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# CHAPTER 4735 DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH LOCAL OFFICERS AND COUNTY BOARDS; MISCELLANEOUS FEES

NOTE: Under Minnesota Statutes, section 144.011, the State Board of Health was abolished and all of its duties transferred to the commissioner of health.

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#### 4735.0010 LOCAL HEALTH OFFICERS.

The health officers of cities and villages and the medical health officers of townships shall assemble at the call of the State Board of Health once a year to discuss general sanitary problems and to present at such conferences the special sanitary needs of their individual districts.

Statutory Authority: MS s 144.12 subd 1

#### 4735.0020 COUNTY BOARDS OF HEALTH.

- Subpart 1. Quarterly reports. The several county health officers shall make quarterly reports to the Minnesota State Board of Health as to the general sanitary condition of their counties, such reports bearing especially upon matters relating to communicable diseases. Special attention must be given to the reporting of rabies and glanders.
- Subp. 2. Notice of epidemics. The several county health officers shall keep close watch over apparent epidemic or endemic diseases existing within their jurisdiction, and if a question arises as to the proper care of such diseases, they shall notify the secretary of the State Board of Health in order that an investigation may be made.
- Subp. 3. Reporting of birth and death. If a county health officer has knowledge or a reasonable belief that the returns of births and deaths for his county are not being made as required by law, he shall immediately report such fact or suspicion to the secretary of the State Board of Health.
- Subp. 4. Note condition of slaughterhouses. The several county health officers shall note the condition of slaughterhouses, rendering establishments, starch factories, and paper mills within their jurisdiction, and shall report such conditions to the secretary of the State Board of Health from time to time, as necessary, or upon the request of said secretary.
- Subp. 5. Notice of sanitary regulation. County boards of health shall at all times bring to the attention of the secretary of the State Board of Health any conditions which they may deem in need of sanitary regulation.
- Subp. 6. Conferences. The county health officers shall assemble at the call of the Minnesota State Board of Health once a year to discuss general sanitary problems and to present at such conferences the special sanitary needs of their individual districts.

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- Subp. 7. Investigations. County health officers shall make such investigations and reports, and obey such directions relating to sanitary problems, as shall be prescribed from time to time by the State Board of Health.
- Subp. 8. Special conferences. Upon the application of not less than five county health officers, the State Board of Health shall call a special conference to discuss special or local sanitary problems, the time and place of meeting to be determined by the State Board of Health.

Statutory Authority: MS s 144.12 subd 1

HOSPITALS, NURSING HOMES, BOARDING CARE HOMES, SUPERVISED LIVING FACILITIES, OUTPATIENT SURGICAL CENTERS; LICENSE FEES

## 4735.0200 LICENSURE FEES FOR HOSPITALS, NURSING HOMES, BOARDING CARE HOMES, SUPERVISED LIVING FACILITIES, AND OUTPATIENT SURGICAL CENTERS.

In accordance with parts 4655.0300, subpart 2, 4640.0200, subpart 1, 4665.0400, subpart 5, and 4675.0300, subpart 8, each application for an initial or a renewal license to operate a hospital, nursing home, boarding care home, supervised living facility, or an outpatient surgical center shall be accompanied by a fee based upon the formula in this part.

Each separate licensure classification requires a separate base fee. For example, a hospital with boarding care home beds must submit a \$450 base fee for the hospital and a \$50 base fee for the boarding care home plus the appropriate per bed fee for each licensure classification.

The fee schedule applies to all licenses issued on or after July 1, 1983.

Licensure fees for hospitals, nursing homes, boarding care homes, supervised living facilities, and outpatient surgical centers.

Licensure Classification	Base Fee	Per Bed Fee
Joint Commission on Accreditation of Hospitals		
Accredited hospital	\$450	<b>\$ 0</b>
Nonaccredited hospital	468	29
		(including
		bassinets)
Nursing home	68	16
Boarding Care Home	68	16
Supervised living facility	68	16
Outpatient surgical center	450	0

Statutory Authority: MS s 16A.128; 14.14 subd 1; Laws 1981, Third Special Session ch 2 art 1 s 2 subd 4 cl (f)

#### **AMBULANCE LICENSES**

#### 4735.5000 AMBULANCE LICENSING; FEE AND EXPIRATION.

Each application for a license to operate an ambulance service, as defined in Minnesota Statutes, sections 144.801 to 144.806, shall be accompanied by a basic fee of \$35 plus a \$10 fee for each ambulance operated by the applicant. Newly established ambulance services whose original license is issued for less than a full year shall pay the full fee. The licensee shall pay an additional \$10 fee for each ambulance added to the ambulance service after the license has been issued.

Ambulance services shall be licensed annually from July 1 (or from the date the original license is issued) until June 30.

Statutory Authority: MS s 144.804

NOTE: See parts 4690.0100 to 4690.8300.

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#### RECORDS COPYING FEES

#### 4735.5100 FEES FOR RECORD COPYING.

Unless otherwise provided by law, the charge per copy of each page of board of department records, files, or other official documents shall be as follows:

- A. fee for first copy of first page, 50 cents; and
- B. fee for each additional page requested at the same time, five cents.

Statutory Authority: MS s 144.804