

The Licensed Genetic Counselor Advisory Committee proposed the following changes to the LGC Rules. The rules have been approved by the Oklahoma State Board of Health, signed by the Governor, and became effective July 25, 2010. The language underlined is new and the language stricken through is now deleted.

TITLE 310. OKLAHOMA STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
CHAPTER 406. LICENSED GENETIC COUNSELORS

SUBCHAPTER 7. APPLICATION FOR LICENSURE

310:406-7-2. Application materials and forms

- (a) Each application shall include the following documents:
- (1) Application form,
 - (2) Official transcript, mailed from a genetic counseling training program accredited by the ABGC or ABMG,
 - (3) Verification of certification by the ABGC or ABMG, or verification of active candidate status conferred by the ABGC, ABMG, or an equivalent acceptable entity.
 - (4) Two (2) classifiable sets of fingerprints, and
 - (5) Fees.
- (b) The application form requires the following:
- (1) Identifying information;
 - (2) Possession of other credentials;
 - (3) Previous misconduct (if applicable);
 - (4) Education;
 - (5) References; and
 - (6) Proposed professional practice; ~~and~~
 - (7) ~~Notarization.~~

SUBCHAPTER 15. FEES

310:406-15-2. Method of payment.

Payment of all fees shall be by personal check, cashier's check, money order, or cash. Payment of fees may be made by credit card or other electronic means, if acceptable by the Department. Any check returned to the Department for non-payment may result in expiration or suspension of license.

SUBCHAPTER 17. CONTINUING EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS

310:406-17-3. Acceptable continuing education

Continuing education must be ~~ABGC-approved~~ appropriate for maintenance of certification for at least 10 of the ~~continuing education~~ 30 clock hours. The remaining twenty hours ~~of continuing education may consist of medical continuing education in the LGC's area of employment~~ may consist of professional continuing education.

310:406-17-4. Submission of continuing education roster

LGCs shall submit a continuing education roster, ~~along with individual verification of attendance documents~~ with the license renewal fee.

Rosters must include the identity and license number of the LGC receiving continuing education, the date name, and location of the conference, the number of hours awarded, and the entity or organization sponsoring the conference. Only continuing education accrued in the preceding license renewal period can be used to satisfy the continuing education requirement for renewal.