

ORDER OF ADOPTION

The Physician Assistant Board hereby amends its regulation in Division 13.8 of Title 16 of the California Code of Regulations to read as follows:

§ 1399.573. Citations for Unlicensed Practice.

The executive officer is authorized to determine when and against whom a citation will be issued and to issue citations containing orders of abatement and fines against persons, partnerships, corporations or associations who are performing or who have performed services for which licensure as a physician assistant is required under the Physician Assistant Practice Act. The executive officer is authorized to issue citations and orders of abatement and levy fines ~~only in the case of a physician assistant who has practiced with a delinquent license~~ against any person who is acting in the capacity of a licensee under the jurisdiction of the board and who is not otherwise exempt from licensure. Each citation issued shall contain an order of abatement. Where appropriate, the executive officer shall levy a fine for such unlicensed activity in accordance with subdivision (b)(3) of Section 125.9 of the code. The provisions of Sections 1399.570 and 1399.572 shall apply to the issuance of citations for unlicensed activity under this subsection. The sanction authorized under this section shall be separate from and in addition to any other civil or criminal remedies.

Note: Authority cited: Sections 125.9, 148 and 3510, Business and Professions Code.
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