

HB 815

2015

1 A bill to be entitled
2 An act relating to health professions; amending s.
3 456.072, F.S.; providing that advertising
4 certification from a specialty board, when a licensee
5 has not completed a certain residency or fellowship,
6 is grounds for discipline; providing an effective
7 date.

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9 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

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11 Section 1. Paragraph (m) of subsection (1) of section
12 456.072, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

13 456.072 Grounds for discipline; penalties; enforcement.—

14 (1) The following acts shall constitute grounds for which
15 the disciplinary actions specified in subsection (2) may be
16 taken:

17 (m) Making deceptive, untrue, or fraudulent
18 representations in or related to the practice of a profession,
19 including, but not limited to, advertising certification from a
20 specialty board if the licensee has not completed a residency or
21 fellowship approved by the Accreditation Council for Graduate
22 Medical Education in that specialty, or employing a trick or
23 scheme in or related to the practice of a profession.

24 Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2015.