

(8) The board may annually randomly audit a board-determined percentage of candidates and CBHPSS who have renewed their licenses to evaluate:

- (a) whether records are being maintained in compliance with this rule; and
- (b) that the supervision requirements of this rule and ARM 24.219.423, and ARM 24.219.504, 24.219.604, 24.219.704, or 24.219.5008 are being met. (History: 37-1-131, 37-22-201, 37-35-103, 37-35-202, MCA; IMP, 37-1-131, 37-22-301, 37-22-307, 37-22-308, 37-23-202, 37-35-103, 37-35-202, 37-37-201, 37-38-202, MCA; NEW, 2019 MAR p. 2371, Eff. 12/28/19; AMD, 2020 MAR p. 1517, Eff. 8/8/20.)

24.219.423 CHANGE OF SUPERVISOR (1) An LCSW, LMSW, LBSW, LCPC, LMFT, or LAC candidate or CBHPSS cannot practice without a supervisor as described in this chapter.

(2) When there is a change in supervisor, the following individuals must notify the board no later than 20 business days following the change using forms provided by the department:

- (a) the candidate or CBHPSS;
 - (b) the new supervisor; and/or
 - (c) the individual ceasing to supervise a candidate.
- (3) The supervisor, candidate, or CBHPSS may be subject to disciplinary action for failure to report change in supervisor. (History: 37-1-131, 37-22-201, 37-35-103, 37-35-202, MCA; IMP, 37-1-131, 37-22-301, 37-22-307, 37-22-308, 37-23-202, 37-35-103, 37-35-202, 37-37-201, 37-38-202, MCA; NEW, 2019 MAR p. 2371, Eff. 12/28/19; AMD, 2020 MAR p. 1517, Eff. 8/8/20.)

Rules 24.219.424 through 24.219.429 reserved

24.219.430 INACTIVE STATUS AND CONVERSION TO ACTIVE STATUS – LCSW, LMSW, LBSW, LCPC, LMFT, LAC, AND CBHPSS (1) Active status licensees may convert to inactive status on the renewal form or by informing the department. Inactive licensees must inform the department of any change of address while on inactive status and must pay the inactive renewal fee annually to avoid license expiration or termination.

- (2) Inactive licensees or certificate holders may not practice.
- (3) Inactive status licensees or certificate holders may convert to active status upon request and payment of the required fee.
- (4) In order to convert to active status, licensees and certificate holders:
 - (a) may not have been out of active practice for more than five years; and
 - (b) must have completed ten hours of continuing education (CE) per each year of inactive status. The CE must have been completed within the twenty-four months prior to converting to active status. (History: 37-1-131, 37-1-319, MCA; IMP, 37-1-319, MCA; NEW, 2020 MAR p. 1517, Eff. 8/8/20.)

