

Proposed Regulation Changes Fall 2018

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Page 66 "Sustained professional learning." If one college credit is equal to 15 units that means I would need to take 3-4 classes per certificate renewal. I already have my MAT so these classes amount to several thousand dollars. This is unnecessary and excessively costly. It strikes me as yet another punitive attack on teachers but keeps the money flowing to the colleges who already overcharge for the minimal service they provide. This also assumes that local districts will be organized enough to provide quality professional development (which they will not). So again teachers would be forced to spend thousands on classes which do not have the slightest impact on my daily job performance.

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P.62: Section
1.8.5 Professional
Learning Units

I am quite concerned with the potential of adding professional learning units to the regulations. This is concerning because as an educator, we have built in professional development days in our school year where we focus on what the needs are specific to our district, school, and classrooms. As an educator, I am always learning, researching, and trying new things. To be forced to maintain a certain number of hours each year for professional learning units seems unnecessary considering we are continually growing professionally, even if it means by observing in a colleague's classroom where a new technique is being used.

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You are placing too much on teachers. 150 hours with restrictions that the school department is not required to supply or pay for? How am I supposed to work full time, raise my children and find time for this? Also, restricting that so many hours have to be on the same topic doesn't make sense. You will drive teachers out of the profession by making these requirements. Isn't it enough that we set professional goals and prove student learning?

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PK-12 Teacher

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Respondent skipped this question

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I am very concerned with page 104, section J, for a second pathway for School Nurses. I have been on 2 interview committees seeking a school nurse where both certified and non-certified RNs have applied. There is a vast difference in the knowledge and abilities of RNs who are not certified. They know little about the education environment in which they must function. One was totally surprised that she would be working alone and be the only health provider in the building. None of the non-certified applicants know what FERP was nor did they know to use the Rules and Regs for School Health as a resource (did not know that it existed). This makes me very concerned for student safety if you hire a RN who has had no training in school health.

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PK-12 Support Professional

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Respondent skipped this question

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Respondent skipped this question

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PK-12 Support Professional,
Other (please
specify):
School nurse teacher

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Respondent skipped this question

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All Grades Registered School Nurse Grades PK-12/pg 104. These requirements do not adequately address the knowledge and skills needed to be an effective school nurse. There is no requirement for the RN to take any school nurse specific classes or program to learn about the Rules and Regulations that are spell out the requirements of the school nurse practice. This puts the students safety at risk, and also the nurses license is compromised by lack of knowledge of the field of practice.

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PK-12 Support Professional

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Q1 Which of the following best describes your role in education?

Other (please specify):
PK-12 School Nurse Teacher

Q2 If you support the proposed changes to regulations, please cite the regulation(s) by topic, reference the page number(s) and then provide details regarding what you support.

Respondent skipped this question

Q3 If you have concerns with the proposed changes to regulations, please cite the regulation(s) by topic, reference the page number(s) and then provide details regarding your concerns.

101-103 I oppose! School nurse teachers are vital to the health education of our kids and should be teaching. Shameful to even consider removing teaching status!

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PK-12 Support Professional

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J-Registered School Nurse pages 102-103,
This pathway will not provide Highly Qualified School nurses.
Coursework is critical to this specialty of nursing.
There is a need to clarify in I. the courses and requirements for the school nurse teacher. That is very unclear.

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PK-12 Support Professional

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PK-12 Teacher

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On page 55, Reg.# 1.8.3 A. 3. Conditions for Renewal, it states, "Beginning in 2024 the applicant is responsible for submitting the full number of units, 150 professional learning units, required to renew the certificate..". This is 150 hours of additional work that teachers will not receive any compensation for, and in addition to the \$200 + expense to renew the certificate, will require educators to spend hundreds of dollars out-of-pocket to pay for these PLU's, as evident on page 62 Reg#1.8.5 B. Furthermore, the requirement for sustained learning implies that continuous college coursework or board certification is indirectly being mandated, since B.1 states "Seventy-five percent of professional learning units earned must meet the sustained professional learning requirements." and B 2.states, "Professional learning is sustained when at least ten PLUs are earned through an activity that is 10 or more hours in length or when shorter activities of the same topic take place over time. If our LEA is only "partially responsible for providing PLU's", than the teacher is not only responsible for searching for any available learning opportunities, putting in the additional 150 hours of work ,and documenting the hours accrued, but is also expected to pay out-of-pocket for graduate level coursework or board certification to obtain these "sustained hours".

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PK-12 Teacher

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Respondent skipped this question

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Respondent skipped this question

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PK-12 Teacher

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Q1 Which of the following best describes your role in education? **PK-12 Administrator**

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Q3 If you have concerns with the proposed changes to regulations, please cite the regulation(s) by topic, reference the page number(s) and then provide details regarding your concerns.

school nurse certification that would allow any RN to become certified without taking any course work or training in school health - No idea of how to participate in an IEP or 504 meeting

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Q1 Which of the following best describes your role in education?

PK-12 Teacher

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Respondent skipped this question

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The issues I have regarding proposed changes are:

Topic 1.8.3: the prorated professional hours. Will hours completed since the first day of current issued certification count? If I need to complete 90 hours, does that mean from the day these regulations go into effect or from the date of my certification? How do I verify past PD?

1.8.5: The sustained PD requirement financial obligation falling to teachers. My district does not allow PD during the school day, leaving us with little options for conferences and specialized instruction. Any conferences I have attended have been on weekends or the summer. Districts will need to become more flexible if the hourly requirement is going to be thirty hours per year. I am also concerned that these requirements are being written in a way that makes "sustained PD" only available as a college class. I do not know of any districts offering long term PD (at 105 hours) at no cost to educators. I feel that this requirement places a heavy burden on teachers who are already feeling the stress and strain of many constraints. Few districts are innovative in allowing teachers the flexibility to create opportunities. When I complete PD, I want it to be meaningful to my content. However, when I am told I am not allowed to attend my professional association conferences because they are on a school day, it undermines my ability to tailor PD to my content. It makes me feel like these regulations will only allow me to take college classes to fulfill requirements. Who, from RIDE, will follow up to make sure LEAs are working with teachers to make these requirements feasible?

Who from RIDE will teach us about all the changes? When will those workshops or trainings take place?

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PK-12 Teacher

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Respondent skipped this question

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My concern is with section 1.8.5 Professional Learning Units, which starts on page 46. My concern is the amount of hours that will be required for a professional teacher to renew his/her certification and the cost that that teacher would most likely have to pay to achieve those 150 credits. As it is, many teachers spend a large portion of time out of school working on professional development, lesson planning, grading, etc. Adding 150 hours of professional development in order to renew certificates is outrageous. We are professionals with bachelors, masters, and other advanced degrees. We should not be required to complete so many hours on our own time and with our own money.

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PK-12 Support Professional

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Concerns PLU. 30 PLU's per year too high and financial unsustainable. As a support professional with a masters degree I continually attend conferences and professional development related to my field and not provided by my school system. This work is usually done on weekends or evenings of my choosing and is often in excess of the 8 hours of PD required by my district. Being required to enroll in a course that is not required for my license nor a fit for my personal schedule (as a am responsible for care of my elementary age children) is unsustainable. The fee per credit and cost of after school care does not make this financial feasible.

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150 PLUs to renew a five year certificate. These requirements are overly burdensome on teachers that are already spending many hours outside of the school day. Teachers need to be focused on planning instructions and providing exceptional learning opportunities. This requires a lot of work outside of the school day. Having to complete 30 hours a year to PLU's would take away from teacher's valuable time in planning outside of school. Teachers are able to collaborate and learn with other colleagues through numerous opportunities during and outside of the school day in their district. Also, not funding these PLU's will put a big financial burden on teachers, which many will have difficulty affording.

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PK-12 Teacher

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I have many concerns about the proposed changes to the renewal of professional certification (1.8.3 and 1.8.5 pages 55-58)

1. This is a rehashing of the IPLAN, which did not work. It is consuming to track the PLUs and submit the paperwork. We tried that and it didn't work.
2. Districts are being held accountable for creating sustained PLU opportunities for teachers. This is not going to be in place for next fall when I will need to start accumulating hours. They do not have the funds or resources for this. I am worried this is unattainable without college credits.
3. College courses are not a viable option. They are too expensive, don't meet at times conducive to educators nor do they offer courses that would be beneficial to currently working teachers. Also, you can only take 1 or 2 courses before you must be enrolled in a degree program. I would need 4 courses in the 5 years to meet the hours requirement.
4. 150 hours is excessive.
5. This will place an unfair burden on districts to monitor recertification renewals. Cranston has over 1200 teachers.
6. Who will be signing off on things like data analysis meetings, lesson studies, instructional coaching etc.
7. Conferences are frequently held during school days preventing teachers from attending them.

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Other (please
specify):
District level

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*PLUs increasing 30 hours each year is preposterous, the fact that this also is going to be teacher funded is outrageous and unrealistic for a young professional teacher, such as myself. I'm 27 and have student, and car loans, and now I'm expected to spend these extra hours in waste of time classes, where I'll be using the money that should be going towards paying off my debt towards accumulating more debt? This makes zero sense and is an incomprehensible ask by RIDE.

*If an applicant does not complete the required PLUs, the certificate will not be renewed. What about a long term medical or maternal/paternal leave?

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The nurse will not be adequately prepared for the many challenges that face school nurses every day. Examples: supporting students with special education and those children with 504 plans. Social emotional readiness for students to be prepared and ready to learn. Prepared for crisis situations. Just to name a few.

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I oppose the dual pathways for school nurse teachers. The additional coursework required to become a health educator and fundamentals of specialized nursing in an education setting are critical for success of the professional nursing candidate. The professional nurse in schools play a critical role on the education team and must be familiar with the content of documents such as IEP's, 504's, and Individual Health Care Plans to make appropriate plans to care for students in an education setting.

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Q1 Which of the following best describes your role in education?

Educator Preparation Program Faculty or Administrator

Q2 If you support the proposed changes to regulations, please cite the regulation(s) by topic, reference the page number(s) and then provide details regarding what you support.

Respondent skipped this question

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All Grades Registered School Nurse, Grades PK12 p.104. Removing requirements for specialized training and competencies for the role of the school nurse is antithetical to meeting the needs of students. School nursing is, by national definition, a SPECIALIZED practice of professional nursing that advances the well-being, academic success, and lifelong achievement of students. Creating a split pathway to hiring school nurse will increase disparities in the quality of services between communities, creating a wider inequity gap. Additionally, having unprepared nurses in the role of school nurse will impact student learning as well as student health. Professional well-trained school nurses enhance student success by removing barriers to learning. With dismal third grade reading scores, high chronic absenteeism, and excessive asthma and obesity rates, the State of Rhode Island should be increasing opportunities to expand school nurse competencies instead of reducing them.

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Q1 Which of the following best describes your role in education?

PK-12 Support Professional

Q2 If you support the proposed changes to regulations, please cite the regulation(s) by topic, reference the page number(s) and then provide details regarding what you support.

Respondent skipped this question

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Respondent skipped this question

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Q1 Which of the following best describes your role in education?

PK-12 Support Professional,
Other (please
specify):
Certified School Nurse Teacher

Q2 If you support the proposed changes to regulations, please cite the regulation(s) by topic, reference the page number(s) and then provide details regarding what you support.

Respondent skipped this question

Q3 If you have concerns with the proposed changes to regulations, please cite the regulation(s) by topic, reference the page number(s) and then provide details regarding your concerns.

I do not support a second pathway to certification which does not require any additional education beyond an RN license. Courses I took were invaluable in preparing me for a challenging role in my school as an independent practitioner. Many tasks I perform each day were not learned in college in my baccalaureate nursing program.

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Q1 Which of the following best describes your role in education?

PK-12 Support Professional,
Other (please
specify):
School nurse teacher

Q2 If you support the proposed changes to regulations, please cite the regulation(s) by topic, reference the page number(s) and then provide details regarding what you support.

Respondent skipped this question

Q3 If you have concerns with the proposed changes to regulations, please cite the regulation(s) by topic, reference the page number(s) and then provide details regarding your concerns.

I personally went back to school and took the appropriate classes to become a school nurse teacher. This is something that everyone should do to become a school nurse teacher

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PK-12 Support Professional

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School Nurse Teacher Certification, pages 102-104. My concerns are:

- 1 - Removing the high standards of care that come with the national nursing governing body and replacing them with RIDE standards devalues our RI students. when yo go to a physician would ou be OK with one who is held to standards of medical excellence or an unrelated body for cost saving purposes?
- 2 - These proposed changes surely seem financially based, however the current standards were the product of painstaking efforts on the part of nurses for the good of students who we've been caring for for years. Nurses are a valued professional member of the special education team supporting our most needy students, and the current level of certification supports the high level of student need.
- 3 - Traditional nursing care is excellent but lacks in key areas to support students and navigate a totally different environment than traditional nursing.
- 4 -School Nursing is a predominantly female field that is too often diminished by a predominantly male governing body. Are we lowering standards for administrators as well?
- 5 - Similarly, most students aren't able to advocate for themselves on this issue. Many aren't even aware of the behind the scenes care they receive from nurses working on their behalf as they shape school policies, advocate for families with political and community agencies and educate school staff in prevention and high level care of our neediest students. By removing these nursing certification standards RIDE is demonstrating a lack of appreciation for he needs of our communities.

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When is setting a lower bar ever a good thing? RIDE is our governing body and should be consistently raising the bar. Look to our neighboring states who manage to succeed where we do not. Diminishing nursing standards and education standards will further diminish us in comparison to our neighbors.

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Q1 Which of the following best describes your role in education?

PK-12 Support Professional,
Other (please
specify):
School Nurse

Q2 If you support the proposed changes to regulations, please cite the regulation(s) by topic, reference the page number(s) and then provide details regarding what you support.

The addition of category of School Nurse (non-teaching) page 104. I support this change. The current requirements of all school nurses being certified as teachers is a barrier to getting competent licensed nurses into our schools. HOWEVER the rule should specify that the Bachelor's Degree be in Nursing. The level of responsibility of a school nurse should require that the degree in nursing be a bachelors degree to prevent the loop hole of someone having a bachelor's degree in another area and a minimal degree in nursing. The wording should also specify Registered Nurse license.

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PK-12 Support Professional

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Respondent skipped this question

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J. All grades registered school nurse teacher - the certified school nurse teachers requires unique knowledge and preparation that a registered nurse does not have and were not trained for.!!!

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PK-12 Support Professional

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Respondent skipped this question

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Certified School Nurse Teachers, page 103,432, the proposed change is to have Registered Nurse's vs Certified School Nurse Teachers, I strongly oppose this regulation. It takes extra classes beyond being a registered Nurse to work with students to meet the needs of students and families in the position of working in schools. Being a School Nurse Teacher is much more involved than passing out medication. You need course work in Special Populations, health regulations, psychology, etc to work with students social, emotional, physical and family needs and concerns.

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PK-12 Support Professional

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In support of the changes for School nurses allowing 2 pathways. The reality that the majority if school nurses are not teaching in classrooms make the requirements for this difficult.

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Respondent skipped this question

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Q1 Which of the following best describes your role in education?

PK-12 Teacher,
Other (please specify):
certified school nurse teacher

Q2 If you support the proposed changes to regulations, please cite the regulation(s) by topic, reference the page number(s) and then provide details regarding what you support.

Respondent skipped this question

Q3 If you have concerns with the proposed changes to regulations, please cite the regulation(s) by topic, reference the page number(s) and then provide details regarding your concerns.

I am concerned about the 2 pathways to become a school nurse teacher:

I. c. Has completed a professional 4 year BSN program

I.f. the required 1 year practical residency or 60 hrs field experience. The 1 year residency is a requirement that would be hard to fulfill. These are nurses going back to school at night and working during the day. That residency would sway many potential candidates. A short field experience is built into the program now to get certified. They are required to shadow a school nurse in the school setting for 2 full school days.

J. All grades Registered school nurse- I do not feel that there should be this pathway. The RN will have medical experience but will not have the training in the academic setting. Certified School nurse teachers are more than applying bandaids. We teach the children all day long in our office and in the classroom about asthma, head lice, germs, nutrition, health promotion, exercise. We teach faculty about medical conditions of their students and how it will effect their learning. We are also the liaison for community health with families. Students come to us with their issues. We are the first line of defense in school and make the necessary referrals. The education requirements to become a certified school nurse teachers are a must and should not be removed. There should only be one pathway to become a school nurse teacher. We as a group can work with the college programs to make it easier to navigate and get more nurses to get into the program.

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PK-12 Support Professional

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Respondent skipped this question

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School nurse teacher

Every school nurse has worked hard and went through schooling to become a school nurse teacher. The program was very expensive as well.

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PK-12 Teacher

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Respondent skipped this question

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