

Oklahoma State Board of Osteopathic Examiners

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POLICY AND PROCEDURE ON CME APPROVAL FOR PROPER PRESCRIBING INVOLVING SB 1446

POLICY:

It shall be the policy of this Board that:

Because of the significance in the changes of prescribing regulations found in SB 1446; and, because of the considerable confusion surrounding these changes, and because of the substantial penalties that may be incurred by physicians, effective this date we adopt the following policy for approval of proper prescribing CME credit:

1. All Proper Prescribing presentations must be live. They may not be online or video replays.
2. All Proper Prescribing programs must have a Board Member or Senior Board Staff in attendance with expenses paid, to answer attendee questions.
3. For the one (1) hour programs, no credit will awarded without both of these requirements being observed.

PROCEDURE:

1. All CME involving SB 1446 shall be approved prior to presentation in order for CME Credit to be awarded. Requests for approval must be in writing and directed to the Board's Executive Director at the Board's office at 4848 N. Lincoln, Suite 100, Oklahoma City, OK 73105.
2. In order to allow time for processing, requests must be submitted at least thirty (30) days prior to the presentation.
3. Expense reimbursements must be made directly to the Board Member, or, if a Staff Member, payment should be made to the Osteopathic Board of Examiners.
4. Approved presentations may advertise that "This program meets the requirements for approval of one (1) hour of CME credit by the Oklahoma Osteopathic Board of Examiners."

This Policy and Procedure is effective on January 1, 2019.