

**2015 REGULATORY AGENDA
ARIZONA BOARD OF RESPIRATORY CARE EXAMINERS**

Pursuant to provisions of A.R.S. § 41-1021.02, the Arizona Board of Respiratory Care Examiners has prepared and made available the following regulatory agenda for Calendar Year 2016

A.R.S. § 41-1021.02ⁱ states:

- A. On or before December 1 of each year, each agency, except for a self-supporting regulatory board as defined in section 41-1092, shall prepare and make available to the public the regulatory agenda that the agency expects to follow during the next calendar year.
- B. The regulatory agenda shall include all of the following:
 - 1. A notice of docket openings.
 - 2. A notice of any proposed rulemaking, including potential sources of federal funding for each proposed rulemaking.
 - 3. A review of existing rules.
 - 4. A notice of a final rule making.
- C. The regulatory agenda shall also provide for the following information:
 - 1. Any rule making terminated during the current calendar year.
 - 2. Any privatization option and nontraditional regulatory approach being considered by the agency.
- D. This section does not prohibit an agency from undertaking any rule making action even if that action has not been included in the agency's annual regulatory agenda

2016 RULEMAKING AGENDA

- 1. Docket Openings for 2016
None anticipated at this time.
- 2. Proposed Rulemakings 2016
The Board anticipates rulemaking to address legislative changes from 2015 (elimination of temporary license) and amendment of existing rules (mandate the National Board of Respiratory RRT credential).
- 3. Review of Existing Rules
None anticipated at this time.
- 4. Final Rulemaking and Termination of Rulemaking 2015
The Board final rule promulgation mentioned in above in proposed rulemaking. In addition, the Board is terminating the Notice of Rulemaking Docket published in the Arizona Administrative Register, Volume 20, Issue 42 on October 17, 2014.
The Board does not currently anticipate any privatization option or nontraditional regulatory approach being implemented at this time.

ⁱ Historical Note: Added by Laws 2002, Ch. 334, § 3, effective August 22, 2002.