

**Title 20—DEPARTMENT OF  
COMMERCE AND INSURANCE N  
Division 2200—State Board of Nursing  
Chapter 8—Minimum Standards for Approved  
Veteran’s Bridge Programs of Practical Nursing**

**PROPOSED AMENDMENT**

**20 CSR 2200-8.040 Program Changes Requiring Board Approval, Notification, or Both.** The board is amending section (1).

*PURPOSE: This amendment defines major program expansion and provides existing nursing programs with notification of such major expansions.*

(1) Board approval is required for changes of the following:

(C) Increase in number of students by enrollment, transfer, or readmission by more than one (1) beyond the number approved by the board;

- 1. Any program expansion that would increase annual student admissions by twenty (20) or more students and/or establish a new satellite location shall be considered a major program expansion; and**
- 2. The board will electronically notify nursing programs of requests for major program expansion;**

*AUTHORITY: section[s] 324.007, RSMo 2016 and section 335.036, RSMo [2016] Supp. 2021.\* Original rule filed April 14, 2017, effective Oct. 30, 2017. Amended: filed Feb. 14, 2022.*

*PUBLIC COST: This proposed amendment will not cost state agencies or political subdivisions more than five hundred dollars (\$500) in the aggregate.*

*PRIVATE COST: This proposed amendment will not cost private entities more than five hundred dollars (\$500) in the aggregate.*

*NOTICE TO SUBMIT COMMENTS: Anyone may file a statement in support of or in opposition to this proposed amendment with the State Board of Nursing, Lori Scheidt, Executive Director, PO Box 656, Jefferson City, MO 65102, by fax at (573) 751-0075, or via email at nursing@pr.mo.gov. To be considered, comments must be received within thirty (30) days after publication of this notice in the **Missouri Register**. No public hearing is scheduled.*