

PROPOSED DETOX RULE CHANGES—changes to 16.2.16 NMAC

- I. The application requirements for certified auricular detoxification specialist certification, in addition to requirements specified in 16.2.16.10 NMAC, shall include receipt of the following by the board:
 - a. The board approved jurisprudence examination covering the act and the rules with a passing score of not less than one hundred percent (100%); and
 - b. The clean needle technique examination, completed with a score of not less than one hundred percent (100%); and...
- II. In 16.2.16.17A the requirements for registration of a certified auricular detoxification specialist supervisor, in addition to those specified in 16.2.16.17A (1) shall include that the applicant for registration shall “demonstrate experience in auricular detoxification by providing:
 - a. a resume and three (3) references; or
 - b. NADA certification; and...”
- III. In 16.2.16.17A, the requirement in the present Section (3) that a registered certified auricular detoxification specialist supervisor shall supervise no more than thirty (30) certified auricular detoxification specialists is to be amended to require that the certified auricular detoxification specialist supervisor “shall supervise no more than thirty (30) certified auricular detoxification specialists at a time”...
- IV. In 16.2.16.18E (2), as in the previous change, the applicant for registration as a certified auricular detoxification specialist supervisor shall affirm his or her understanding that s/he may “supervise no more than thirty (3) certified auricular detoxification specialists at a time; and...”
- V. In 16.2.16.18E (8) the current requirement that the applicant for registration as a certified auricular detoxification specialist supervisor shall affirm his or her understanding that s/he shall “be responsible for the delivery of competent professional services and obtaining patient consents” is to be amended to conform to the requirements of 16.2.16.17B so as to read, “be responsible for the delivery of competent professional services and ensuring that patient consents are obtained; and...”
- VI. In 16.2.16.26C an auricular detoxification specialist training program seeking board approval, currently required to prove that it has successfully completed a curriculum of studies, shall instead be required to provide the board with a curriculum meeting the requirements specified in Section (1) immediately following

- VII. In 16.2.16.26C (2) an auricular detoxification specialist training program seeking board approval, in addition to the other requirements outlined in this section, shall submit to the board a curriculum that includes “successful completion of treatment on forty (40) clients, using auricular detoxification, at any site approved by the board, under any registered auricular detoxification specialist supervisor; and...”
- VIII. In 16.2.16.26, an auricular detoxification specialist training program seeking board approval need no longer include “(3) the clean needle technique examination; and (4) the board approved jurisprudence examination covering the act and the rules with a passing score of not less than one hundred percent (100%)”, as these will now be provided by the board on its form for applicants for certification as a certified auricular detoxification specialist, as required in the proposed amendment to 16.2.16.10E NMAC
- IX. In 16.2.16.26E, an auricular detoxification specialist training program seeking board approval shall submit to the board, in addition to the other requirements specified in 16.2.16.26, “the name or names of the trainer(s) who shall be teaching in the program and copies of their qualification as trainers from NADA or of their CVs demonstrating experience in the field of treatment or prevention of drug abuse, alcoholism and/or chemical dependency and their license, certification or legal recognition to practice acupuncture and/or oriental medicine in New Mexico or other jurisdiction; and...”

CLEAN UP CHANGES ONLY:

- I. In what is now 16.2.165.10K.7, reference to “externship certification or externship supervisor registration” is to be changed to “certified auricular detoxification specialist certification or certified auricular detoxification specialist supervisor registration”.
- II. In what is now 16.2.16.9 the following will be removed, “**16.2.16.9 CERTIFIED AURICULAR DETOXIFICATION SPECIALISTS TRAINING AND EXAMINATION REQUIREMENTS:** A certified auricular detoxification specialist applicant shall provide satisfactory proof that he or she has successfully completed a board approved auricular detoxification specialist training program as defined in 16.2.16.26 NMAC (Section 26 of Part 16 of the rules) ~~that specifies~~ successful completion of:
A. clean needle technique training; and
B. the clean needle technique examination; and
C. the board approved jurisprudence examination covering the act and the rules with a score of not less than one hundred percent (100%).
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