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Comments

[NOTE: All citations to “Manual” in the comments below are to the Administrative Rules Procedures Manual, prepared by the Revisor of Statutes Bureau and the Legislative Council Staff, dated October 2002.]

2. Form, Style and Placement in Administrative Code

- a. In the treatment clause of each SECTION, the word “Section” before “Chir” should be deleted.
- b. The text of each SECTION should begin with the full rule citation. For example, in SECTION 1, “Chir 2.01” should precede “(3)”.
- c. Current rules that are not affected should not be shown. For example, s. Chir 2.02 (6) (intro.) should not be shown.
- d. Section Chir 2.02 (6) (a) and (b) should be in SECTION 5. Presently, the rule has two SECTIONS numbered SECTION 4.
- e. Stricken material should always precede immediately adjacent underscored material. [See s. 1.06 (1), Manual.] Section Chir 3.03 (1) (c) should be reviewed in this regard.
- f. Newly created subunits should not be underscored. For example, s. Chir 10.02 (3) should not be underscored.
- g. In the fiscal estimate, all of the dollar calculations have been left blank.

4. Adequacy of References to Related Statutes, Rules and Forms

In s. Chir 9.06 (2), “sub. (1) (d), (e) or (f)” should replace “(1) (d), (e) or (f) above.” In the third line, “s.” should replace “sec.” and “to” should replace “through.”

5. Clarity, Grammar, Punctuation and Use of Plain Language

- a. In s. Chir 2.02 (intro.), the word “an” should be inserted before “application.”
- b. Should the address information contained in the note at the end of s. Chir 3.03 be modified as it has been in other notes relating to application availability? See s. Chir 4.05 (2) (d) 3. (note).
- c. In s. Chir 4.05 (1) (b) 3., what constitutes “*invasive* laser application” as opposed to “laser application”. In other words, how invasive must the procedure be? Also, s. Chir 4.05 (1) (b) (intro.) already provides “invasive procedures, such as:” and then it lists the procedures, which presently contain “laser application.” Is it necessary to list “invasive” with “laser application” since par. (b) (intro.) already provides that?
- d. In s. Chir 5.01 (1) (h), the note following s. Chir 5.01 (4) (a) 1, s. Chir 5.01 (4) (a) 6, and the note following s. Chir 5.01 (6), it is unclear in how those sections pertain to s. Chir 5.01. It appears that those changes are intended to apply to s. Chir 5.02.