

(iii) Subject to the Administrative Procedure Act, deny a license to an applicant or refuse to renew or reinstate an applicant's license for any of the reasons that are grounds for action under § 14-404 of this title; AND

(IV) ON RECEIPT OF A WRITTEN AND SIGNED COMPLAINT, INCLUDING A REFERRAL FROM THE COMMISSIONER OF LABOR AND INDUSTRY, CONDUCT AN UNANNOUNCED INSPECTION OF THE OFFICE OF A PHYSICIAN OR ACUPUNCTURIST, OTHER THAN AN OFFICE OF A PHYSICIAN OR ACUPUNCTURIST IN A HOSPITAL, RELATED INSTITUTION, FREESTANDING MEDICAL FACILITY, OR A FREESTANDING BIRTHING CENTER, TO DETERMINE COMPLIANCE AT THAT OFFICE WITH THE CENTERS FOR DISEASE CONTROL'S GUIDELINES ON UNIVERSAL PRECAUTIONS.

(2) The Board on receipt of a written and signed complaint may investigate an alleged violation of this title.

14-404.

(a) Subject to the hearing provisions of § 14-405 of this subtitle, the Board, on the affirmative vote of a majority of its full authorized membership, may reprimand any licensee, place any licensee on probation, or suspend or revoke a license if the licensee:

(30) Refuses, withholds from, denies, or discriminates against an individual with regard to the provision of professional services for which the licensee is licensed and qualified to render because the individual is HIV positive; [or]

(31) Except as to an association that has remained in continuous existence since July 1, 1963:

(i) Associates with a pharmacist as a partner or co-owner of a pharmacy for the purpose of operating a pharmacy;

(ii) Employs a pharmacist for the purpose of operating a pharmacy; or

(iii) Contracts with a pharmacist for the purpose of operating a pharmacy;

(32) EXCEPT IN AN EMERGENCY LIFE-THREATENING SITUATION WHERE IT IS NOT FEASIBLE OR PRACTICABLE, FAILS TO COMPLY WITH THE CENTERS FOR DISEASE CONTROL'S GUIDELINES ON UNIVERSAL PRECAUTIONS; OR

(33) FAILS TO DISPLAY THE NOTICE REQUIRED UNDER § 14-415 OF THIS TITLE.

14-415.

IF A PHYSICIAN IS ENGAGED IN THE PRIVATE PRACTICE OF MEDICINE IN THIS STATE, THE PHYSICIAN SHALL DISPLAY THE NOTICE DEVELOPED UNDER § 1-207 OF THIS ARTICLE CONSPICUOUSLY IN EACH OFFICE WHERE THE PHYSICIAN IS ENGAGED IN PRACTICE.