



## Acupuncture Board Regulatory Update

**Updated: December 17, 2020**

In the table below is a list of the Board's regulations proposed for rulemaking packages in the 2020 calendar year.

Pending Regulations					
	<b>Subject</b>	<b>Title 16, California Code of Regulations (CCR) Section referred</b>	<b>Original authorizing vote date/ subsequent vote</b>	<b>Current Status</b>	<b>Filing Dates / Anticipated Filing Date</b>
<b>1</b>	AB 2138: Denial of Application, Revocation or Suspension of Licensure for a Criminal Conviction	Adopt Sections: 1399.469.4, 1399.469.5, 1399.469.6	3/28/19 / 6/26/20	Modified language approved by Board 6/26/20. Amended notice provided 9/18/20. Public comments on original language to Board for action.	<u>Jan 31, 2020</u>
<b>2</b>	SB 1441: Implement Uniform Standards Related to Substance Abusing Licensees and Update of Disciplinary Guidelines	Create newly titled Article 6.1 and 6.2 of Division 13.7 of Title 16  Amend Section: 1399.469	3/28/19	Rulemaking package under staff development. Sections of Guidelines with AB 2138 language amended with modified text and being brought to Board for approval.	<i>Jan 31, 2021</i>
<b>3</b>	SB 1448: Disclosure of Probation Status to Patients	(Implementation through Disciplinary Guidelines)	3/28/19	Rulemaking package under staff development.	<i>Jan 31, 2021</i>
<b>4</b>	SB 1246: Align Curriculum Standards and Approval Related Regulations with Statutes	Amend Sections: 1399.415, 1399.416, 1399.434, 1399.435, 1399.437, 1399.438, 1399.439  Retitle Article 3.5	8/15/19	Rulemaking package under staff development.	<i>Feb 2021</i>

<b>5</b>	AB 2190: Application Process, Criteria, and Procedures for Approval of a Credential Evaluation Service	Amend Sections: 1399.411, 1399.413, 1399.414, 1399.415, 1399.416  Adopt Sections: 1399.416.1 & 1399.416.2	TBD	Language drafted and under review. Proposed regulatory language expected to be presented at future Lic/Exam Committee mtg	TBD
<b>6</b>	Increase Board Fees	Amend Sections: 1399.460 & 1399.462	8/15/19	Section 100 rulemaking package submitted to Legal for OAL filing.	Dec 2020
<b>7</b>	Application for Retired Status; Retired Status; Restoration	Adopt Section 1399.419.3	8/16/19	Rulemaking package under staff development	Feb 2021
<b>8</b>	Continuing Education Requirements (Title 16 CCR sections 1399.483, 1399.489)	Amend Sections: 1399.483 & 1399.489	TBD	Proposed language and research brought to Edu/Research Committee mtg last on 3/28/19. Additional research requested by Committee is being brought to Board for discussion/action.	April 2021
<b>9</b>	Telehealth	Adopt New Section (TBD)	TBD	Proposed language being brought to the Licensing/Exam Committee mtg on 12/17/20.	TBD