

G.S. 150B-21.3A Report for 21 NCAC 45, PASTORAL COUNSELORS, FEE-BASED PRACTICING

Agency - Board of Examiners of Fee-Based Practicing Pastoral Counselors

Comment Period - September 29, 2025 - November 30, 2025

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Subchapter	Rule Section	Rule Citation	Rule Name	Date and Last Agency Action on the Rule	Agency Determination [150B-21.3A(c)(1)a]	Required to Implement or Conform to Federal Regulation [150B-21.3A(d1)]	Federal Regulation Citation	Public Comment Received [150B-21.3A(c)(1)]	Agency Determination Following Public Comment [150B-21.3A(c)(1)]	RRC Determination of Public Comments [150B-21.3A(c)(2)]	RRC Final Determination of Status of Rule for Report to APO [150B-21.3A(c)(2)]	OAH Next Steps
	SECTION .0100 – GENERAL PROVISIONS	21 NCAC 45 .0101	ADDRESS	Amended Eff. October 1, 2020	Necessary	Select One		No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
	SECTION .0200 - APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATION	21 NCAC 45 .0201	INFORMATION REQUIRED	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. March 1, 2016	Necessary	Select One		No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		21 NCAC 45 .0202	REVIEW PROCEDURE	Amended Eff. October 1, 2020	Necessary	Select One		No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		21 NCAC 45 .0203	ISSUANCE OF CERTIFICATE	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. March 1, 2016	Necessary	Select One		No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
	SECTION .0300 - EXAMINATION	21 NCAC 45 .0301	TYPES	Amended Eff. October 1, 2020	Necessary	Select One		No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		21 NCAC 45 .0302	REPORTING OF SCORES	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. March 1, 2016	Necessary	Select One		No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		21 NCAC 45 .0303	RE-EXAMINATION	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. March 1, 2016	Necessary	Select One		No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
	SECTION .0400 - CERTIFICATION RENEWAL	21 NCAC 45 .0401	CERTIFICATION RENEWAL FORM	Amended Eff. October 1, 2020	Necessary	Select One		No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		21 NCAC 45 .0402	SECOND NOTICE	Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. March 1, 2016	Necessary	Select One		No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		21 NCAC 45 .0403	REINSTATEMENT AFTER SUSPENSION	Eff. October 1, 2020	Necessary	Select One		No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
	SECTION .0500 - CONTINUING EDUCATION	21 NCAC 45 .0501	CONTINUING EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS	Amended Eff. October 1, 2020	Necessary	Select One		No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
	SECTION .0600 - DEFINITIONS	21 NCAC 45 .0601	EQUIVALENCY	Amended Eff. October 1, 2020	Necessary	Select One		No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
	SECTION .0700 - TEMPORARY CERTIFICATES	21 NCAC 45 .0701	ISSUANCE OF TEMPORARY CERTIFICATE	Amended Eff. October 1, 2020	Necessary	Select One		No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
	SECTION .0800 - SUPERVISION	21 NCAC 45 .0801	APPROVED SUPERVISION	Amended Eff. October 1, 2020	Necessary	Select One		No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt