

**Notice of Public Rulemaking Hearing:
Tennessee Emergency Communications Board**

Pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. § 4-3-1306(d), you are receiving this notice because you have elected to receive notification by e-mail of certain changes or potential changes to the law applicable to your profession.

The Tennessee Emergency Communications Board (the "Board") will be conducting a Rulemaking Hearing on Wednesday, April 28, 2020 at 10:00 a.m. This rulemaking hearing will be held at the following address:

500 James Robertson Parkway
Davy Crockett Tower, Conference Room 1-A
Nashville, TN 37243

The hearing will cover the T-CPR rules being promulgated by the Board. The proposed rules are in response to amendments to T.C.A. § 7-86-205 requiring telecommunicator cardiopulmonary resuscitation ("T-CPR") that became effective on January 1, 2021. A summary of the new rules and rules to be amended are as follows:

- Tenn. Comp. R. & Regs. § 0780-06-02-.03 [Minimum Training Requirements] would be amended to reflect statutory language more accurately by replacing the term "911" with "emergency call taker".
- Tenn. Comp. R. & Regs. § 0780-06-02-.04 [Minimum Course of Study Requirements] would be amended to reflect statutory language more accurately by replacing the term "911" with "emergency call taker".
- Tenn. Comp. R. & Regs. § 0780-06-02-.06 [Telecommunicator Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation] would be amended to replace the Waiver rule with a rule setting forth the training, use, and quality assurance program on T-CPR.
- Tenn. Comp. R. & Regs. § 0780-06-02-.07 [Waiver] would be created to replace the Waiver rule removed from 0780-06-02-.06.

A copy of the rules to be considered at the rulemaking hearing can be viewed online at:

https://publications.tnsosfiles.com/rules_filings/03-14-21.pdf

Pursuant to the *Tennessee Open Meetings Act* (Tenn. Code Ann. § 8-44-101, *et. seq.*), the above-referenced hearing is open to the public, and you may attend the hearing in person. If you have any comments regarding the rules, you may either submit your written comments in advance of the board meeting to Benjamin Glover, Assistant Director & General Counsel, at (615) 770-3849 or electronically at Benjamin.Glover@tn.gov, or appear at the rulemaking hearing to make your comments on the record.