



STATE OF NEW JERSEY

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

A Memo from the New Jersey Department of Education

Date: December 17, 2025
To: Local Educational Agency Leads
From: Diane Shoener, Director
Office of the State Board of Education
Deadline: February 13, 2026

Proposal Level Code – N.J.A.C. 6A:9B, State Board of Examiners and Certification

At its November 5, 2025, meeting, the State Board of Education approved the following rulemaking for publication in the December 15, 2025, *New Jersey Register*. The proposal, which can be viewed on the New Jersey Department of Education's (NJDOE) [Administrative Code webpage](#), includes:

- Proposed amendments at N.J.A.C. N.J.A.C. 6A:9B, State Board of Examiners and Certification, to expand the type of professional nurse licenses that candidates must hold to be eligible for the school nurse or school nurse/non-instructional endorsements and the substitute school nurse/non-instructional credential.

The State Board values public input in all matters regarding code promulgation. [Public testimony](#) on the proposed amendments is scheduled to be held on January 7, 2026. Registration for public testimony will open on December 17, 2025, and close at noon on December 31, 2025.

Administrators and members of the public may send written comments concerning the proposal by February 13, 2026, via the NJDOE's [Proposed Rules webpage](#), to chapter9b@doe.nj.gov, or to:

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