

**Sec. 12.** Section 9 of Senate Bill No. 183 of the 72nd Session of the Nevada Legislature is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 9. Chapter 287 of NRS is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section to read as follows:

*The governing body of any county, school district, municipal corporation, political subdivision, public corporation or other local governmental agency of the State of Nevada that provides health insurance through a plan of self-insurance shall provide coverage for colorectal cancer screening in accordance with:*

*1. The guidelines concerning colorectal cancer screening which are published by the American Cancer Society; or*

*2. Other guidelines or reports concerning colorectal cancer screening which are published by nationally recognized professional organizations and which include current or prevailing supporting scientific data.*

**Sec. 13.** Section 1 of Senate Bill No. 233 of the 72nd Session of the Nevada Legislature is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 1. NRS 349.986 is hereby amended to read as follows:

349.986 The State Board of Finance shall issue general obligation bonds of the State of Nevada in the face amount of not more than ~~§86,000,000~~ *\$90,000,000* to support the purposes of the program. The net proceeds from the sale of the bonds must be deposited in the Fund. The bonds must be redeemed through the Consolidated Bond Interest and Redemption Fund.

**Sec. 14.** Section 35 of Senate Bill No. 250 of the 72nd Session of the Nevada Legislature is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 35. ~~§~~ *Except as otherwise provided in section 5 of Senate Bill No. 332 of the 72nd Session of the Nevada Legislature, in addition to the other requirements for licensure, an applicant for a license to practice medicine shall cause to be submitted to the Board a certificate of completion of progressive postgraduate training from the residency program where the applicant received training.*

**Sec. 15.** Section 52 of Senate Bill No. 250 of the 72nd Session of the Nevada Legislature is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 52. NRS 630.301 is hereby amended to read as follows:

630.301 The following acts, among others, constitute grounds for initiating disciplinary action or denying licensure:

1. Conviction of a felony~~+~~ *relating to the practice of medicine or the ability to practice medicine.* A plea of nolo contendere is a conviction for the purposes of this subsection.

2. Conviction of violating any of the provisions of NRS 616D.200, 616D.220, 616D.240, 616D.300, 616D.310 or 616D.350 to 616D.440, inclusive.

3. The revocation, suspension, modification or limitation of the license to practice any type of medicine by any other jurisdiction or the surrender of the license or discontinuing the practice of medicine while under investigation by any licensing authority, a medical facility, a branch of the Armed Services of the United States, an insurance company, an agency of the Federal Government or an employer.

4. Malpractice, which may be evidenced by claims settled against a practitioner, but only if such malpractice is established by a preponderance of the evidence.

5. The engaging by a practitioner in any sexual activity with a patient who is currently being treated by the practitioner.

6. Disruptive behavior with physicians, hospital personnel, patients, members of the families of patients or any other persons if the behavior interferes with patient care or has an adverse impact on the quality of care rendered to a patient.

7. The engaging in conduct that violates the trust of a patient and exploits the relationship between the physician and the patient for financial or other personal gain.

8. The failure to offer appropriate procedures or studies, to protest inappropriate denials by organizations for managed care, to provide necessary services or to refer a patient to an appropriate provider, when such a failure occurs with the intent of positively influencing the financial well-being of the practitioner or an insurer.

9. The engaging in conduct that brings the medical profession into disrepute, including, without limitation, conduct that violates any provision of a national code of ethics adopted by the Board by regulation.

10. The engaging in sexual contact with the surrogate of a patient or other key persons related to a patient, including, without limitation, a spouse, parent or legal guardian, which exploits the relationship between the physician and the patient in a sexual manner.

**Sec. 16. 1. Section 32 of Assembly Bill No. 55 of the 72nd Session of the Nevada Legislature is hereby repealed.**

**2. Sections 12, 13 and 14 of Assembly Bill No. 493 of the 72nd Session of the Nevada Legislature are hereby repealed.**

**3. Section 38 of Senate Bill No. 100 of the 72nd Session of the Nevada Legislature is hereby repealed.**

**4. Sections 1.7, 3.7, 8.3, 8.7, 9 and 11 of Senate Bill No. 147 of the 72nd Session of the Nevada Legislature are hereby repealed.**

**5. Section 4 of Senate Bill No. 200 of the 72nd Session of the Nevada Legislature is hereby repealed.**

**6. Section 45 of Senate Bill No. 250 of the 72nd Session of the Nevada Legislature is hereby repealed.**

**Sec. 17. 1. This section and sections 8 and 9 of this act become effective upon passage and approval, but apply retroactively to June 30, 2003.**

**2. Sections 1 to 5, inclusive, and 7 to 16, inclusive, of this act become effective upon passage and approval.**

**3. Section 6 of this act becomes effective on January 1, 2004.**