

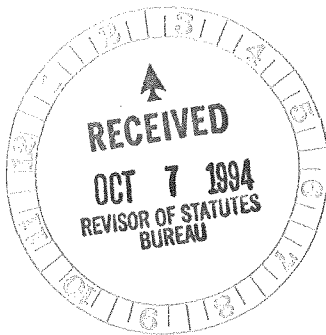
CERTIFICATE

**STATE OF WISCONSIN
DEPARTMENT OF REGULATION AND LICENSING**

TO ALL WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME, GREETINGS:

I, Alfred J. Hall, Jr., Director, Bureau of Health Service Professions in the Wisconsin Department of Regulation and Licensing and custodian of the official records of the Examining Board of Social Workers, Marriage and Family Therapists and Professional Counselors, do hereby certify that the annexed rules were duly approved and adopted by the Examining Board of Social Workers, Marriage and Family Therapists and Professional Counselors on the 5th day of October, 1994.

I further certify that said copy has been compared by me with the original on file in this office and that the same is a true copy thereof, and of the whole of such original.



IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the official seal of the board at 1400 East Washington Avenue, Madison, Wisconsin this 5th day of October, 1994.

Alfred J. Hall, Jr.

**Alfred J. Hall, Jr., Director
Examining Board of Social Workers,
Marriage and Family Therapists and
Professional Counselors, Department of
Regulation and Licensing**

STATE OF WISCONSIN
EXAMINING BOARD OF SOCIAL WORKERS, MARRIAGE AND
FAMILY THERAPISTS AND PROFESSIONAL COUNSELORS

IN THE MATTER OF RULE-MAKING : ORDER OF THE
PROCEEDINGS BEFORE THE : EXAMINING BOARD OF SOCIAL WORKERS,
EXAMINING BOARD OF SOCIAL : MARRIAGE AND FAMILY THERAPISTS
WORKERS, MARRIAGE AND FAMILY : AND PROFESSIONAL COUNSELORS
THERAPISTS AND PROFESSIONAL : ADOPTING RULES
COUNSELORS : (CLEARINGHOUSE RULE 94-38)

ORDER

An order of the Examining Board of Social Workers, Marriage and Family Therapists and Professional Counselors to amend SFC 12.01 (1) and chapter SFC 17 (title); and to create SFC 3.12, 11.04 and 17.02 relating to reciprocal certificates.

Analysis prepared by the Department of Regulation and Licensing.

ANALYSIS

Statutes authorizing promulgation: ss. 15.08 (5) (b) and 227.11 (2), Stats.

Statutes interpreted: ss. 457.08, 457.10, 457.12, 457.14 and 457.15, Stats.

In this proposed rule-making order, the Examining Board of Social Workers, Marriage and Family Therapists and Professional Counselors creates rules for each of its three component sections. The rules identify the standards required by s. 457.15, Stats., for the grant of a reciprocal certificate to a certified social worker, an independent clinical social worker, a marriage and family therapist, and a professional counselor who hold an equivalent certificate issued by another jurisdiction.

The rules provide that a reciprocal certificate shall be issued to an applicant who meets the identified standards. An applicant who meets the specified standards will be granted a certificate in Wisconsin regardless of whether a credential holder from Wisconsin would be considered for certification in the other jurisdiction on equivalent standards.

TEXT OF RULE

SECTION 1. SFC 3.12 is created to read:

SFC 3.12 RECIPROCAL CERTIFICATE. (1) The social worker section shall grant a certificate as a social worker under s. 457.08 (1), Stats., to an applicant who pays the fee required by s. 440.05 (2), Stats., and provides evidence of all of the following to the section:

(a) The applicant has a current credential as a social worker or the substantial equivalent in good standing in another state or territory of the United States.

(b) The requirements for the grant of the credential in the other state or territory of the United States are substantially equivalent to the requirements for the grant of the certificate under s. 457.08 (1), Stats.

(c) The applicant has disclosed all discipline ever taken or currently pending against the applicant or any professional credential held by the applicant by any credentialing authority of any state or territory of the United States.

(d) If the applicant has been convicted of a crime, or of a traffic offense which did or could result in the suspension or revocation of the applicant's driver's license, or the applicant has such charges pending against the applicant, the applicant has disclosed all information necessary for the section to determine whether the circumstances of the pending charge or conviction are substantially related to the duties of practice under a social worker certificate.

(2) The social worker section shall grant a certificate as an advanced practice social worker under s. 457.08 (1) and (2), Stats., to an applicant who pays the fee required by s. 440.05 (2), Stats., and provides evidence of all of the following to the section:

(a) The applicant has a current credential as an advanced practice social worker or the substantial equivalent in good standing in another state or territory of the United States.

(b) The requirements for the grant of the credential in the other state or territory of the United States are substantially equivalent to the requirements for the grant of a certificate under s. 457.08 (2), Stats.

(c) The applicant has disclosed all discipline ever taken or currently pending against the applicant or any professional credential held by the applicant or by any credentialing authority of any state or territory of the United States.

(d) If the applicant has been convicted of a crime, or of a traffic offense which did or could result in the suspension or revocation of the applicant's driver's license, or the applicant has such charges pending against the applicant, the applicant has disclosed all information necessary for the section to determine whether the circumstances of the pending charge or conviction are substantially related to the duties of practice under an advanced practice social worker certificate.

(3) The social worker section shall grant a certificate as an independent social worker under s. 457.08 (1) and (3), Stats., to an applicant who pays the fee required by s. 440.05 (2), Stats., and provides evidence of all of the following to the section:

(a) The applicant has a current credential as an independent social worker or the substantial equivalent in good standing in another state or territory of the United States.

(b) The requirements for the grant of the credential in the other state or territory of the United States are substantially equivalent to the requirements for the grant of a certificate under s. 457.08 (3), Stats.

(c) The applicant has disclosed all discipline ever taken or currently pending against the applicant or any professional credential held by the applicant by any credentialing authority of any state or territory of the United States.

(d) If the applicant has been convicted of a crime, or of a traffic offense which did or could result in the suspension or revocation of the applicant's driver's license, or the applicant has such charges pending against the applicant, the applicant has disclosed all information necessary for the section to determine whether the circumstances of the pending charge or conviction are substantially related to the duties of practice under an independent social worker certificate.

(4) The social worker section shall grant a certificate as an independent clinical social worker under s. 457.08 (1) and (4), Stats., to an applicant who pays the fee required under s. 440.05 (2), Stats., and provides evidence of all of the following to the section:

(a) The applicant has a current credential as an independent clinical social worker or the substantial equivalent in good standing in another state or territory of the United States.

(b) The requirements for the grant of the credential in the other state or territory of the United States are substantially equivalent to the requirements for the grant of a certificate under s. 457.08 (4), Stats.

(c) The applicant has disclosed all discipline ever taken or currently pending against the applicant or any professional credential held by the applicant by any credentialing authority of any state or territory of the United States.

(d) If the applicant has been convicted of a crime, or of a traffic offense which did or could result in the suspension or revocation of the applicant's driver's license, or the applicant has such charges pending against the applicant, the applicant has disclosed all information necessary for the section to determine whether the circumstances of the pending charge or conviction are substantially related to the duties of practice under an independent clinical social worker certificate.

SECTION 2. SFC 11.04 is created to read:

SFC 11.04 RECIPROCAL CERTIFICATE. The professional counselor section shall grant a certificate as a professional counselor under s. 457.12, Stats., to an applicant who pays the fee required by s. 440.05 (2), Stats., and provides evidence of all of the following to the section:

(1) The applicant has a current credential as a professional counselor or the substantial equivalent in good standing in another state or territory of the United States.

(2) The requirements for the grant of the credential in the other state or territory of the United States are substantially equivalent to the requirements for the grant of a certificate under s. 457.12, Stats.

(3) The applicant has disclosed all discipline ever taken or currently pending against the applicant or any professional credential held by the applicant by any credentialing authority of any state or territory of the United States.

(4) If the applicant has been convicted of a crime, or of a traffic offense which did or could result in the suspension or revocation of the applicant's driver's license, or the applicant has such charges pending against the applicant, the applicant has disclosed all information necessary for the section to determine whether the circumstances of the pending charge or conviction are substantially related to the duties of practice under a professional counselor certificate.

SECTION 3. SFC 12.01 (1) is amended to read:

SFC 12.01 SUPERVISED PRACTICE REQUIREMENT. (1) SUPERVISION FOR CERTIFICATION ELIGIBILITY. An applicant for certification as a professional counselor under s. ~~457.10~~ 457.12, Stats., shall complete a period of supervised practice to become eligible for the certificate. Supervision of the practice of professional counseling undertaken to meet the pre-certification requirement may ~~by~~ be exercised by a person other than an employment supervisor. The supervisor may exercise discretion as to the frequency, duration, and intensity of the supervision sessions to meet an average of one hour supervised practice per week during the supervised practice period.

SECTION 4. Chapter SFC 17 (title) is amended to read:

CHAPTER SFC 17 (title)

MARRIAGE AND FAMILY THERAPY TEMPORARY PERMITS
AND RECIPROCAL CERTIFICATE APPLICATIONS

SECTION 5. SFC 17.02 is created to read:

SFC 17.02 RECIPROCAL CERTIFICATE. The marriage and family therapist section shall grant a certificate as a marriage and family therapist under s. 457.10, Stats., to an applicant who pays the fee required by s. 440.05 (2), Stats., and provides evidence of all of the following to the section:

(1) The applicant has a current credential as a marriage and family therapist or the substantial equivalent in good standing in another state or territory of the United States.

(2) The requirements for the grant of the credential in the other state or territory of the United States are substantially equivalent to the requirements for the grant of a certificate under s. 457.10, Stats.

(3) The applicant has disclosed all discipline ever taken or currently pending against the applicant or any professional credential held by the applicant by any credentialing authority of any state or territory of the United States.

(4) If the applicant has been convicted of a crime, or of a traffic offense which did or could result in the suspension or revocation of the applicant's driver's license, or the applicant has such charges pending against the applicant, the applicant has disclosed all information necessary for the section to determine whether the circumstances of the pending charge or conviction are substantially related to the duties of practice under a marriage and family therapist certificate.

(END OF TEXT OF RULE)

The rules adopted in this order shall take effect on the first day of the month following publication in the Wisconsin administrative register pursuant to s. 227.22 (2) (intro.), Stats.

Dated 10/5/94

Agency

Stephen A. Zankas
Chairperson
Examining Board of Social Workers,
Marriage and Family Therapists and
Professional Counselors

CORRESPONDENCE/MEMORANDUM

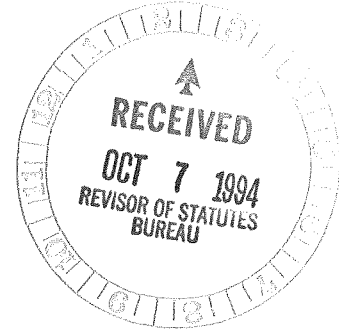
STATE OF WISCONSIN

DATE: October 7, 1994

TO: Gary Poulson
Assistant Revisor of Statutes

FROM: Pamela A. Haack, Administrative Assistant
Department of Regulation and Licensing
Office of Administrative Rules

SUBJECT: Final Rule-Making Order



Agency: **EXAMINING BOARD OF SOCIAL WORKERS, MARRIAGE AND
FAMILY THERAPISTS AND PROFESSIONAL COUNSELORS**

Clearinghouse Rule: 94-38

Attached is a copy and a certified copy of a final order adopting rules. Would you please publish these rules in the code.

Please stamp or sign a copy of this letter to acknowledge receipt.

Thank you.