

**SUBSTITUTE FOR
HOUSE BILL NO. 4790**

A bill to amend 1978 PA 368, entitled
"Public health code,"
by amending sections 17033 and 17533 (MCL 333.17033 and 333.17533),
as amended by 1994 PA 234.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 Sec. 17033. (1) Notwithstanding the requirements of part 161,
2 the board may require a ~~licensee~~**physician** seeking renewal of a
3 license to furnish the board with satisfactory evidence that during
4 the 3 years immediately preceding application for renewal the
5 ~~licensee~~**physician** has attended continuing education courses or
6 programs approved by the board totaling not less than 150 hours in
7 subjects related to the practice of medicine including, but not
8 limited to, medical ethics and designed to further educate



1 ~~licensees-physicians.~~

2 (2) As required under section 16204, the board shall
3 promulgate rules requiring each applicant for license renewal to
4 complete as part of the continuing education requirement of
5 subsection (1) an appropriate number of hours or courses in pain
6 and symptom management.

7 (3) The board shall ensure that a continuing education course
8 or program on women's midlife health is available to a physician
9 that the physician may complete as part of the continuing education
10 requirement of subsection (1). A course or program described in
11 this subsection must include materials on communication and
12 physician preparedness in the management of menopause symptoms and
13 related chronic conditions. The board shall inform physicians of
14 courses or programs under this subsection and encourage physicians
15 to complete a course or program described in this subsection as
16 part of the continuing education requirement of subsection (1).

17 Sec. 17533. (1) Notwithstanding the requirements of part 161,
18 the board may require a ~~licensee-physician~~ seeking renewal of a
19 license to furnish the board with satisfactory evidence that during
20 the 3 years immediately preceding an application for renewal the
21 ~~licensee-physician~~ has attended continuing education courses or
22 programs approved by the board and totaling not less than 150 hours
23 in subjects related to the practice of osteopathic medicine and
24 surgery and designed to further educate ~~licensees-physicians.~~

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26 promulgate rules requiring each applicant for license renewal to
27 complete as part of the continuing education requirement of
28 subsection (1) an appropriate number of hours or courses in pain
29 and symptom management.



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2 or program on women's midlife health is available to a physician
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4 requirement of subsection (1). A course or program described in
5 this subsection must include materials on communication and
6 physician preparedness in the management of menopause symptoms and
7 related chronic conditions. The board shall inform physicians of
8 courses or programs under this subsection and encourage physicians
9 to complete a course or program under this subsection as part of
10 the continuing education requirement of subsection (1).