

THE FLORIDA BOARD OF PHYSICAL THERAPY PRACTICE

ANNUAL REGULATORY PLAN 2019-20

This Annual Regulatory Plan is being filed and published pursuant to section 120.74, *Florida Statutes*. The Plan covers the period beginning October 1, 2019 and ending September 30, 2020.

PART ONE LAWS ENACTED OR AMENDED

Part One of the Plan addresses each law enacted or amended during the 2019 Legislative Session which creates or modifies the duties or authority of the Board of Physical Therapy Practice. §120.74(1)(a), Fla. Stat.

Law Enacted or Modified on or after Oct. 1, 2018	Florida Statute (modified or created)	Rule (impacted)	Must Agency Adopt Rules?	If Rulemaking Necessary, Notice of Development Published in Florida Administrative Register?	Expected Publication Date for Notice of Proposed Rulemaking	If Rulemaking Not Necessary, Explain
2019-152 Human Trafficking	456.0341	64B17-9.001 Continuing Education	No			While rulemaking is not mandatory, the Board plans to review proposed language at its November meeting to address human trafficking education to implement Section 456.0341.

2019-137 Telehealth	456.47 Use of telehealth to provide services.	New Rule	No			The Board has authority to adopt rules to administer this new law. The Board will discuss this new law at its November 2019 public meeting and propose rulemaking as it deems appropriate.
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PART TWO
LAWS EXPECTED TO BE IMPLEMENTED THROUGH RULEMAKING

Part Two of this plan addresses those laws which the Board of Physical Therapy Practice intends to implement through rulemaking by July 1, 2020 that are otherwise not covered pursuant to Part One of this Plan. This Part does not include emergency rulemaking or any other rulemaking that may become necessary that was not evident to the Board at the time of the submission of this plan. Additionally, the listing of a law to be implemented does not mean the rule will necessarily be adopted or effective by July 1, 2020. §120.74(1)(b), Fla. Stat.

Rule Number And Title	Law Expected to Be Implemented Through Rulemaking	Intent of Rulemaking
64B17-3.001 Licensure	456.013, 486.031, 486.081, 486.102, 486.107	Clarification of licensure requirements and accepted documents; clarification of licensure application.
64B17-7.001 Disciplinary Guidelines	456.072, 486.125	Review and update violations and penalties.
64B17-9.001 Continuing Education	456.013(6), 486.109, 456.0341	Review and update continuing education opportunities and requirements.

PART THREE
UPDATES TO PRIOR YEAR'S PLAN

Part Three of the Plan addresses whether there are any updates to the prior year's regulatory plan. §120.74(c), Fla. Stat.

- There are no updates to the prior year's annual regulatory plan.

PART FOUR
CERTIFICATION PURSUANT TO §120.74(1)(d), Fla. Stat. (2017)

The undersigned hereby certify that they have reviewed this Annual Regulatory Plan and that the Board of Physical Therapy Practice regularly reviews all of its rules to determine if the rules remain consistent with the Board's rulemaking authority and the laws being implemented, with the most comprehensive enhanced review having been completed on the 30th day of June 2015 with continuing board review through August 2019.

/S/ Kay Tasso, P.T., Ph.D., P.C.S.
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Kay Tasso, P.T., Ph.D., P.C.S.
Chair of the Board of Physical Therapy Practice

September 5, 2019
Date Signed

/S/ Lynette Norr, Esq.
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Lynette Norr
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