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Administrative Code Citation

Adopted Amendment: N.J.A.C. 13:44C-3.5

Text

Requirements for Clinical Internship

Proposed: September 18, 2017, at 49 N.J.R. 3097(a).

Adopted: August 15, 2018, by Paul R. Rodriguez, Acting Director, Division of Consumer Affairs.

Filed: September 5, 2018, as R.2018 d.180, **without change**.

Authority: N.J.S.A. 45:3B-24.

Effective Date: October 1, 2018.

Expiration Date: January 15, 2023.

Summary of Public Comment and Agency Response:

The official comment period ended November 17, 2017. The Director received one comment on the notice of proposal from Mary Faella, President, New Jersey Speech Hearing Association.

COMMENT: The commenter supports the amendments to N.J.A.C. 13:44C-3.5.

RESPONSE: The Director thanks the commenter for her support.

Federal Standards Statement

A Federal standards analysis is not required because there are no Federal standards or requirements applicable to the subject matter of the adopted amendments.

Regulations

Full text of the adoption follows:

SUBCHAPTER 3. REQUIREMENTS FOR LICENSURE AS AUDIOLOGIST OR SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGIST

13:44C-3.5 Requirements for clinical internship

- (a) An applicant who completed a doctoral degree shall have completed a clinical internship that met the requirements of (b) through (f) below during or after the doctoral degree program. An applicant who completed a master's degree shall have completed a clinical internship that met the requirements of (b) through (f) below after he or she completed the master's degree program.
- (b) An applicant who seeks to complete a clinical internship in New Jersey after he or she has completed his or her doctoral or master's degree program, including an applicant completing a clinical internship in an exempt setting, shall not begin the clinical internship until he or she obtains a temporary license pursuant to N.J.A.C. 13:44C-5.2.
- (c) A clinical internship shall consist of at least 1,200 hours completed in no less than nine months and no more than 18 months.

[page=2069] Recodify existing (f)-(h) as (d)-(f) (No change in text.)