

TEXAS BOARD OF ORTHOTICS & PROSTHETICS

***RULES COMMITTEE MEETING***

**Thursday, October 17, 2013, 11:00am  
The Exchange Building – Room N102  
8407 Wall Street  
Austin, TX 78754**

**AGENDA**

1. Call to Order – Introduction of Members, Guests, and Staff.
2. Review and Approve August 8, 2013 Committee Minutes.
3. Review, Discussion, and Possible Action Regarding New Rules Concerning the Licensure and Regulation of Orthotics and Prosthetics, 22 Texas Administrative Code, Chapter 821, including:
  - Rule §821.5 – General Application Procedures.
  - Rule §821.15 – Accreditation of Prosthetic and Orthotic Facilities.
  - Rule §821.30 – Criminal History Evaluation Letters.
4. Review, Discussion, and Possible Action Regarding Amendments to the Rules Concerning the Licensure and Regulation of Orthotics and Prosthetics, 22 Texas Administrative Code, Chapter 821, including:
  - Rule §821.13 – Student Registration
  - Rule §821.2(28) – Orthotics
  - Rule §821.2(34) – Prosthetics
  - Rules §821.8(b)(3) – Acquiring Licensure as a Uniquely Qualified Person.
  - Rule §821.10(c)(1) – Licensed Prosthetist Assistant, Licensed Orthotist Assistant, or Licensed Prosthetist/Orthotist Assistant
  - Rule §821.4 – Fees.
5. Review, Discussion, and Possible Action Regarding Repeals of Rules Concerning the Licensure and Regulation of Orthotics and Prosthetics, 22 Texas Administrative Code, Chapter 821, including:
  - Rule §821.2(3) – Assistant Patient Care Services.
  - Rule §821.10(b)(1) – Assistant Patient Care Services.
  - Rule §821.10(b)(2) – Assistant Patient Care Services.
6. Items for Future Consideration.
7. Public Comment.

8. Adjournment.

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AGENDA ITEMS MAY BE CONSIDERED IN ANY ORDER  
THE BOARD MAY TAKE ACTION ON ANY OF THE LISTED ITEMS  
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