

NOTICE OF RULE ADOPTION—FINAL RULE

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

Mississippi State Board of Medical Licensure



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Specific Legal Authority Authorizing the promulgation of
Rule: {Insert citation to state or federal statute, or
rule Section 73-43-11

Reference to Rules repealed, amended or suspended by the
Proposed Rule : {Insert citation to specific rule(s) repealed,
amended or suspended Chapter 25 Regulations to Prescribing,
Administering and Dispensing of Medication

Date Rule Proposed:

Explanation of the Purpose of the Proposed Rule and the reason(s) for proposing the rule: {Insert here
This amends section 900 of the current regulation to remove the statement that physicians must never delegate to non-physician personnel
the responsibility to determine the type, dosage, frequency of application and number of refills of any controlled substances prescribed.

The Agency Rule Making Record for this rule including any written comments received during the comment period
and the record of any oral proceeding is available for public inspection by contacting the Agency at the above address.

An oral proceeding was held on this rule:

Date:
Time:
Place:

An oral proceeding was not held on this rule.

The Agency has considered the written comments and the presentations made in any oral proceedings, and

This rule as adopted is without variance from the proposed rule.

This rule as adopted differs from the proposed rule as there are minor editorial changes which affect the form
rather than the substance of the rule.

The rule as adopted differs from the proposed rule. The differences however are:
Within the scope of the matters in the Notice of Proposed Rule Adoption, the logical outgrowth of the contents of
the Notice of Proposed Rule Adoption and the comments submitted in response thereto, and
The Notice of Proposed Rule Adoption provided fair warning that the outcome of the proposed rule adoption could
be the rule in question.

The entire text of the Proposed Rule including the text of any rule being amended or changed is attached.

Effective Date of Rule: 30 days after filing.

Signature and Title of Person Submitting Rule for Filing
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MISSISSIPPI STATE BOARD OF MEDICAL LICENSURE

TO: Mississippi Secretary of State
From: Mississippi State Board of Medical Licensure
Date: March 12, 2009
Subject: Notice of Proposed Rule Adoption - Final Rule

Mississippi Code §73-43-11 gives the Mississippi State Board of Medical Licensure the power to promulgate and publish reasonable rules and regulations necessary to enable it to discharge its functions and to enforce the provisions of law regulating the practice of medicine.

This rule as adopted is without variance from the proposed rule.

This is an amendment to Board regulation, Chapter 25, Section 900, Regulations Pertaining to Prescribing, Administering and Dispensing of Medication, Prescription Guidelines - Controlled Substances. It removes the statement that physicians must never delegate to non-physician personnel the responsibility to determine the type, dosage, frequency of application and number of refills of any controlled substances prescribed.