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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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2. Rule Set Information

MOAHR assigned rule set number:

2023-29 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 clarity 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 typographical revisions, clarification of when a licensee must request a waiver of continuing education, clarification that completion of implicit bias training under R 338.7004 may also count toward continuing education requirements, a provision that non-Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) accredited providers engaging in joint providership with ACCME accredited providers are acceptable continuing education providers, and clarification that a licensee shall report to the department a change in qualified supervisor 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, August 31, 2023.
The Grand Rapids Press, August 31, 2023.
The Mining Journal, September 6, 2023.

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

10/1/2023

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

10/2/2023 09:00 AM at UL-3 , 611 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=1456>

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

Weston MacIntosh, Departmental Specialist, Bureau of Professional Licensing.
LeAnn Payne, Departmental Technician, Bureau of Professional Licensing.

10. Persons submitting comments of support:

None.

11. Persons submitting comments of opposition:

None.

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
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14. Date report completed:

10/18/2023