Board Rules Update

The administrative regulations for the Board of Medical Practice have been revised. The updated version has an effective date of May 1, 2024. The most significant changes are the addition of regulations enacting the new telehealth credentials for MDs, PAs, and podiatrists that are discussed above.



Apart from the telehealth additions, many of the revisions are technical in nature. Some of the more notable revisions apart from the telehealth credentials include:

- Addition of details about the makeup and meetings of the Board's Licensing Committee.
- Amendment of the wording about a licensee's obligation to promptly inform the Board when their contact information changes. This is to provide greater clarity that the obligation includes changes to what is designated by the licensee as their "public address."
- Revision of the language about the time limitation for passing all sections of the USMLE to address the period during COVID-19 when administration of the USMLE was suspended.
- Modification of some of the requirements for supervision of radiologist assistants.

The revised rules are available on the Board's website.

The Board is already beginning to work on the next revision to the Rules to adopt changes to the licensing process that were recently approved by the Board. Individuals and organizations are invited to submit suggestions for changes to Rules. Suggestions may be emailed to AHS.VDHMedicalBoard@vermont.gov