

Rule Changes Effective July 5, 2020

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RULE CHANGES ADOPTED

CHAPTER 180. TEXAS PHYSICIAN HEALTH PROGRAM AND REHABILITATION ORDERS

Amends the title of 22 TAC Chapter 180 to “Texas Physician Health Program.”

The amendments to **§180.1**, concerning Purpose, describes the authority for rulemaking and the purpose of the Texas Physician Health Program under Chapter 167 of the Texas Occupations Code.

The amendments to **§180.2**, concerning Definitions, updates existing definitions and adds new definitions in order to maintain consistency within this chapter.

The amendments to **§180.3**, concerning Texas Physician Health Program, clarifies and updates existing language to ensure consistency with current program processes and TXPHP Governing Board directives.

The amendments to **§180.4**, concerning Operation of Program, clarifies and updates existing language to ensure consistency with current program processes and TXPHP Governing Board directives.

The repeal of **§180.7**, concerning Rehabilitation Orders, eliminates outdated rule language that was historically necessary when TXPHP was created in 2009.