its adoption, and incorporate therein its reason for overruling the consideration urged against its adoption.