

# THE FLORIDA BOARD OF ORTHOTISTS AND PROSTHETISTS

## 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 Orthotists and Prosthetists. §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
Ch. 2019-137, Laws of Florida, Effective July 1, 2019 (HB 23) (Telehealth)	§§456.47; 627.42396; 641.31(45), F.S.	N/A	No	N/A	N/A	Section 456.47(7), F.S., grants the Board authority to create rules to administer this section. It does not require creation of rules to implement and leaves it at the discretion of the Board to determine what rules are needed to administer the section, if any.

**PART TWO**  
**LAWS EXPECTED TO BE IMPLEMENTED THROUGH RULEMAKING**

Part Two of this plan addresses those laws which the Board of Orthotists and Prosthetists intends to implement through rulemaking by July 1, 2019 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, 2019. §120.74(1)(b), Fla. Stat.

<b>Rule Number And Title</b>	<b>Law Expected to Be Implemented Through Rulemaking</b>	<b>Intent of Rulemaking</b>
64B14-4.003, F.A.C., (Documentation of Eligibility for Licensure).	§§456.013(1), (7); 456.0635; and 468.803, F.S.	Amendment to clarify incorporated application.
64B14-4.005, F.A.C., (Documentation of Eligibility for Registration).	§§468.803, and 456.0635, F.S.	Amendment to clarify incorporated application.
64B14-4.100, F.A.C., (Requirement for Residency or Internship).	§468.803, F.S.	Amendment to clarify incorporated application.
64B14-4.115, F.A.C., (Requirements for Renewal of Residency or Internship.)	§468.803(3), F.S.	Amendment to clarify incorporated application.
64B14-7.003, F.A.C., (Disciplinary Guidelines).	§§456.072, 456.079(2), and 468.811, F.S.	Simplify, Clarify, and Increase Efficiency.


**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 not any updates to the prior year's annual regulatory plan.

**PART FOUR**  
**CERTIFICATION PURSUANT TO §120.74(1)(d), Fla. Stat. (2018)**

The undersigned hereby certify that they have reviewed this Annual Regulatory Plan and that the Board of Hearing Aid Specialists 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/   
Electronic Signature  
Brett Saunders, C.P.O., F.A.A.O.P.  
Chair of the Board of Orthotists and Prosthetists

September 7, 2019  
Date Signed

/s/   
Electronic Signature  
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Assistant Attorney General  
Counsel to the Board of Orthotists and Prosthetists

9/09/2019  
Date Signed