

CHAPTER 39A

STATE BOARD OF PHYSICAL THERAPY

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Chapter Historical Note

Chapter 39A, State Board of Physical Therapy, Subchapter 1, Agency Organization and Administration, Subchapter 2, Authorized Practice, Subchapter 3, Unlawful Practices by Licensees, Subchapter 4, Unlicensed Practice, Subchapter 5, Credentialing of Applicants, were adopted as R.1986 d.265, d.266, d.267, d.268 and d.270, effective July 7, 1986. See: 17 N.J.R. 2355(a), 18 N.J.R. 1394(b); 17 N.J.R. 2356(a), 18 N.J.R. 1395(a); 17 N.J.R. 2358(a), 18 N.J.R. 1397(a); 17 N.J.R. 2361(a), 18 N.J.R. 1399(a); 17 N.J.R. 2362(a), 18 N.J.R. 1399(b).

Subchapter 6, Temporary Licenses for Physical Therapists, became effective February 2, 1987 as R.1987 d.83. See: 18 N.J.R. 1179(b), 19 N.J.R. 298(a).

Pursuant to Executive Order No. 66, Chapter 39A, State Board of Physical Therapy, was readopted as R.1991 d.366, effective June 21, 1991. See: 23 N.J.R. 1065(a), 23 N.J.R. 2162(a).

Pursuant to Executive Order No. 66, Chapter 39A, State Board of Physical Therapy, was readopted as R.1996 d.325, effective June 20, 1996. See: 28 N.J.R. 1925(b), 28 N.J.R. 3598(b). As part of R.1996 d.325, Subchapter 7, Supervision of Physical Therapist Assistants; Subchapter 7A, Supervision of Temporary Licensed Physical Therapists and Physical Therapist Assistants; Subchapter 7B, Reserved; and Subchapter 8, Advertising, were adopted as new rules effective July 15, 1996.

Pursuant to Executive Order No. 66, Chapter 39A, State Board of Physical Therapy, was readopted as R.2001 d.239, effective June 20, 2001. See: 33 N.J.R. 1309(a), 33 N.J.R. 2483(a).

Subchapter 5A, License Renewal, was adopted as new rules; Subchapter 6, Temporary Licenses for Physical Therapists, was renamed Temporary Licenses for Visiting Physical Therapists and Physical Therapist Assistants; Subchapter 7A, Supervision of Temporary Licensed Physical Therapists and Physical Therapist Assistants, was repealed; Subchapter 9, Continuing Professional Education, was adopted as new rules by R.2006 d.42, effective January 17, 2006. See: 37 N.J.R. 947(a), 38 N.J.R. 819(b).

Chapter 39A, State Board of Physical Therapy, was readopted as R.2007 d.21, effective December 19, 2006. As part of R.2007 d.21, Subchapter 2, Practice as a Physical Therapist and Physical Therapist Assistant, was renamed Practice as a Licensed Physical Therapist and Licensed Physical Therapist Assistant; Subchapter 7, Supervision of Physical Therapist Assistants, was renamed Supervision of Licensed Physical Therapist Assistants; and Subchapter 9, Continuing Professional Education, was renamed Continuing Education, effective January 16, 2007. See: Source and Effective Date. See, also, section annotations.

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SUBCHAPTER 1. AGENCY ORGANIZATION AND ADMINISTRATION

13:39A-1.1 Election of officers

The membership of the State Board of Physical Therapy Examiners shall once each year elect a chairperson, vice chairperson and a secretary. The chairperson shall have the responsibility to conduct all meetings unless, in his or her discretion, a delegation of that responsibility is made. In the absence of the chairperson and an express delegation of responsibility, the vice chairperson shall assume all of the duties of chairperson.

Amended by R.2001 d.239, effective July 16, 2001.
See: 33 N.J.R. 1309(a), 33 N.J.R. 2483(a).

Neutralized gender references.

Amended by R.2006 d.42, effective January 17, 2006.

See: 37 N.J.R. 947(a), 38 N.J.R. 819(b).

Substituted "State" for "New Jersey" and added "Examiners."

13:39A-1.2 Delegation of authority to act on emergent applications

The chairperson shall be authorized to hear and decide emergent applications by the Attorney General made pursuant

to N.J.S.A. 45:1-22 for the temporary suspension of any license. The chairperson may also undertake such other interim action as may be required by circumstances arising prior to the next meeting date of the Board, provided that said action is subsequently presented to the Board for its review and action. Any decision made by the chairperson pursuant to this rule shall be placed on the agenda of the Board at its next regularly scheduled meeting for the purpose of its review. Insofar as it is practicable, the Board shall be provided with a transcript of the record made before the chairperson and the parties will be permitted to supplement the record with written submissions.

Amended by R.2001 d.239, effective July 16, 2001.

See: 33 N.J.R. 1309(a), 33 N.J.R. 2483(a).

Substituted "chairperson" for "chairman" throughout and rewrote the second sentence.

13:39A-1.3 Fees and charges

(a) The following fees shall be charged by the State Board of Physical Therapy Examiners:

1. Application fee for Licensed Physical Therapist and Licensed Physical Therapist Assistant..... \$125.00
2. Initial licensure fee, Licensed Physical Therapist:
 - i. If paid during first year of biennial renewal period: \$110.00
 - ii. If paid during second year of biennial renewal period: \$55.00
 Initial licensure fee, Licensed Physical Therapist Assistant:
 - i. If paid during first year of biennial renewal period: \$100.00
 - ii. If paid during second year of biennial renewal period: \$50.00
3. Biennial renewal fee:
 - i. Licensed Physical Therapist..... \$110.00
 - ii. Licensed Physical Therapist Assistant \$100.00
4. Late renewal fee: \$100.00
5. Reinstatement fee \$150.00
6. Temporary visiting license pursuant to N.J.S.A. 45:9-37.29(b) to practice on a temporary basis to assist in a medical emergency or to engage in a special project or teaching assignment \$100.00
7. Duplicate certificate of registration \$25.00
8. Duplicate wall license \$40.00
9. Certification of licensure status \$40.00
10. Change of name and/or address with new certificate of registration fee \$25.00
11. Continuing education provider submission fee \$100.00
12. Inactive license fee (to be established by Director by rule)

New Rule, R.1987 d.238, effective June 1, 1987.

See: 18 N.J.R. 1177(a), 19 N.J.R. 986(b).

Amended by R.1991 d.240, effective May 6, 1991.

See: 23 N.J.R. 388(a), 23 N.J.R. 1418(c).

Increase in fee or charge in 1 through 6 of (a).

Amended by R.1994 d.101, effective February 22, 1994.

See: 25 N.J.R. 5446(a), 26 N.J.R. 1105(b).