

[(iii)] (IV) 1 shall be a consumer member, who is knowledgeable in the field of chemical dependency.

8-510.

(A) THE BOARD MAY CONDUCT A DEMONSTRATION STUDY TO EVALUATE A PROPOSED CHANGE TO REGULATIONS REGARDING NURSING PRACTICES OR THE ACTIVITIES OF NURSING ASSISTANTS OR MEDICATION TECHNICIANS IN A PRACTICE SETTING.

(B) A DEMONSTRATION STUDY ENABLES THE BOARD, IN A CONTROLLED PRACTICE SETTING, TO DETERMINE:

(1) THE SAFETY OF THE PROPOSED PRACTICE OR ACTIVITY; AND

(2) THE APPROPRIATE EDUCATION OR TRAINING REQUIREMENTS FOR A PROPOSED PRACTICE OR ACTIVITY.

(C) (1) THE BOARD SHALL:

(I) APPROVE THE DEMONSTRATION STUDY DESIGN; AND

(II) SELECT THE TESTING FACILITIES.

(2) THE BOARD MAY WAIVE SELECTED NURSING PRACTICE REQUIREMENTS DURING A DEMONSTRATION STUDY.

Subtitle 6A. Certification of Nursing Assistants AND MEDICATION TECHNICIANS.

8-6A-01.

(a) In this subtitle the following words have the meanings indicated.

(B) "APPROVED MEDICATION TECHNICIAN TRAINING PROGRAM" MEANS A COURSE OF TRAINING APPROVED BY THE BOARD THAT MEETS THE BASIC MEDICATION TECHNICIAN ~~CURRICULUM PRESCRIBED AND APPROVED BY THE BOARD~~ CORE CURRICULUM AND THE MEDICATION TECHNICIAN CONTENT TRAINING SPECIFIC TO THE SETTING IN WHICH THE MEDICATION TECHNICIAN WILL WORK.

[(b)](C) "Approved nursing assistant training program" means a course of training that meets the basic nursing assistant curriculum prescribed and approved by the Board.

[(c)](D) "Board" means the State Board of Nursing.

[(d)](E) "Certificate" means a certificate issued by the Board to practice as a certified nursing assistant OR A CERTIFIED MEDICATION TECHNICIAN in the State.

(F) "CERTIFIED MEDICATION TECHNICIAN" MEANS AN INDIVIDUAL WHO:

(1) HAS COMPLETED A BOARD-APPROVED MEDICATION TECHNICIAN TRAINING PROGRAM; AND

(2) IS CERTIFIED BY THE BOARD AS A MEDICATION TECHNICIAN.