

21 NCAC 30 .0636 is proposed for adoption with changes as published in 35:12 NCR 1386-1387:

**21 NCAC 30 .0636 WAIVER OF SCHOOL REQUIREMENTS DURING DISASTER OR
EMERGENCY**

(a) If the Governor declares a state of emergency, classroom hours of supervised instruction that are not hands-on may be provided online, despite the requirement in Rule .0602(8) of this Subchapter. ~~the following exceptions shall apply to massage and bodywork therapy schools, programs and students, the requirements in this Subchapter notwithstanding:~~

~~(1) — Classroom hours of supervised instruction that are not hands-on may be provided online, despite the requirement in Rule .0602(10) of this Subchapter.~~

~~(2) — Total number of supervised classroom hours of instruction that are not hands-on may include online hours, despite the requirement in Rule .0603(b)(4) of this Subchapter.~~

~~(3)~~(b) For a student to receive credit in a course that is not hands-on, the student shall attend, in-class or online, 75 percent of the instructional hours of the course and shall also make up missed instructional hours to equal no less than 98 percent of the instructional hours in the course, pursuant to Rule .0620(11) of this Subchapter.

~~(4)~~(c) Schools shall not be required to revise the Student Enrollment Agreement required by Rule .0629 or School Catalog required by Rule .0630 to reflect the exceptions listed in this Rule.

~~(b)~~(d) The exceptions in this Rule shall only apply during the effective period of the state of emergency.

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21 NCAC 30 .0704 is proposed for adoption with changes as published in 35:12 NCR 1387:

**21 NCAC 30 .0704 WAIVER OF CONTINUING EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS DURING
DISASTER OR EMERGENCY**

(a) If the ~~governor~~ Governor declares a state of emergency, the Board may allow all continuing education hours required by G.S. 90-630.5 and Rule .0701(b) of this Chapter to be obtained by distance learning. In making this determination, the Board shall consider the risk of harm to licensed massage and bodywork therapists attending in-classroom continuing education courses.

(b) The exceptions in this Rule shall only apply during the effective period of the state of emergency.

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