

Report From Agency

STATE OF WISCONSIN RADIOGRAPHY EXAMINING BOARD

IN THE MATTER OF RULEMAKING	:	REPORT TO THE LEGISLATURE
PROCEEDINGS BEFORE THE	:	CR 25-036
RADIOGRAPHY EXAMINING	:	
BOARD	:	

I. THE PROPOSED RULE:

The proposed rule, including the analysis and text, is attached.

II. REFERENCE TO APPLICABLE FORMS:

N/A

III. FISCAL ESTIMATE AND EIA:

The Fiscal Estimate and EIA are attached.

IV. DETAILED STATEMENT EXPLAINING THE BASIS AND PURPOSE OF THE PROPOSED RULE, INCLUDING HOW THE PROPOSED RULE ADVANCES RELEVANT STATUTORY GOALS OR PURPOSES:

The objective of the proposed rule is to clarify and add detail to the regulations on when a radiographer license is required for the use of various medical imaging technologies. Chapter RAD 1, Wis. Admin. Code, contains definitions for the radiography code, and chapter RAD 4 contains regulations on scope of practice for radiographers and limited X-ray machine operators. The proposed rule creates new definitions in chapter RAD 1 for various medical imaging technologies and technical terms in the field. In chapter RAD 4, the proposed rule creates new regulations that clarify and add detail to a licensed radiographer's and limited x-ray machine operator's scope of practice regarding the use of computed tomography and nuclear medicine. Performing the aspects of computed tomography that involve applying x-rays to patients requires a radiographer license. Performing nuclear medicine does not require a radiographer license or LXMO permit if x-rays are applied only for the purpose of attenuation correction. A radiographer license is required if x-rays are applied for a purpose other than attenuation correction.

V. SUMMARY OF PUBLIC COMMENTS AND THE BOARD'S RESPONSES, EXPLANATION OF MODIFICATIONS TO PROPOSED RULES PROMPTED BY PUBLIC COMMENTS:

The Radiography Examining Board held a public hearing on July 9, 2025. No comments were received.

VI. RESPONSE TO LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS:

All Legislative Council comments have been accepted and incorporated into the proposed rules.

VII. REPORT FROM THE SBRRB AND FINAL REGULATORY FLEXIBILITY ANALYSIS:

N/A