

**64B8-13.008 Requirement for Continuing Education Course on Prescribing Controlled Substances.**

(1) Pursuant to Section 456.0301, F.S., by January 31, 2019, all physicians who are registered with the United States Drug Enforcement Agency and authorized to prescribe controlled substances must complete a 2-hour course on prescribing controlled substances.

(2) The 2-hour controlled substances prescribing course shall be included in the total hours required for continuing education renewal purposes.

(3) This rule requirement is not applicable to physician assistants licensed pursuant to Section 458.347, F.S.

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