

**RULE IMPACT STATEMENT
PROPOSED PERMANENT RULES**

**TITLE 435. STATE BOARD OF MEDICAL LICENSURE AND SUPERVISION
CHAPTER 7. ADMINISTRATIVE REMEDIES**

PROPOSED RULES:

435:7-1-1. Administrative remedy, notice of intention to impose administrative remedy, and service of notice [AMENDED]

435:7-1-5. ~~Allowed~~ Non disciplinary administrative remedies [AMENDED]

435:7-1-6. Confidentiality of patient information in notice ~~and~~ or final administrative remedy order [AMENDED]

PURPOSE OF PROPOSED RULES:

The proposed rules allow for all administrative remedies to be available to all licensees of the Board as passed in SB 597 and signed April 30, 2024. The proposed rules clarify the header and content for non-disciplinary administrative remedies but does not increase the fees. The rules also clarify the method of redaction of patient information presented to the Board.

CLASSES AFFECTED:

The classes of persons most likely to be affected by the proposed amendments are the Board, the Board's staff, and licensees of the Oklahoma State Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision.

PERSONS BENEFITTED:

The classes of persons most likely to benefit from the proposed amendments are the Board, the Board's staff, and licensees of the Oklahoma State Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision.

PROBABLE ECONOMIC IMPACT:

1. On affected classes: There will be little or no impact due to the proposed changes in these rules.

2. On political subdivision: There will be little or no impact due to the proposed changes in these rules.

3. Fees: There will be little or no impact due to the proposed changes in these rules.

PROBABLE COST TO THE AGENCY:

Minimal administrative only. No additional personnel or budget expenses are anticipated.

WILL THE RULES IMPACT POLITICAL SUBDIVISIONS:

No economic impact, or a need for cooperation from political subdivisions, is anticipated.

SMALL BUSINESS IMPACT:

There is no anticipated adverse impact on small business, with reference to Sections 303(A)(4) and 303(B)(6) of the APA.

ALTERNATIVE METHODS AND COSTS OF COMPLIANCE:

There are no apparent alternative methods for compliance. The Agency does not anticipate any additional costs of administration due to implementation of these rule changes.

PUBLIC HEALTH/ SAFETY CONCERNS:

There will be no adverse impact or concerns with public health, safety or environment that will result for these proposed rule changes.

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