

621—13.3(20) List and status of members.

13.3(1) *The list.* The agency shall maintain a list of mediators who meet the criteria for listing contained in rule 621—13.4(20) and who remain in good standing.

13.3(2) *Adherence to standards and requirements.* Persons included on the list shall comply with the agency's administrative rules pertaining to mediation. Mediators shall conform to the ethical standards and procedures set forth in the current Code of Professional Conduct for Labor Mediators, as approved and published by the Association of Labor Relations Agencies, and chapter 11 of the Iowa Court Rules. When in conflict, the Code of Professional Conduct for Labor Mediators shall take precedence over the Iowa Court Rules.

13.3(3) *Status of FMCS and ad hoc mediators.* Ad hoc mediators and mediators employed by FMCS are not employees of the state of Iowa.

13.3(4) *Rights of persons on the list.* Placement on the list shall be at the sole discretion of the board.

13.3(5) *Assignments.* The agency has sole discretion to make and modify mediation assignments.

[ARC 1642C, IAB 10/1/14, effective 11/5/14]