

HB 815 -- THE REGULATION OF CERTAIN PROFESSIONS (Basye)

COMMITTEE OF ORIGIN: Standing Committee on Professional
Registration and Licensing

This bill allows individuals to apply for, renew, and replace professional licenses, pay licensing fees, and submit any other required information to their respective licensing boards electronically. The bill applies to all regulated professions in this state that require a license, permit, certification, or registration (Section 324.005, RSMo).

This bill requires that one of the nine members of the Missouri State Board of Nursing be an advanced practice registered nurse. The bill also requires that a list of three licensed and qualified nurses shall be submitted to the Director of the Division of Professional Registration by the Association of Missouri Nurse Practitioners if there is a board vacancy for an Advanced Practice Registered Nurse (Section 335.021).

This bill limits the continuing education requirements for licensed speech-language pathologists and audiologists to 30 hours triennially (Section 345.051).