State of California Office of Administrative Law

In re: Acupuncture Board

Regulatory Action:

Title 16, California Code of Regulations

Amend sections: 1399.480, 1399.489, 1399.489.1 NOTICE OF APPROVAL OF REGULATORY ACTION

Government Code Section 11349.3

OAL Matter Number: 2024-0607-03

OAL Matter Type: Regular (S)

This regular rulemaking action by the Acupuncture Board revises the continuing education requirements for licensed acupuncturists by adding a requirement to complete at least four hours of law and ethics education as part of the total continuing education hours necessary to renew an active license or to restore an inactive license to active status. In the case of a license that has been inactive for less than one year, this action also changes from 22 hours to 22.5 hours the total amount of Category 1 continuing education necessary to return to the license to active status.

OAL approves this regulatory action pursuant to section 11349.3 of the Government Code. This regulatory action becomes effective on 10/1/2024.

Date: July 22, 2024

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