

DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AND INDUSTRY SERVICES

OFFICE OF HEALTH SERVICES

BOARD OF PODIATRIC MEDICINE AND SURGERY

GENERAL RULES

(By authority conferred on the board of podiatric medicine and surgery by section 16145 of Act No. 368 of the Public Acts of 1978, as amended, being S333.16145 of the Michigan Compiled Laws)

R 338.8101 Definitions.

Rule 101. (1) As used in these rules:

- (a) "Board" means the Michigan board of podiatric medicine and surgery.
  - (b) "Code" means Act No. 368 of the Public Acts of 1978, as amended, being S333.1101 et seq. of the Michigan Compiled Laws.
  - (c) "Department" means the department of licensing and regulation.
- (2) Terms defined in article 15 of the code have the same meanings when used in these rules.

History: 1990 AACCS.

R 338.8103 Licensure by examination; requirements.

Rule 103. An applicant for licensure by examination shall submit a completed application, on a form provided by the department, together with the requisite fee. In addition to meeting the requirements of the code and the administrative rules promulgated pursuant thereto, an applicant shall satisfy all of the following requirements:

- (a) Have graduated from a school of podiatric medicine approved by the board.
- (b) Have achieved a score of not less than 75 on part I and a score of not less than 75 on part II of the examination developed and scored by the national board of podiatric medical examiners.
- (c) Have achieved a score of not less than 75 on the podiatric examination administered by the department.
- (d) Have satisfactorily completed 1 year of postgraduate education in a residency or preceptorship program approved by the board. Certification of completion of postgraduate education shall be accepted by the board not more than 15 days before completion of the training.

History: 1990 AACCS.

R 338.8104 Examinations; applications; eligibility.

Rule 104. (1) The podiatric examination administered by the department shall consist of 2 parts. Part 1 of the examination shall assess the applicant's knowledge of the laws and administrative rules governing the practice of podiatric medicine and surgery in Michigan and part 2 of the examination shall assess the applicant's knowledge, skills, and abilities related to the clinical practice of podiatric medicine and surgery. A passing score on the examination shall be not less than 75 on each part.

(2) To sit for the podiatric examination administered by the department, an applicant shall submit a completed application, on a form provided by the department, together with the requisite fee, and establish that he or she has graduated from a school of podiatric medicine approved by the board. To assure eligibility to sit for the examination, an applicant shall submit his or her completed application not less than 30 days before the date of the examination.

(3) An applicant who fails to achieve a passing score on part 1 of the examination may repeat part 1 of the examination without limitation. An applicant who fails after 3 attempts to achieve a passing score on part 2 of the examination shall not again be eligible to sit for part 2 of the

examination until the applicant has completed a program of study in podiatric medicine and surgery acceptable to the board. If the applicant thereafter fails part 2 of the examination, the applicant may repeat part 2 of the examination without limitation if the applicant, subsequent to each failure, first completes a program of study in podiatric medicine and surgery acceptable to the board. As used in this subrule, "a program of study in podiatric medicine and surgery acceptable to the board" means any of the following:

(a) A course or courses in podiatric medicine and surgery offered by a school of podiatric medicine which is approved by the board.

(b) A program of study in podiatric medicine and surgery developed and offered by a sponsor of a preceptorship or residency program approved by the board.

(c) A course or courses in podiatric medicine and surgery offered by a sponsor of a continuing education program approved by the board.

History: 1990 AACCS.

#### R 338.8107 Licensure by endorsement; requirements.

Rule 107. (1) An applicant for licensure by endorsement shall submit a completed application, on a form provided by the department, together with the requisite fee. In addition to meeting the requirements of the code and the administrative rules promulgated pursuant thereto, an applicant who satisfies the requirements of this rule shall be deemed to meet the requirements of section 16186(1)(a) and (d) of the code.

(2) An applicant shall have graduated from a school of podiatric medicine approved by the board.

(3) An applicant who graduated from a school of podiatric medicine after December 31, 1964, shall have satisfactorily completed 1 year of postgraduate education in a residency or preceptorship program approved by the board.

(4) An applicant who was first licensed in another state on or after January 1, 1980, shall have achieved a score of not less than 75 on part I and a score of not less than 75 on part II of the examination developed and scored by the national board of podiatric medical examiners.

(5) In addition to meeting the examination requirement of subrule (4) of this rule, an applicant who was first licensed in another state less than 3 years before filing an application for Michigan licensure shall obtain a score of not less than 75 on each part of the podiatric examination administered by the department.

History: 1990 AACCS.

#### R 338.8108 Approval of preceptorship programs; application.

Rule 108. To obtain approval of a preceptorship program which is not conducted under the supervision and control of a board-approved school of podiatric medicine, a sponsor shall submit a completed application, on a form provided by the department, and demonstrate that the preceptorship program substantially meets the standards adopted by the board in R 338.8113(3).

History: 1990 AACCS.

#### R 338.8109 Educational limited licenses.

Rule 109. (1) An educational limited license authorizes the holder of the license to engage in the practice of podiatric medicine and surgery as part of a postgraduate education program.

(2) An applicant for an educational limited license shall submit a completed application, on a form provided by the department, together with the requisite fee. In addition to meeting the requirements of the code and the administrative rules promulgated pursuant thereto, an applicant shall satisfy all of the following requirements:

(a) Have graduated from a school of podiatric medicine approved by the board.

(b) Have been appointed to a residency or preceptorship program approved by the board.

(c) Have achieved either a score of not less than 75 on part I and a score of not less than 75 on part II of the examination developed and scored by the national board of podiatric medical examiners or a score of not less than 75 on each part of the podiatric examination administered by the department.

History: 1990 AACCS.

R 338.8113 Standards for approval of schools of podiatric medicine, residency programs, and preceptorship programs; adoption of standards by reference.

Rule 113. (1) The board approves and adopts by reference the standards for accrediting colleges of podiatric medicine developed and adopted by the council on podiatric medical education of the American podiatric medical association in October, 1986, entitled "Criteria and Guidelines for Colleges of Podiatric Medicine." The board shall consider any school of podiatric medicine accredited by the council on podiatric medical education of the American podiatric medical association as a school of podiatric medicine approved by the board.

(2) The board approves and adopts by reference the standards for approval of residency programs developed and adopted by the council on podiatric medical education of the American podiatric medical association in August, 1987, entitled "Requirements for Approval of Residencies in Podiatric Medicine." The board shall consider any residency program approved by the council on podiatric medical education of the American podiatric medical association as a residency program approved by the board.

(3) The board approves and adopts by reference the standards for establishing preceptorship programs developed and approved by the council on podiatric medical education of the American podiatric medical association in February, 1986, entitled "Guidelines for Preceptorship Programs in Podiatric Medicine." The board shall designate any preceptorship program which substantially meets the standards for establishing preceptorship programs developed and approved by the council on podiatric medical education of the American podiatric medical association as a preceptorship program approved by the board.

(4) The board approves and adopts by reference the standards for recognizing preceptorship sponsors developed and approved by the council on podiatric medical education of the American podiatric medical association in August, 1986, entitled "Criteria for Recognition of Preceptorship Sponsors." The board shall consider any preceptorship program sponsored by a preceptor recognized by the council on podiatric medical education of the American podiatric medical association as a preceptorship program approved by the board.

(5) Copies of the standards for accrediting colleges of podiatric medicine developed and adopted by the council on podiatric medical education of the American podiatric medical association in October, 1986, entitled "Criteria and Guidelines for Colleges of Podiatric Medicine," the standards for approval of residency programs developed and adopted by the council on podiatric medical education of the American podiatric medical association in August, 1987, entitled "Requirements for Approval of Residencies in Podiatric Medicine," the standards for establishing preceptorship programs developed and approved by the council on podiatric medical education of the American podiatric medical association in February, 1986, entitled "Guidelines for Preceptorship Programs in Podiatric Medicine," and the standards for recognizing preceptorship sponsors developed and approved by the council on podiatric medical education of the American podiatric medical association in August, 1986, entitled "Criteria for Recognition of Preceptorship Sponsors" may be obtained at no cost from the Board of Podiatric Medicine and Surgery, Post Office Box 30018, Lansing, Michigan 48909, or at no cost from the Council on Podiatric Medical Education, American Podiatric Medical Association, 20 Chevy Chase Circle, N.W., Washington, DC 20015.

History: 1990 AACCS.

R 338.8125 Rescinded.

History: 1980 AACCS; 1996 AACCS.

R 338.8145 Rescission.

Rule 145. (1) R 338.311 and R 338.312 of the Michigan Administrative Code, appearing on pages 2411 to 2413 of the 1979 Michigan Administrative Code, are rescinded.

(2) R 338.341 to R 338.384 of the Michigan Administrative Code, appearing on pages 2413 to 2420 of the 1979 Michigan Administrative Code, are rescinded.

(3) R 338.3601 to R 338.3605, R 338.3611 to R 338.3617, and R 338.3621 to R 338.3626 of the Michigan Administrative Code, appearing on pages 2648 to 2655 of the 1979 Michigan Administrative Code, are rescinded.

History: 1980 AACCS; 1990 AACCS.