

Saskatchewan Association of Licensed Practical Nurses (SALPN)
Proposed Regulatory Bylaw Amendments: April 2018

Existing Provision	Proposed Provision	Explanation
<p>Eligibility for licence renewal 10(1) In order to be eligible to obtain a renewal of a licence to practise, a member who is a licensed practical nurse must:</p> <p>(b) obtain, in accordance with the maximum number of claimable hours in each category as set out in Table 1 and subject to section 13, at least:</p> <p>(i) 24 hours of continuing education, where the member was licensed for seven or more months in the previous year;</p> <p>(ii) 12 hours of continuing education, where the member was licensed for three or more but less than seven months in the previous year;</p> <p>(iii) 6 hours of continuing education, where the member was licensed for less than three months in the previous year; and</p>	<p>Eligibility for licence renewal 10(1) In order to be eligible to obtain a renewal of a licence to practise, a member who is a licensed practical nurse must:</p> <p>(b) obtain and report in accordance with the minimum number of reportable hours as set out in table 1 and subject to section 13.</p>	<p>The amendment will outline the requirements of the CEP program in table form.</p>
<p>Non-practising certificate 12 A licensed practical nurse who is eligible for licensure but is not currently employed or practising as a licensed practical nurse in Saskatchewan or working in licensed practical nurse activities described in clause 10(1)(a), may obtain a non-practising certificate on payment of the prescribed fee, which entitles the member to continue to receive notices and newsletters from SALPN and to accumulate continuing education hours.</p>	<p>Non-practising certificate 12 A licensed practical nurse who is eligible for licensure but is not currently employed or practising as a licensed practical nurse in Saskatchewan or working in licensed practical nurse activities described in clause 10(1)(a) may obtain a non-practising certificate on payment of the prescribed fee.</p>	<p>Reference to the obtaining newsletters and accumulating continuing education hours are not necessary to be included in this provision, as these are incidents of membership and not licence status.</p>

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<p>Accumulation of continuing education hours 13(2) A member who accumulates more than the required number of hours during the period commencing on December 2 of the year prior to the date of application for licence renewal may carry those additional hours forward to be counted in relation to the member’s application for licence renewal in the next year, to a maximum of one-third of the total required number of hours, which total includes at least one-third of the minimum required number of hours set out in sections 1(1) and 1(2) of Table 1.</p>	<p>Accumulation of continuing education hours 13(2) A member who accumulates more than the required number of hours during the period commencing on December 2 of the year prior to the date of application for licence renewal may carry those additional hours forward to be counted in relation to the member’s application for licence renewal in the next year, to a maximum of eight hours in the section in which the carry-over is obtained.</p>	<p>The amendment will permit carry-over of up to 8 continuing education hours in the section in which they are obtained.</p>
<p>Discipline Committee 23(1) The Discipline Committee that the council is required to appoint pursuant to section 28 of the Act shall consist of two members, in addition to the public representative appointed to the council pursuant to section 8 of the Act.</p>	<p>Discipline Committee 23(1) The Discipline Committee that the council is required to appoint pursuant to section 28 of the Act shall consist of at least two members, in addition to the public representative appointed to the council pursuant to section 8 of the Act.</p>	<p>The amendment will allow the appointment of more than three persons to the Discipline Committee.</p>