

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Board of Chiropractic Medicine has issued an order disposing of the petition for declaratory statement filed by Ed Feinberg, D.C., on June 1, 2011. The following is a summary of the agency's disposition of the petition:

The Notice of Petition for Declaratory Statement published on June 17, 2011, in Vol. 37, No. 24, of the Florida Administrative Weekly. Petitioner sought the Board's interpretation of Section 460.403(9), Florida Statutes, entitled, "Definitions," concerning whether it is within the chiropractic scope of practice to manually reduce a shoulder dislocation. The Board of Chiropractic Medicine considered the Petition at its meeting held on August 12, 2011, in Palm Beach, Florida. The Board's Order filed on August 31, 2011, answered the petitioner's question in the affirmative. It is the Board's opinion that it is within the scope of practice of chiropractic medicine to manually reduce a shoulder separation. The Board added that only those chiropractors who have been trained in the procedure should perform the manual reduction.

A copy of the Order Disposing of the Petition for Declaratory Statement may be obtained by contacting: Bruce Deterding, Executive Director, Board of Chiropractic Medicine, 4052 Bald Cypress Way, Bin #C07, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3257.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Board of Clinical Social Work, Marriage and Family Therapy and Mental Health Counseling has received the petition for declaratory statement from Irina Fredericks, LMHC on behalf of Florida International University on September 6, 2011. The petition seeks the agency's opinion as to the applicability of Section 491.003(9), F.S. as it applies to the petitioner.

The petition seeks the Board's interpretation of "appropriately trained" as referenced in Section 491.003(9)(b), Florida Statutes. The petition also asks the following question to the Board regarding Section 491.003(9), F.S. "Is a LMHC who is a Qualified Supervisor for LMHC's and who completed the majority of his or her 1000 hours of Practicum and Internship specifically in psychological testing eligible to (1) charge for and sign off reports of psychological testing and (2) supervise the PCP student who are interested in receiving the Graduate Certificate in Psychological Assessment?"

A copy of the Petition for Declaratory Statement may be obtained by contacting: Susan Foster, Executive Director, Board of Clinical Social Work, Marriage and Family Therapy and Mental Health Counseling, 4052 Bald Cypress Way, Bin #C08, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3258.

Section VIII Notices of Petitions and Dispositions Regarding the Validity of Rules

Notice of Petition for Administrative Determination has been filed with the Division of Administrative Hearings on the following rules:

NONE

Notice of Disposition of Petition for Administrative Determination have been filed by the Division of Administrative Hearings on the following rules:

NONE

Section IX Notices of Petitions and Dispositions Regarding Non-rule Policy Challenges

NONE

Section X Announcements and Objection Reports of the Joint Administrative Procedures Committee

NONE

Section XI Notices Regarding Bids, Proposals and Purchasing

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NOTICE OF REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS

Statement of Work: The Florida Legislature's Office of Program Policy Analysis and Government Accountability (OPPAGA) is requesting proposals from an independent enrolled actuary, as defined in Section 112.625(3), Florida Statutes, to assist OPPAGA in the determination of compliance of the Florida Retirement System with the provisions of the Florida Protection of Public Employee Retirement Benefits Act, Chapter 112, Part VII, Florida Statutes, as directed in Section 112.658, Florida Statutes. This work entails review of the actuarial valuation of the Florida Retirement System pension plan for Fiscal Years ending June 30, 2011 through