

# X-ray Unit Information Notice

## MDH REGISTRATION REQUIREMENT FOR PASSED MODULE EXAMINATIONS

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To: Limited Scope X-ray Operator and Bone Densitometry Equipment Operator

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Subject: MDH Registration Requirement for Passed Module Examinations

The Minnesota Department of Health (MDH) is issuing this Information Notice to inform Limited Scope X-ray Operators and Bone Densitometry Equipment Operators to the recent law changes in [Minnesota Statute, 144.121](#) that you are required to register with MDH for passed module examinations. The 2020 Legislature authorized this law and it will be effective August 1, 2020.

An individual must be registered with MDH as a limited scope x-ray operator and a registered bone densitometry equipment operator who passed the examination in [Minnesota Statute, 144.121](#).

You are required to obtain a registration certificate from MDH if you are a limited scope x-ray operator or a bone densitometry operator that has previously received a passing score letter from MDH. The certificate will have a unique identification number on it that will be given to each qualified individual.

Please follow these instructions below to obtain your certificate from MDH.

1. Email [health.xray@state.mn.us](mailto:health.xray@state.mn.us) requesting your certificate when you receive this letter.
2. Send in your name, address, email address, and phone number to update your information in the database. This will assist MDH to get the certificate to the correct individual without delaying the process.
3. MDH will send the certificate to you and will review this certificate on inspection.
4. Provide a copy of your certificate to the facility you operate x-ray equipment as this information is required by [Minnesota Statute, 144.121, Subd. 6](#) to be provided when inspected.

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Note: The limited scope x-ray operators and registered bone densitometry equipment operators who have passed the examination in [Minnesota Statute, 144.121](#) after the effective date of August 1, 2020 will not have to follow the instructions above. MDH will provide certificates and passing score letters to individuals who have taken and passed the examination after this date.

For specific questions related to this informational notice, please email [health.x-ray@state.mn.us](mailto:health.x-ray@state.mn.us).

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