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Notice of Rulemaking

The State Board of Examiners of Alcoholism & Drug Abuse Counselors hereby issue the following proposed amendments to its Rules pursuant to its authority under Ark. Code Ann. § 17-27-406.

Pursuant to the following acts of the 95th General Assembly (2021), the Rules of the State Board of Examiners of Alcoholism & Drug Abuse Counselors are being updated to include the following:

- (1) Act 746 – Provides for licensure of an individual holding a ‘work permit’.
- (2) Act 748 - Removes the term ‘permanently disqualifying offenses’ from Rule 4.
- (3) Act 725 - The Board shall waive the initial licensing fee to those individuals that qualify under the Workforce Expansion Act.
- (4) Act 135 – Revises Military licensure for purpose of renaming, adding additional qualified persons, and granting exemptions regarding renewals.
- (5) Act 968 – Adds volunteer services provided under the Volunteer Healthcare Act.
- (6) Removes the section on Registered Clinical Supervisors from Rule 4, as the Board no longer gives this credential.

This proposed policy is available at the Dept. of Health, 4815 W. Markham St., Little Rock, AR 72205. You may also access it on the State Board of Examiners of Alcoholism & Drug Abuse Counselors’s website at: www.sbeadac.org. All public comments should be addressed to the Board Administrator, Box 42A at the above address and should be received no later than December 13, 2021.