

Dear Public,

Pursuant to [26 V.S.A. § 5343\(c\)](#), the Vermont Office of Profession Regulation has published [Proposed Administrative Rules of the Board of Nursing](#) (“proposed rules”).

The Board proposes to strike and rewrite its rules with the following goals in mind:

- Advance State policy, articulated in 26 V.S.A., ch. 57 , prioritizing public protection while minimizing administrative burdens and barriers to licensure;
- Provide for the administration of the newly passed Nurse Licensure Compact (NLC);
- Eliminate outdated and superseded provisions;
- Codify position statements and practice guidelines into rule;
- Establish consistency with administrative rules of other professions;
- Update language to be consistent with current healthcare terminology; and
- Condense language where possible to facilitate clarity of understanding.

Please join us for a public meeting to learn more and to offer your feedback. OPR staff will participate remotely via videoconference. OPR recommends remote participation to everyone.

→ **Thursday, December 8, 2022 | 5:30 pm – 7:30pm**

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→ **Monday, December 12, 2022 | 1:00 pm – 3:00pm**

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Email written comments to sos.opr.comments@vermont.gov by December 12, 2022. Please note that comments are a public record and are required to be published online, including the commenter's name, affiliation, and contact information.

We look forward to having you join us for this important conversation.

Sincerely,

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