

BOARD NOTICE 12 OF 2018**ALLIED HEALTH PROFESSIONS COUNCIL OF SOUTH AFRICA**

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**THE GOVERNING OF PERSONS IN ALLIED HEALTH PROFESSIONS NOT
IN ACTIVE PRACTICE**

The Allied Health Professions Council of South Africa (AHPCSA), after due consideration and in consultation with the Professional Board: Therapeutic Aromatherapy, Therapeutic Massage Therapy and Therapeutic Reflexology (PBARM); the Professional Board: Ayurveda, Chinese Medicine and Acupuncture and Unani-Tibb (PBACMU); the Professional Board: Chiropractic and Osteopathy (PBCO); and the Professional Board: Homeopathy, Naturopathy and Phytotherapy (PBHNP), and taking into account sections 4, 10C, 14, 17 and 22 of the Allied Health Professions Act (63/1982) ("the Act"), has resolved that a category or division within any existing register be allowed for the name of any non-practising person to be entered into such category or division and by way of individual application, with appropriate motivation, to the relevant professional board responsible for the profession of such person, which application shall be considered by the members of the relevant professional board responsible for the profession of such person and be approved, or denied, as the case may be.

The following conditions or exemptions shall be applicable to any non-practising person whose name has been entered into the category or division for non-practising persons after approval by the relevant professional board:

1. Any person whose name has been entered into the category or division for non-practising persons shall not be obligated to complete any of the requirements of the AHPCSA-approved Continuing Professional Development (CPD) programme;
2. Any person whose name has been entered into the category or division for non-practising persons shall pay the same annual registration fee as promulgated for persons in active practice;
3. Any person whose name has been entered into the category or division for non-practising persons and who wishes to restore his or her name to the category or division for practising persons, shall comply with the conditions of restoration to any AHPCSA register or registers as promulgated separately;
4. Any person whose name has been entered into the category or division for non-practising persons and who wishes to restore his or her name to the category or division for practising persons, shall not be obligated to pay any application or restoration fee, as may be promulgated by the AHPCSA from time to time, but all other fees shall be payable, as may be applicable to the restoration circumstance;
5. Any registered practitioner employed as a member of staff at any institutions of higher education and training and who are involved in any clinical activities at any such institution of higher education and training shall not be eligible to have his or her name entered into the category or division for non-practising persons; and
6. Any registered practitioner, currently practising beyond the borders of the Republic of South Africa and who choose to remain registered, shall not be eligible to have his or her name entered into the category or division for non-practising persons, unless he or she provides proof to the AHPCSA that he or she is not practising beyond the borders of the Republic of South Africa.



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