Notice of Public Rules Workshops: Nursing Assistants

The Nursing Care Quality Assurance Commission (commission) filed a CR-101 on February 8, 2021, under <u>WSR: 21-05-021</u> for Chapter 246-841 and Chapter 246-842, Nursing Assistants. The commission is amending nursing assistant standards to eliminate duplication, update competencies, and revise program requirements. Chapter 246-842 is proposed for repeal because it duplicates rules and will not be covered during the workshops.

A draft of Chapter 246-841 is attached for your review and a summary from the October 18, 2022, workshop.

Six more public rules workshops will be held to cover specific Washington Administrative Code (WAC) sections at each meeting.

To Join online workshops, click <u>https://us02web.zoom.us/j/6555701680</u> at the day and time of each meeting.

Thursday, November 10, 2022, 1-3 p.m.

WAC 246-841-409 thru 427: Types of Programs, Purpose or Review of Programs, Requirements for Approval, Initial Approval, Full Approval, Approval on Effective Date of Rules

Friday, December 2, 2022, 1-3 p.m.

WAC 246-841-430, 450, 455, 460, 463: Program Directors and Instructors, Physical and Electronic Resources, Administrative Procedures, Competency Evaluation and Pass Rates, Application Requirements for Certification

Thursday, December 29, 2022, 1-3 p.m.

WAC 246-841-440: Common Curriculum

Thursday, January 12, 2023, 1-3 p.m.

WAC 246-841-465 thru 490: Complaints, Investigations, Corrective Action Designations, Withdrawal of Approval, Appeals, Closure, Re-Application

Friday, January 27, 2023, 1-3 p.m.

WAC 246-841-586 thru 595: Medication Assistant Certification Endorsement (MACE) Programs WAC 246-841-530 thru 585: Alternative Programs

Friday, February 10, 2023, 1-3 p.m.

WAC 246-841-600, 720, 990, 991: Violations, Mandatory Reporting, Fees and Renewal Cycle, Expired Credential

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