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TITLE 844 MEDICAL LICENSING BOARD OF INDIANA

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Under IC 4-22-2-23, the Medical Licensing Board of Indiana intends to adopt a rule concerning the following:

OVERVIEW: This rule makes changes regarding the practice of physical therapy. Amends 844 IAC 6-1-4 to incorporate by reference the April 2002 edition of Commission on Accreditation in Physical Therapy Education, Accreditation Handbook. Amends 844 IAC 6-3-1 to revise the requirements for licensure by endorsement for physical therapists and physical therapist's assistants. Amends 844 IAC 6-3-2 to revise the requirements for licensure by examination for physical therapists and physical therapist's assistants. Amends 844 IAC 6-3-4 to revise the application requirements for licensure as a physical therapist and certification for physical therapist's assistants. Amends 844 IAC 6-3-5 to revise the requirements for a temporary permit. Amends 844 IAC 6-4-3 to change registration to certificate. Amends 844 IAC 6-6 to modify the requirements for the reinstatement of suspended license to practice as a physical therapist and certificate to act as a physical therapist's assistant. Amends 844 IAC 6-7 to revise the standards of professional conduct and competent practice of physical therapy and practice as a physical therapist's assistant. Establish requirements for the collection and use of the Social Security number for applicants who apply for a license, certificate, or permit under IC 25-27-1. Questions or comments concerning the proposed rules may be directed to: Physical Therapist Committee, Indiana Government Center-South, 402 West Washington Street, Room W066, Indianapolis, Indiana 46204 or by electronic mail to tthompson@hpb.state.in.us. Statutory authority: IC 25-22.5-2-7; IC 25-27-1-5.