

481—844.1(151) Definitions. For the purpose of these rules, the following definitions will apply:

“*Active license*” means a license that is current and has not expired.

“*Audit*” means the selection of licensees for verification of satisfactory completion of continuing education requirements during a specified time period.

“*Board*” means the Iowa board of chiropractic.

“*Clinical case management*” means coursework pertaining to diagnosis, treatment, and appropriate referral or coordination of care.

“*Continuing education*” means planned, organized learning acts meeting the standards set forth in these rules, acquired during licensure, and designed to maintain, improve, or expand a licensee’s knowledge and skills in order for the licensee to develop new knowledge and skills relevant to the enhancement of chiropractic practice, education, or theory development to improve the safety and welfare of the public.

“*Hour of continuing education*” means at least 50 minutes spent by a licensee in actual attendance at and completion of an approved continuing education activity.

“*Inactive license*” means a license that has expired because it was not renewed by the end of the grace period. The category of “inactive license” may include licenses formerly known as lapsed, inactive, delinquent, closed, or retired.

“*Independent study*” means a subject/program/activity that a person pursues autonomously that meets standards for approval criteria in the rules and includes a posttest and certificate of completion.

“*License*” means license to practice chiropractic in Iowa.

“*Licensee*” means any person licensed to practice as a chiropractic physician in Iowa.

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