

HOUSE BILL No. 1272

DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

Citations Affected: IC 12-15-5-1; IC 16-18-2-295; IC 25-1-2-2.1; IC 25-23.6; IC 35-51-25-1.

Synopsis: Art therapy. Provides that art therapy services provided to an individual in a community mental health center are reimbursable under Medicaid. Provides for the licensure of professional art therapists by an art therapy board through the professional licensing agency. Establishes qualifications and requirements for a licensed professional art therapist. Makes it a Class A misdemeanor to practice as an art therapist without a license. Makes conforming changes.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning professions and occupations.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

- 1 SECTION 1. IC 12-15-5-1, AS AMENDED BY P.L.274-2013,
2 SECTION 1, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
3 JULY 1, 2014]: Sec. 1. Except as provided in IC 12-15-2-12,
4 IC 12-15-6, and IC 12-15-21, the following services and supplies are
5 provided under Medicaid:
6 (1) Inpatient hospital services.
7 (2) Nursing facility services.
8 (3) Physician's services, including services provided under
9 IC 25-10-1 and IC 25-22.5-1.
10 (4) Outpatient hospital or clinic services.
11 (5) Home health care services.
12 (6) Private duty nursing services.
13 (7) Physical therapy and related services.
14 (8) Dental services.
15 (9) Prescribed laboratory and x-ray services.
16 (10) Prescribed drugs and pharmacist services.



- 1 (11) Eyeglasses and prosthetic devices.
 2 (12) Optometric services.
 3 (13) Diagnostic, screening, preventive, and rehabilitative services.
 4 (14) Podiatric medicine services.
 5 (15) Hospice services.
 6 (16) Services or supplies recognized under Indiana law and
 7 specified under rules adopted by the office.
 8 (17) Family planning services except the performance of
 9 abortions.
 10 (18) Nonmedical nursing care given in accordance with the tenets
 11 and practices of a recognized church or religious denomination to
 12 an individual qualified for Medicaid who depends upon healing
 13 by prayer and spiritual means alone in accordance with the tenets
 14 and practices of the individual's church or religious denomination.
 15 (19) Services provided to individuals described in IC 12-15-2-8
 16 and IC 12-15-2-9.
 17 (20) Services provided under IC 12-15-34 and IC 12-15-32.
 18 (21) Case management services provided to individuals described
 19 in IC 12-15-2-11 and IC 12-15-2-13.
 20 (22) Any other type of remedial care recognized under Indiana
 21 law and specified by the United States Secretary of Health and
 22 Human Services.
 23 (23) Examinations required under IC 16-41-17-2(a)(10).
 24 **(24) Art therapy provided by a professional art therapist**
 25 **licensed under IC 25-23.6-12 to an individual receiving**
 26 **services at a facility described in IC 12-29-2.**
 27 SECTION 2. IC 16-18-2-295, AS AMENDED BY P.L.141-2012,
 28 SECTION 6, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
 29 JULY 1, 2014]: Sec. 295. (a) "Provider", for purposes of IC 16-21-8,
 30 has the meaning set forth in IC 16-21-8-0.5.
 31 (b) "Provider", for purposes of IC 16-38-5, IC 16-39 (except for
 32 IC 16-39-7), and IC 16-41-1 through IC 16-41-9, means any of the
 33 following:
 34 (1) An individual (other than an individual who is an employee or
 35 a contractor of a hospital, a facility, or an agency described in
 36 subdivision (2) or (3)) who is licensed, registered, or certified as
 37 a health care professional, including the following:
 38 (A) A physician.
 39 (B) A psychotherapist.
 40 (C) A dentist.
 41 (D) A registered nurse.
 42 (E) A licensed practical nurse.



- 1 (F) An optometrist.
 2 (G) A podiatrist.
 3 (H) A chiropractor.
 4 (I) A physical therapist.
 5 (J) A psychologist.
 6 (K) An audiologist.
 7 (L) A speech-language pathologist.
 8 (M) A dietitian.
 9 (N) An occupational therapist.
 10 (O) A respiratory therapist.
 11 (P) A pharmacist.
 12 (Q) A sexual assault nurse examiner.
 13 **(R) A professional art therapist.**
 14 **(S) A professional art therapist associate.**
 15 (2) A hospital or facility licensed under IC 16-21-2 or IC 12-25 or
 16 described in IC 12-24-1 or IC 12-29.
 17 (3) A health facility licensed under IC 16-28-2.
 18 (4) A home health agency licensed under IC 16-27-1.
 19 (5) An employer of a certified emergency medical technician, a
 20 certified advanced emergency medical technician, or a licensed
 21 paramedic.
 22 (6) The state department or a local health department or an
 23 employee, agent, designee, or contractor of the state department
 24 or local health department.
 25 (c) "Provider", for purposes of IC 16-39-7-1, has the meaning set
 26 forth in IC 16-39-7-1(a).
 27 (d) "Provider", for purposes of IC 16-48-1, has the meaning set forth
 28 in IC 16-48-1-3.
 29 SECTION 3. IC 25-1-2-2.1, AS AMENDED BY P.L.232-2013,
 30 SECTION 10, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
 31 JULY 1, 2014]: Sec. 2.1. Rather than being issued annually, the
 32 following permits, licenses, certificates of registration, or evidences of
 33 authority granted by a state agency must be issued for a period of two
 34 (2) years or for the period specified in the article under which the
 35 permit, license, certificate of registration, or evidence of authority is
 36 issued if the period specified in the article is longer than two (2) years:
 37 (1) Certified public accountants, public accountants, and
 38 accounting practitioners.
 39 (2) Architects and landscape architects.
 40 (3) Dry cleaners.
 41 (4) Professional engineers.
 42 (5) Professional surveyors.



- 1 (6) Real estate brokers.
- 2 (7) Real estate agents.
- 3 (8) Security dealers' licenses issued by the securities
- 4 commissioner.
- 5 (9) Dental hygienists.
- 6 (10) Dentists.
- 7 (11) Veterinarians.
- 8 (12) Physicians.
- 9 (13) Chiropractors.
- 10 (14) Physical therapists.
- 11 (15) Optometrists.
- 12 (16) Pharmacists and assistants, drugstores or pharmacies.
- 13 (17) Motels and mobile home community licenses.
- 14 (18) Nurses.
- 15 (19) Podiatrists.
- 16 (20) Occupational therapists and occupational therapy assistants.
- 17 (21) Respiratory care practitioners.
- 18 (22) Social workers, marriage and family therapists, ~~and~~ mental
- 19 health counselors, **art therapists, and art therapist associates.**
- 20 (23) Real estate appraiser licenses and certificates issued by the
- 21 real estate appraiser licensure and certification board.
- 22 (24) Wholesale legend drug distributors.
- 23 (25) Physician assistants.
- 24 (26) Dietitians.
- 25 (27) Athlete agents.
- 26 (28) Manufactured home installers.
- 27 (29) Home inspectors.
- 28 (30) Massage therapists.
- 29 (31) Interior designers.
- 30 (32) Genetic counselors.
- 31 (33) Direct entry midwives.

32 SECTION 4. IC 25-23.6-1-1.1 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA
 33 CODE AS A NEW SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS
 34 [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2014]: **Sec. 1.1. "Accredited institution"**
 35 **means:**

36 (1) **a university or college accredited by a nationally**
 37 **recognized agency providing accreditation of institutions of**
 38 **higher education; or**

39 (2) **an institution or clinical program approved by the**
 40 **American Art Therapy Association (AATA).**

41 SECTION 5. IC 25-23.6-1-4.2 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA
 42 CODE AS A NEW SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS



1 [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2014]: **Sec. 4.2. "License holder" means a:**

2 **(1) licensed professional art therapist; or**

3 **(2) licensed professional art therapist associate;**

4 **licensed under IC 25-23.6-12.**

5 SECTION 6. IC 25-23.6-1-4.6 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA
6 CODE AS A NEW SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS
7 [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2014]: **Sec. 4.6. "Licensed professional art
8 therapist" or "LPAT" means a person who has:**

9 **(1) completed a master's or doctoral degree program in art
10 therapy, or an equivalent course of study, from an accredited
11 educational institution;**

12 **(2) completed all the requirements set forth in IC 25-23.6-12;
13 and**

14 **(3) been issued a license by the board for the independent
15 practice of art therapy.**

16 SECTION 7. IC 25-23.6-1-4.7 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA
17 CODE AS A NEW SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS
18 [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2014]: **Sec. 4.7. "Licensed professional art
19 therapist associate" or "LPATA" means a person who has
20 completed a master's or doctoral degree program in art therapy,
21 or an equivalent course of study, from an accredited educational
22 institution, and has been issued a license by the board to practice
23 art therapy under an approved clinical supervisor as authorized by
24 the board.**

25 SECTION 8. IC 25-23.6-1-8.5 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA
26 CODE AS A NEW SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS
27 [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2014]: **Sec. 8.5. "Professional art therapy"
28 means the integrated use of psychotherapeutic principles, human
29 development theory, and counseling techniques using art media
30 and the creative process in the assessment, evaluation, treatment,
31 amelioration, and remediation of psychological, social, educational,
32 physical, and developmental impairment and disorders in children,
33 adolescents, adults, families, and groups.**

34 SECTION 9. IC 25-23.6-2-2, AS AMENDED BY P.L.122-2009,
35 SECTION 23, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
36 JULY 1, 2014]: **Sec. 2. (a) The board consists of ~~eleven (11)~~ thirteen
37 (13) members appointed by the governor for terms of three (3) years.
38 The board must include the following:**

39 **(1) Two (2) marriage and family therapists who:**

40 **(A) have at least a master's degree in marriage and family
41 therapy or a related field from an eligible postsecondary
42 educational institution;**



- 1 (B) are licensed under this chapter; and
 2 (C) have at least five (5) years of experience in marriage and
 3 family therapy.
 4 (2) One (1) social worker who:
 5 (A) has at least a master's degree in social work from an
 6 eligible postsecondary educational institution accredited by the
 7 Council on Social Work Education;
 8 (B) is licensed under this article; and
 9 (C) has at least five (5) years of experience as a social worker.
 10 (3) One (1) social services director of a hospital with a social
 11 work degree who has at least three (3) years of experience in a
 12 hospital setting.
 13 (4) Two (2) mental health counselors who:
 14 (A) have at least a master's degree in mental health counseling;
 15 (B) are licensed under this article; and
 16 (C) have at least five (5) years experience as a mental health
 17 counselor.
 18 (5) Two (2) consumers who have never been credentialed under
 19 this article.
 20 (6) One (1) physician licensed under IC 25-22.5 who has training
 21 in psychiatric medicine.
 22 (7) Two (2) licensed clinical addiction counselors who:
 23 (A) are licensed under IC 25-23.6-10.5; and
 24 (B) have at least five (5) years experience in clinical addiction
 25 counseling.
 26 **(8) Two (2) licensed professional art therapists who:**
 27 **(A) are licensed under IC 25-23.6-12; and**
 28 **(B) have at least five (5) years experience in art therapy.**
 29 (b) Not more than ~~six (6)~~ **seven (7)** members of the board may be
 30 from the same political party.
 31 SECTION 10. IC 25-23.6-2-8, AS AMENDED BY P.L.122-2009,
 32 SECTION 24, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
 33 JULY 1, 2014]: Sec. 8. (a) The board shall adopt rules under IC 4-22-2
 34 establishing standards for the following:
 35 (1) The competent practice of marriage and family therapy, social
 36 work, clinical social work, mental health counseling, addiction
 37 counseling, ~~and~~ clinical addiction counseling, **and professional**
 38 **art therapy.**
 39 (2) The renewal of licenses issued under this article.
 40 (3) Standards for the administration of this article.
 41 (4) Continuing education requirements for an individual seeking
 42 renewal of licensure as a social worker, clinical social worker, ~~or~~



- 1 marriage and family therapist, **licensed professional art**
 2 **therapist, or licensed professional art therapist associate.**
 3 (5) The retention of patient records and reports by a counselor **or**
 4 **therapist.**
 5 (6) The approval of continuing education providers, programs,
 6 courses, fees, and proof of course completion.
 7 (b) The board shall establish fees under IC 25-1-8-2.
 8 (c) The board shall do the following:
 9 (1) Consider the qualifications of individuals who apply for a
 10 license under this article.
 11 (2) Provide for examinations required under this article.
 12 (3) Subject to IC 25-1-8-6, renew licenses under this article.
 13 (4) Conduct proceedings under IC 25-1-9.
 14 SECTION 11. IC 25-23.6-2-10.6 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA
 15 CODE AS A NEW SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS
 16 [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2014]: **Sec. 10.6. (a) The professional art**
 17 **therapist section of the board is established. The section consists of**
 18 **the following:**
 19 (1) **Two (2) licensed professional art therapist members of the**
 20 **board.**
 21 (2) **Two (2) consumer members of the board.**
 22 (3) **One (1) physician member of the board.**
 23 (b) **Three (3) members of the professional art therapist section,**
 24 **two (2) of whom must be licensed professional art therapists,**
 25 **constitute a quorum.**
 26 SECTION 12. IC 25-23.6-12 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA
 27 CODE AS A NEW CHAPTER TO READ AS FOLLOWS
 28 [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2014]:
 29 **Chapter 12. Professional Art Therapy**
 30 **Sec. 1. (a) After July 1, 2015, an individual may not:**
 31 (1) **profess to be a licensed professional art therapist;**
 32 (2) **use the title:**
 33 (A) **"licensed professional art therapist";**
 34 (B) **"licensed art therapist"; or**
 35 (C) **"art therapist";**
 36 (3) **use any other words, letters, abbreviations, or insignia**
 37 **indicating or implying that the individual is a licensed**
 38 **professional art therapist; or**
 39 (4) **practice professional art therapy for compensation;**
 40 **unless the individual is licensed under this chapter.**
 41 (b) **After July 1, 2015, an individual may not:**
 42 (1) **profess to be a licensed professional art therapist**



1 associate;

2 (2) use the title:

3 (A) "licensed professional art therapist associate";

4 (B) "licensed art therapist associate"; or

5 (C) "art therapist associate";

6 (3) use any other words, letters, abbreviations, or insignia
7 indicating or implying that the individual is a licensed
8 professional art therapist associate; or

9 (4) practice professional art therapy for compensation;

10 unless the individual is licensed under this chapter.

11 Sec. 2. (a) This chapter may not be construed to limit the
12 services performed by a person who does not use a title specified in
13 this article and who is one (1) of the following:

14 (1) A licensed, registered, or certified health care professional
15 acting within the scope of the person's license, registration, or
16 certificate.

17 (2) A student, an intern, a trainee pursuing a course of study
18 in medicine, a course of study in psychology, or a course of
19 study to gain licensure under this article in an accredited
20 eligible postsecondary educational institution or training
21 institution, or a graduate accumulating experience required
22 for licensure if:

23 (A) the services are performed under qualified supervision
24 and constitute a part of the person's supervised course of
25 study or other level of supervision; and

26 (B) the person uses a title that contains the term "intern"
27 or "trainee".

28 (3) Not a resident of Indiana, if the person performed the
29 services in Indiana for not more than:

30 (A) five (5) days in any one (1) month; or

31 (B) fifteen (15) days within any one (1) calendar year;

32 and the person is authorized to perform such services under
33 the laws of the state or country in which the person resides.

34 (4) A rabbi, priest, Christian Science practitioner, minister, or
35 other member of the clergy.

36 (5) An employee or a volunteer for an organization who is
37 performing charitable, religious, or educational functions,
38 providing pastoral counseling, or providing other assistance.

39 (6) A person who provides school counseling or a person who
40 is certified by a state or national organization that is
41 recognized by the Indiana division of mental health and
42 addiction and who provides counseling in the areas of alcohol



1 or drug abuse addictions.

2 (7) A governmental employee who remains in the same job
3 classification or job family of that job classification.

4 (8) A teacher who teaches in the subject area for which the
5 teacher is certified and holds a license.

6 (b) This section does not prohibit a person referred to in
7 subsection (a) from qualifying for licensure under this article.

8 **Sec. 3. An individual who is licensed as a licensed professional
9 art therapist shall:**

10 (1) display the license or a clear copy of the license at each
11 location where the licensed professional art therapist
12 regularly practices; and

13 (2) include the words "licensed professional art therapist" or
14 the letters "LPAT" on all promotional materials, including
15 business cards, brochures, stationery, advertisements, and
16 signs, that name the individual.

17 **Sec. 4. The board shall issue a license as a licensed professional
18 art therapist to any person who files a completed application,
19 accompanied by the required fees, and who:**

20 (1) furnishes satisfactory evidence to the board that the
21 applicant is at least twenty-one (21) years of age;

22 (2) furnishes satisfactory evidence to the board that the
23 applicant does not have a conviction for a crime that has a
24 direct bearing on the applicant's ability to practice
25 competently;

26 (3) furnishes satisfactory evidence to the board that the
27 applicant has not been the subject of a disciplinary action by
28 a licensing or certification agency of another state or
29 jurisdiction on the grounds that the applicant was not able to
30 practice professional art therapy without endangering the
31 public;

32 (4) demonstrates professional competency by satisfactorily
33 passing the examination required by the board;

34 (5) furnishes satisfactory evidence that the applicant has met:

35 (A) the educational requirements set forth in section 14 of
36 this chapter; and

37 (B) the clinical experience requirements set forth in section
38 15 of this chapter; and

39 (6) is:

40 (A) a registered art therapist as defined by the Art
41 Therapy Credentials Board, Inc., and has passed the
42 examination required by the Art Therapy Credentials



1 **Board, Inc.; or**

2 **(B) a board certified art therapist as defined by the Art**
 3 **Therapy Credentials Board, Inc.**

4 **Sec. 5. The board shall adopt rules under IC 4-22-2 to allow for**
 5 **the approval of licensure, on a case by case basis, for applicants**
 6 **who have a master's degree or doctoral degree from nonaccredited**
 7 **institutions.**

8 **Sec. 6. The board shall adopt rules under IC 4-22-2 to allow for**
 9 **the issuance of a license to an applicant without examination if the**
 10 **applicant possesses a valid regulatory document issued by the**
 11 **appropriate examining board under the laws of any other state or**
 12 **territory of the United States, the District of Columbia, or any**
 13 **foreign nation that, in the judgment of the board, has requirements**
 14 **substantially equivalent to or exceeding the requirements in this**
 15 **chapter.**

16 **Sec. 7. The board may issue a license as a licensed professional**
 17 **art therapist associate for a period not to exceed two (2) years to an**
 18 **applicant who has:**

- 19 **(1) completed the educational requirements under section 14**
 20 **of this chapter;**
 21 **(2) obtained a board approved supervisor of record;**
 22 **(3) paid the required fees;**
 23 **(4) furnished satisfactory evidence to the board that the**
 24 **applicant does not have a conviction for a crime that has a**
 25 **direct bearing on the applicant's ability to practice**
 26 **competently; and**
 27 **(5) furnished satisfactory evidence to the board that the**
 28 **applicant has not been the subject of a disciplinary action by**
 29 **a licensing or certification agency of another state or**
 30 **jurisdiction on the grounds that the applicant was not able to**
 31 **practice professional art therapy without endangering the**
 32 **public.**

33 **Sec. 8. A licensed professional art therapist associate shall**
 34 **maintain ongoing supervision as approved by the board until the**
 35 **associate has:**

- 36 **(1) completed the client contact hours of postgraduate**
 37 **experience under appropriate supervision required under**
 38 **section 15 of this chapter;**
 39 **(2) passed an examination approved by the board; and**
 40 **(3) paid the required fees.**

41 **Sec. 9. (a) If, two (2) years after receiving a license as a licensed**
 42 **professional art therapist associate, an individual has not**



1 completed the requirements for licensure as a licensed professional
2 art therapist, the individual may submit to the board an
3 application for an extension of the individual's license as a licensed
4 professional art therapist associate.

5 (b) An application under subsection (a) must include:

6 (1) a plan for completing the requirements to obtain licensure
7 as a licensed professional art therapist;

8 (2) documentation of compliance with the continuing
9 education requirements for a licensed professional art
10 therapist associate;

11 (3) documentation of compliance with the supervised clinical
12 experience requirements under section 15 of this chapter;

13 (4) letters of recommendation from two (2) supervisors of
14 record; and

15 (5) payment of an extension fee to be determined by the
16 board.

17 (c) Upon review of an application for extension and
18 accompanying documentation, the board may approve an
19 extension of the license as a licensed professional art therapist
20 associate for a period not to exceed two (2) years.

21 Sec. 10. If, at the end of an extension granted under section 9 of
22 this chapter, the individual has not completed all requirements for
23 licensure as a licensed professional art therapist, the board shall
24 rescind the individual's license as a licensed professional art
25 therapist associate, and the individual may not practice
26 professional art therapy or refer to himself or herself by any title
27 that would indicate that the individual is licensed by the board.

28 Sec. 11. A licensed professional art therapist associate may
29 apply for a license as a licensed professional art therapist upon:

30 (1) registration with the Art Therapy Credentials Board, Inc.;

31 and

32 (2) passage of an examination approved by the board.

33 Sec. 12. An individual who is a registered art therapist (ATR),
34 as defined by the Art Therapy Credentials Board, Inc., but who has
35 not passed the required examination shall maintain the individual's
36 professional art therapist associate license in order to practice
37 under board approved supervision and shall be scheduled to take
38 the next examination in accordance with the requirements of the
39 board.

40 Sec. 13. A licensed professional art therapist associate may not
41 supervise licensed professional art therapists, other licensed
42 professional art therapist associates, or applicants for those



1 licenses.

2 **Sec. 14. To receive a license under this chapter, an applicant**
 3 **must have completed one (1) of the following educational**
 4 **requirements:**

5 **(1) A master's or doctoral degree program in professional art**
 6 **therapy from a program that was approved by the American**
 7 **Art Therapy Association (AATA) at the time of the**
 8 **applicant's graduation. The master's or doctoral program**
 9 **must:**

10 **(A) be comprised of at least forty-eight (48) and not more**
 11 **than sixty (60) semester hours; and**

12 **(B) include not less than seven hundred (700) hours of**
 13 **supervised internship experience from an AATA**
 14 **accredited institution or its equivalent.**

15 **If the program is no longer AATA approved, the applicant**
 16 **must obtain verification of past approval directly from the**
 17 **AATA and submit that verification along with the application.**

18 **(2) If the applicant does not hold a master's or higher degree**
 19 **from a program approved by the AATA, a master's or**
 20 **doctoral degree in a related field and have completed not less**
 21 **than seven hundred (700) hours of supervised internship**
 22 **experience from an accredited institution. The degree**
 23 **program in a related field must be comprised of a number of**
 24 **credit hours determined by the board, in graduate level**
 25 **courses in the following topics:**

26 **(A) History and theory of art therapy.**

27 **(B) Techniques of practice in art therapy.**

28 **(C) Application of art therapy with people in different**
 29 **treatment settings.**

30 **(D) Group dynamics, processes, counseling, and**
 31 **consultation.**

32 **(E) Art therapy assessment.**

33 **(F) Ethics and legal issues of art therapy practice.**

34 **(G) Standards of practice in art therapy.**

35 **(H) Human growth and development.**

36 **(I) Psychopathology and abnormal psychology.**

37 **(J) Counseling and psychological theories and practice.**

38 **(K) Cultural and social diversity.**

39 **(L) Research and program evaluation.**

40 **All coursework under this section must earn credit from a college**
 41 **or university approved by a national or regional accrediting**
 42 **agency.**



1 **Sec. 15. (a) An applicant for licensure under this chapter must**
 2 **have completed one (1) of the following clinical experience**
 3 **requirements:**

4 **(1) If the applicant holds a degree described in section 14(1)**
 5 **of this chapter, the applicant must have completed at least one**
 6 **thousand (1,000) hours of postgraduate direct clinical**
 7 **experience obtained over a two (2) year period. The clinical**
 8 **experience must include one hundred (100) hours of face to**
 9 **face supervision under a licensed professional art therapist or**
 10 **an equivalent supervisor, as determined by the board.**

11 **(2) If the applicant holds a degree described in section 14(2)**
 12 **of this chapter, the applicant must have completed at least one**
 13 **thousand five hundred (1,500) hours of postgraduate direct**
 14 **clinical experience obtained over a two (2) year period. The**
 15 **clinical experience must include one hundred fifty (150) hours**
 16 **of face to face supervision under a licensed professional art**
 17 **therapist or an equivalent supervisor, as determined by the**
 18 **board.**

19 **(b) A doctoral internship may be applied toward the supervised**
 20 **clinical experience requirement.**

21 **(c) Except as provided in subsection (d), the clinical experience**
 22 **requirement may be met by work performed at or away from the**
 23 **premises of the supervising licensed professional art therapist.**

24 **(d) The clinical experience requirement may not be performed**
 25 **away from the supervising licensed professional art therapist's**
 26 **premises if the work is not performed at a place that is under the**
 27 **supervision of a licensed professional art therapist or an equivalent**
 28 **supervisor, as determined by the board.**

29 **Sec. 16. (a) The license of a licensed professional art therapist**
 30 **issued under this chapter is valid for two (2) years, or for the**
 31 **remainder of the renewal period in effect on the date the license is**
 32 **issued.**

33 **(b) A licensed professional art therapist may renew the**
 34 **individual's license by:**

35 **(1) submitting a renewal application on a form provided by**
 36 **the board;**

37 **(2) paying a renewal fee on or before the expiration date of**
 38 **the license; and**

39 **(3) completing at least twenty (20) hours of continuing**
 40 **education per licensure year.**

41 **Sec. 17. (a) The license of a licensed professional art therapist**
 42 **associate issued under this chapter is valid for two (2) years, or for**



1 the remainder of the renewal period in effect on the date the license
2 is issued.

3 (b) A licensed professional art therapist associate may renew the
4 individual's license by:

5 (1) submitting a renewal application on a form provided by
6 the board;

7 (2) paying a renewal fee on or before the expiration date of
8 the license; and

9 (3) completing at least twenty (20) hours of continuing
10 education per licensure year.

11 (c) The board may renew the license of a licensed professional
12 art therapist associate for additional periods of up to five (5) years,
13 based on circumstances determined by the board.

14 Sec. 18. (a) If, not more than ninety (90) days after the
15 expiration date of a license issued under this chapter, an individual
16 has failed to pay the renewal fee required to renew the license, the
17 individual may renew the license by paying the renewal fee, paying
18 a late fee, and complying with all renewal requirements.

19 (b) If, more than ninety (90) days after the expiration date of a
20 license issued under this chapter, an individual has failed to pay the
21 renewal fee required to renew the license, the license becomes
22 invalid.

23 (c) The board may reinstate an invalid license issued to a
24 licensed professional art therapist under this chapter up to three
25 (3) years after the expiration date of the license if the individual
26 holding the license meets the requirements under this chapter. If
27 more than three (3) years have elapsed since the date the license
28 expired, the individual holding the license may have the license
29 reinstated by satisfying the requirements for reinstatement
30 established by the board and meeting the requirements under this
31 chapter.

32 (d) The board may reinstate an invalid license issued to a
33 licensed professional art therapist associate under this chapter up
34 to one (1) year after the expiration date of the license if the
35 individual holding the license meets the requirements under this
36 chapter. A license issued to a licensed professional art therapist
37 associate under this chapter that remains expired for more than
38 one (1) year may not be reinstated under this chapter.

39 Sec. 19. (a) The board may issue a temporary permit to allow an
40 individual to profess to be a professional art therapist if the
41 individual pays a fee and:

42 (1) has a valid license or certificate to practice professional art



- 1 therapy issued by another state and has applied for a license
 2 under this chapter;
- 3 (2) is practicing in a state that does not license or certify
 4 professional art therapists but is certified by a national
 5 association approved by the board, and has applied for a
 6 license under this chapter; or
- 7 (3) has been approved by the board to take the examination
 8 required for licensure under this chapter, has graduated from
 9 a school or program approved by the board, and has
 10 completed the clinical experience required for licensure under
 11 this chapter.
- 12 (b) A temporary permit expires on the earlier of:
- 13 (1) the date the individual holding the permit is issued a
 14 license under this chapter; or
- 15 (2) the date the board disapproves the individual's application
 16 for a license under this chapter.
- 17 (c) The board may renew a temporary permit if the individual
 18 holding the permit was scheduled to take the next examination
 19 required for licensure under this chapter and the individual:
- 20 (1) did not take the examination; and
- 21 (2) shows good cause for not taking the examination.
- 22 (d) A permit renewed under subsection (c) expires on the date
 23 the individual holding the permit receives the results from the next
 24 examination given after the permit was issued.
- 25 **Sec. 20. (a)** An individual who is licensed under this chapter
 26 shall notify the board in writing when the individual retires from
 27 practice.
- 28 (b) Upon receipt of the notice, the board shall:
- 29 (1) record the fact the individual is retired; and
- 30 (2) release the individual from further payment of renewal
 31 fees and continuing education requirements.
- 32 (c) If, within a period of five (5) years after a licensee retires, the
 33 licensee wishes to resume practice as a licensed professional art
 34 therapist or as a licensed professional art therapist associate, the
 35 individual shall notify the board in writing, and upon:
- 36 (1) giving proof of completing the required continuing
 37 education;
- 38 (2) payment of an amount equivalent to elapsed renewal fees;
 39 and
- 40 (3) for a licensed professional art therapist associate,
 41 providing documentation of obtaining a board approved
 42 supervisor of record;



1 the license shall be restored.

2 **Sec. 21. An individual who applies for a license under this**
 3 **chapter may be exempted by the board from the examination**
 4 **requirement under this chapter if the individual:**

5 (1) is licensed or certified to practice as a licensed professional
 6 art therapist in another state, or has passed a licensing
 7 examination substantially equivalent to the licensing
 8 examination required under this chapter;

9 (2) has not committed any act or is not under investigation for
 10 any act that constitutes a violation of this article;

11 (3) is otherwise qualified under this chapter; and

12 (4) pays a fee determined by the board.

13 **Sec. 22. A person who knowingly or intentionally practices**
 14 **professional art therapy without holding a license or permit issued**
 15 **under this chapter commits a Class A misdemeanor.**

16 SECTION 13. IC 35-51-25-1, AS AMENDED BY P.L.13-2013,
 17 SECTION 147, P.L.232-2013, SECTION 26, AND P.L.264-2013,
 18 SECTION 16, IS CORRECTED AND AMENDED TO READ AS
 19 FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2014]: Sec. 1. The following
 20 statutes define crimes in IC 25:

21 IC 25-2.1-13-3 (Concerning accountants).

22 IC 25-2.5-3-4 (Concerning acupuncturists).

23 IC 25-5.1-4-2 (Concerning athletic trainers).

24 IC 25-5.2-2-12 (Concerning athlete agents).

25 IC 25-6.1-7-1 (Concerning auctioneers and auctions).

26 IC 25-6.1-7-2 (Concerning auctioneers and auctions).

27 IC 25-8-15.4-25 (Concerning beauty culture).

28 IC 25-10-1-11 (Concerning chiropractors).

29 IC 25-11-1-12 (Concerning collection agencies).

30 IC 25-13-1-3 (Concerning dental hygienists).

31 IC 25-14-1-25 (Concerning dentists).

32 *IC 25-14-1-25.5 (Concerning dentists).*

33 IC 25-14-4-6 (Concerning dentists).

34 IC 25-14.5-7-2 (Concerning dietitians).

35 IC 25-16-1-18 (Concerning employment services).

36 IC 25-17.3-5-3 (Concerning genetic counselors).

37 IC 25-17.6-8-2 (Concerning geologists).

38 IC 25-18-1-19 (Concerning distress sales).

39 IC 25-20-1-21 (Concerning hearing aid dealers).

40 IC 25-20.7-5-1 (Concerning interior designers).

41 IC 25-21.5-5-10 (Concerning ~~land~~ professional surveyors).

42 IC 25-21.5-13-2 (Concerning ~~land~~ professional surveyors).



- 1 IC 25-21.8-7-1 (Concerning massage therapists).
 2 IC 25-22.5-8-2 (Concerning physicians).
 3 IC 25-22.5-8-3 (Concerning physicians).
 4 IC 25-23-1-27 (Concerning nurses).
 5 *IC 25-23.4-3-7 (Concerning certified direct entry midwives).*
 6 IC 25-23.5-3-2 (Concerning occupational therapists).
 7 IC 25-23.6-3-3 (Concerning marriage and family therapists).
 8 IC 25-23.6-4-4 (Concerning marriage and family therapists).
 9 IC 25-23.6-4.5-4 (Concerning marriage and family therapists).
 10 IC 25-23.6-7-7 (Concerning marriage and family therapists).
 11 IC 25-23.6-10.1-6 (Concerning marriage and family therapists).
 12 IC 25-23.6-11-1 (Concerning marriage and family therapists).
 13 IC 25-23.6-11-2 (Concerning marriage and family therapists).
 14 IC 25-23.6-11-3 (Concerning marriage and family therapists).
 15 **IC 25-23.6-12-22 (Concerning professional art therapists).**
 16 IC 25-23.7-7-5 (Concerning manufactured home installers).
 17 IC 25-24-1-18 (Concerning optometrists).
 18 IC 25-24-3-17 (Concerning optometrists).
 19 IC 25-26-13-29 (Concerning pharmacists, pharmacies, and drug
 20 stores).
 21 IC 25-26-14-23 (Concerning pharmacists, pharmacies, and drug
 22 stores).
 23 IC 25-26-14-25 (Concerning pharmacists, pharmacies, and drug
 24 stores).
 25 IC 25-26-14-26 (Concerning pharmacists, pharmacies, and drug
 26 stores).
 27 IC 25-26-14-27 (Concerning pharmacists, pharmacies, and drug
 28 stores).
 29 IC 25-26-19-9 (Concerning pharmacists, pharmacies, and drug
 30 stores).
 31 IC 25-26-21-11 (Concerning pharmacists, pharmacies, and drug
 32 stores).
 33 IC 25-27-1-12 (Concerning physical therapists).
 34 IC 25-27.5-7-2 (Concerning physician assistants).
 35 IC 25-28.5-1-31 (Concerning plumbers).
 36 IC 25-29-9-1 (Concerning podiatrists).
 37 IC 25-30-1-21 (Concerning private investigator firms, security
 38 guards, and polygraph examiners).
 39 IC 25-30-1.3-23 (Concerning private investigator firms, security
 40 guards, and polygraph examiners).
 41 IC 25-31-1-13 (Concerning engineers).
 42 IC 25-31-1-27 (Concerning engineers).



- 1 IC 25-31.5-8-7 (Concerning soil scientists).
- 2 IC 25-33-1-15 (Concerning psychologists).
- 3 IC 25-34.5-3-2 (Concerning respiratory care specialists).
- 4 IC 25-35.6-3-10 (Concerning speech pathologists and
- 5 audiologists).
- 6 IC 25-36.1-1-2 (Concerning surgical technologists).
- 7 IC 25-36.5-1-10 (Concerning timber buyers).
- 8 IC 25-36.5-1-15 (Concerning timber buyers).
- 9 IC 25-38.1-4-10 (Concerning veterinarians).
- 10 IC 25-38.1-4-11 (Concerning veterinarians).
- 11 IC 25-39-5-1 (Concerning water well drilling contractors).
- 12 IC 25-39-5-7 (Concerning water well drilling contractors).
- 13 IC 25-41-1-2 (Concerning behavior analysts).

