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**AGENCY REPORT TO THE
JOINT COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE RULES (JCAR)**

1. Agency Information

Agency name:

Licensing and Regulatory Affairs

Division/Bureau/Office:

Bureau of Professional Licensing

Name of person completing this form:

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Name of Department Regulatory Affairs Officer reviewing this form:

Elizabeth Arasim

2. Rule Set Information

MOAHR assigned rule set number:

2021-43 LR

Title of proposed rule set:

Genetic Counseling - General Rules

3. Purpose for the proposed rules and background:

The Genetic Counseling – General Rules pertain to definitions, telehealth, training, licensure, relicensure, renewal, continuing education, and certification for genetic counselors.

Amendment of the rules will take place to supply necessary revisions on definitions, telehealth, training, licensure, relicensure, renewal, continuing education, and certification for genetic counselors.

4. Summary of proposed rules:

The proposed revisions to the rules include a date of promulgation for completion of the training on identifying victims of human trafficking, a new rule setting forth the requirements for licensure by endorsement, revisions to the requirements for verification of licenses held in other jurisdictions, clarification that a temporary-licensed genetic counselor may renew the temporary license four times, and a requirement that a licensee shall report to the department a change in active candidate status no later than 30 days after the change occurs.

5. List names of newspapers in which the notice of public hearing was published and publication dates:

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The Flint Journal, May 22, 2022
The Grand Rapids Press, May 19, 2022
The Mining Journal, May 27, 2022

6. Date of publication of rules and notice of public hearing in Michigan Register:

6/15/2022

7. Date, time, and location of public hearing:

6/17/2022 09:00 AM at G. Mennen Williams Building Auditorium , 525 W. Ottawa Street, Lansing, Michigan

8. Provide the link the agency used to post the regulatory impact statement and cost-benefit analysis on its website:

<https://ARS.apps.lara.state.mi.us/Transaction/RFRTransaction?TransactionID=1301>

9. List of the name and title of agency representative(s) attending public hearing:

Weston MacIntosh, Departmental Specialist, Bureau of Professional Licensing
Stephanie Wysack, Departmental Technician, Bureau of Professional Licensing

10. Persons submitting comments of support:

None.

11. Persons submitting comments of opposition:

Renee Smiddy

12. Persons submitting other comments:

None.

13. Identify any changes made to the proposed rules based on comments received during the public comment period:

	Name & Organization	Comments made at public hearing	Written Comments	Agency Rationale for Rule Change and Description of Change(s) Made	Rule number & citation changed

14. Date report completed:

9/21/2022