



**ASSEMBLY AMENDMENT 1,
TO 2003 ASSEMBLY BILL 16**

February 19, 2004 – Offered by COMMITTEE ON AGING AND LONG-TERM CARE.

1 At the locations indicated, amend the bill as follows:

2 **1.** Page 4, line 16: after “requirements that” insert “, except as provided in s.
3 456.04 (2m),”.

4 **2.** Page 4, line 18: delete “The rules” and substitute “Except as provided in s.
5 456.04 (2m), the rules”.

6 **3.** Page 4, line 23: delete the material beginning with that line and ending with
7 page 5, line 17, and substitute:

8 “**SECTION 9b.** 456.04 (intro.) (except 456.04 (title)) of the statutes is
9 renumbered 456.04 (1m) (intro.) and amended to read:

10 456.04 (**1m**) (intro.) The Except as provided in sub. (2m), the examining board
11 shall allow any person to take the examination for licensure as a nursing home
12 administrator who satisfies all of the following requirements:

13 **SECTION 9e.** 456.04 (1) of the statutes is renumbered 456.04 (1m) (a).

1 **SECTION 9h.** 456.04 (1m) (d) of the statutes is created to read:

2 456.04 (1m) (d) Has one of the following:

3 1. A bachelor's, master's, or doctoral degree with a major in health care
4 administration or long-term care from an accredited college or university.

5 2. A bachelor's degree in any field from an accredited college or university and
6 completion of a specialized course that the examining board determines is adequate
7 preparation for nursing home administration.

8 **SECTION 9L.** 456.04 (1m) (e) of the statutes is created to read:

9 456.04 (1m) (e) Satisfies the supervised practical experience requirements
10 specified in the rules promulgated under s. 456.02 (7).

11 **SECTION 9o.** 456.04 (2) of the statutes is renumbered 456.04 (1m) (b).

12 **SECTION 9u.** 456.04 (2m) of the statutes is created to read:

13 456.04 (2m) The examining board shall allow a person to take the examination
14 for licensure as a nursing home administrator if he or she satisfies the requirements
15 specified in sub. (1m) (a), (b), and (c) and all of the following are satisfied:

16 (a) The person was enrolled, at any time within the 2-year period before the
17 effective date of this paragraph [revisor inserts date], in a regular course of study
18 or equivalent specialized courses or a program of study that the examining board
19 considered adequate academic preparation for nursing home administration under
20 s. 456.04 (4), 2001 stats.

21 (b) No later than 2 years after the effective date of this paragraph [revisor
22 inserts date], the person completes the regular course of study, specialized courses,
23 or program of study specified in par. (a).

24 (c) If the person was enrolled, at any time within the 2-year period before the
25 effective date of this paragraph [revisor inserts date], in specialized courses or a

1 program of study specified in par. (a), the person completes, no later than 2 years
2 after the effective date of this paragraph [revisor inserts date], one year of
3 supervised practical experience as specified in rules promulgated by the examining
4 board.

5 (d) If the person was enrolled, at any time within the 2-year period before the
6 effective date of this paragraph [revisor inserts date], in a regular course of study
7 specified in par. (a), the person completes, no later than 2 years after the effective
8 date of this paragraph [revisor inserts date], a supervised clinical practicum as
9 specified in rules promulgated by the examining board.

10 **SECTION 9w.** 456.04 (3) of the statutes is renumbered 456.04 (1m) (c).

11 **SECTION 9y.** 456.04 (4) of the statutes is repealed.”.

12 **4.** Page 6, line 15: delete “any designation” and substitute “any title or
13 designation”.

14 **5.** Page 6, line 19: delete lines 19 to 22 and substitute:

15 “**456.12 Exemption.** This chapter does not apply to a person who acts in the
16 capacity of an administrator of a nursing home operated by adherents of a church or
17 religious denomination which subscribes to the act of healing by prayer and the
18 principles of which are do not include medical treatment, if the person does not use
19 in connection with his or her name any title or designation tending to imply that the
20 person is a nursing home administrator.”.

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