

are prima facie valid until set aside by court action or altered or revoked by the board. Limiting participation to persons licensed to practice medicine is proper, since neither midwives nor osteopaths are authorized by law to render complete obstetrical services such as are contemplated by the plan. 32 Atty. Gen. 395.

146.19 History: 1951 c. 640; Stats. 1951 s. 146.19; 1957 c. 546; 1961 c. 470; 1965 c. 188; 1969 c. 307.

The term "worker" as used in 146.19 (1), Stats. 1951, includes minors who perform services, even though their compensation is paid to their parents. 41 Atty. Gen. 28.

146.20 History: 1957 c. 86, 610; Stats. 1957 s. 146.20; 1965 c. 614 s. 57 (1); 1969 c. 276 s. 588 (6).

146.24 History: 1955 c. 391; Stats. 1955 s. 146.24; 1969 c. 276 s. 583 (1); 1969 c. 366 s. 117 (1) (a).

146.30 History: 1947 c. 397; Stats. 1947 s. 146.30; 1951 c. 715; 1955 c. 10; 1963 c. 187; 1965 c. 168; 1967 c. 299; 1969 c. 366 ss. 90, 91, 92, 117 (1) (a); 1969 c. 478.

The board may adopt separate rules for the regulation of different types of nursing homes and such distinction may appear in the license and name of a nursing home. 52 Atty. Gen. 121.

See note to 146.32, citing 57 Atty. Gen. 204.

146.31 History: 1965 c. 213; Stats. 1965 s. 146.31; 1969 c. 143.

146.32 History: 1967 c. 299; Stats. 1967 s. 146.32.

146.30 and 146.32, Stats. 1967, relating respectively to "nursing homes" and "residential care institutions" do not apply to a house or other building which uses the synonym "halfway house" and has 3 to 15 residents, where a licensed physician states that such residents are not in need of medical or nursing care or social services of any kind. 57 Atty. Gen. 204.

146.33 History: 1969 c. 102; Stats. 1969 s. 146.33.

CHAPTER 148.

Medical Societies.

148.01 History: R. S. 1849 c. 27 s. 16 to 20; 1854 c. 5 s. 1; R. S. 1858 c. 33 s. 16 to 21; R. S. 1878 s. 1431 to 1435; Stats. 1898 s. 1430 to 1434; 1923 c. 448 s. 72; Stats. 1923 s. 148.01; 1927 c. 60 s. 2; 1935 c. 350; 1945 c. 494; 1959 c. 602.

148.02 History: R. S. 1849 c. 27 s. 1, 2, 4, 8, 13, 14; R. S. 1858 c. 33 s. 1, 2, 3, 4, 8, 13, 15; R. S. 1878 s. 1422 to 1424, 1430; 1887 c. 242; Ann. Stats. 1889 s. 1422 to 1424, 1430; 1897 c. 264; Stats. 1898 s. 1422 to 1424, 1429; 1923 c. 448 s. 73; Stats. 1923 s. 148.02; 1927 c. 60 s. 2.

The words "physicians and surgeons" are not limited to any school of practitioners, and the legality of an organization is not affected by the fact that it was brought about by homeopathic physicians. Raynor v. State, 62 W 289, 22 NW 430.

148.03 History: 1935 c. 350; Stats. 1935 s. 148.01 (3); 1945 c. 494; 1959 c. 602; Stats. 1959 s. 148.03; 1969 c. 303.

The insurance plan can limit coverage to care provided by licensed physicians and surgeons; and the insurance commissioner cannot require the insurer to pay for services provided by podiatrists or specifically exclude such services. State Medical Society v. Manson, 24 W (2d) 402, 129 NW (2d) 231.

CHAPTER 155.

Corpses.

155.01 History: 1881 c. 168; Ann. Stats. 1889 s. 4608a; 1897 c. 248 s. 1 to 3, 6, 8, 9; Stats. 1898 s. 4608a, 4608b; 1901 c. 401; Supl. 1906 s. 4608a; 1907 c. 57; 1909 c. 32; 1915 c. 446; 1923 c. 448 s. 94b, 94c; Stats. 1923 s. 155.01; 1969 c. 366 s. 117 (2) (a).

155.02 History: 1868 c. 53 s. 1 to 3; R. S. 1878 s. 1437; 1895 c. 117; Stats. 1898 s. 1437; 1901 c. 323 s. 1 to 3; 1903 c. 406 s. 1, 2; Supl. 1906 s. 604x, 1437, 1437a; 1919 c. 272; 1919 c. 347 s. 38; Stats. 1919 s. 51.28, 1437, 1437a; 1921 c. 84, 146; 1923 c. 32; 1923 c. 448 s. 95; Stats. 1923 s. 51.28, 155.02; 1929 c. 49; 1947 c. 485, 602; Stats. 1947 s. 155.02; 1949 c. 520; 1951 c. 627.

Comment of Interim Committee, 1947: [Old 51.28 and 155.02 are consolidated in new 155.02.] Old 51.28 applies only to public charge patients in county asylums or senile wards. New 155.02 is broadened to include all inmates of all public institutions. Provision is made for recovering the cost if the patient is not a public charge. Old 51.28 provides for burial if the body is not claimed. Old 155.02 does not. Notice to relatives is retained. Notice to friends is omitted. It was provided for under old 51.28 and 53.14 [which is repealed] but not under 155.02. But provision is made in new 155.02 (2) for friends as well as relatives to claim the body. Many details as to procedure are omitted because considered unnecessary. Sending the corpse (if unclaimed) for dissection is made optional instead of mandatory. [Bill 19-S]

Burial expenses of a poor person committed to and dying in the industrial school for girls should be borne by the county from which such person is committed. 5 Atty. Gen. 819.

155.03 History: 1903 c. 406 s. 3, 4; Supl. 1906 s. 1437b, 1437c; 1911 c. 663 s. 195; 1923 c. 448 s. 95; Stats. 1923 s. 155.03; 1949 c. 520; 1951 c. 627.

155.04 History: 1903 c. 406 s. 5; Supl. 1906 s. 1437d; 1911 c. 663 s. 196; 1923 c. 448 s. 95; Stats. 1923 s. 155.04.

155.05 History: 1949 c. 457; Stats. 1949 s. 155.05.

155.06 History: 1961 c. 395; Stats. 1961 s. 155.06; 1969 c. 90.

Wisconsin's uniform anatomical gift act. Bartell, 42 WBB, No. 6.

155.10 History: R. S. 1849 c. 139 s. 17; R. S. 1858 c. 170 s. 16; R. S. 1878 s. 4592; Stats. 1898 s. 4592; 1925 c. 4; Stats. 1925 s. 351.42; 1955 c. 696 s. 295; Stats. 1955 s. 155.10.