

AMENDMENT TO THE REGULATIONS OF THE COMMISSIONER OF EDUCATION

Pursuant to sections 207, 6504, 6507, 8701, 8705, and 8706 of the Education Law

1. Subdivision (b) of section 52.31 of the Regulations of the Commissioner of Education is amended, effective June 3, 2015, to read as follows:

§52.31 Medical physics.

(a) ...

(b) In addition to meeting all applicable provisions of this Part, to be registered as a program recognized as leading to licensure in a specialty of medical physics as defined in section 8701 of the Education Law, the program shall be offered by a college or university accredited by an acceptable accrediting agency or an equivalent institution, as determined by the department, and shall be a master's or doctoral degree program in medical physics, physics, another physical science, mathematics, engineering or an equivalent field, containing at least 10 semester hours, or the equivalent, of coursework which includes but is not limited to: radiation protection, radiation biology, dosimetry, instrumentation, and the clinical applications thereof and/or a supervised clinical experience, as such coursework and experience pertain to such medical physics specialty.

2. Paragraph (2) of subdivision (a) of section 79-8.5 of the Regulations of the Commissioner of Education is amended, effective June 3, 2015, to read as follows:

§79-8.5 Limited permits.

(a) The following persons shall be eligible for a limited permit in a specialty area of medical physics:

(1) ...

(2) a student who is enrolled in a graduate program at the master's degree level or above approved by the department. Such permit shall only be required for students participating in clinical practice as defined in section 8701(1) of the Education Law.

3. Section 79-8.6 of the Regulations of the Commissioner of Education is repealed, effective June 3, 2015.