

Notice of Public Hearing

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Under [IC 4-22-2-24](#), notice is hereby given that on August 16, 2023, at 10:00 a.m., at the Indiana Government Center South, 402 West Washington Street, Room W064, Indianapolis, Indiana, the Indiana Optometry Board will hold a public hearing on a proposed rule to add [852 IAC 1-18](#) concerning convictions of concern.

The proposed rule does not impose requirements or costs under [IC 4-22-2-24\(d\)\(3\)](#). This rule implements the provisions of [IC 25-1-1.1-6](#) requiring every board, commission, or committee under [IC 25](#) to revise its licensing or certification requirements to explicitly list the convictions of concern that may disqualify an individual from receiving a license; to establish criteria to determine whether an applicant should be denied a license if they have a conviction of concern; and to establish a procedure for an individual to receive a pre-application determination as to whether their criminal history would preclude them from obtaining a license.

Copies of these rules are now on file at the Indiana Professional Licensing Agency, Indiana Government Center South, 402 West Washington Street, Room W072, Indianapolis, Indiana and are open for public inspection and copying.

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