

ALABAMA BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS  
ADMINISTRATIVE CODE

CHAPTER 540-X-7  
ASSISTANTS TO PHYSICIANS

540-X-7-.66      Investigations - Anesthesiologist Assistant  
(A.A.).

(1) During the course of an investigation, the Board may require that an anesthesiologist assistant submit to a criminal history background check to include the following:

(a) The provision of fingerprints using forms provided by the Board;

(b) The execution and provision of a criminal history information release using forms provided by the Board;

(c) The payment of a fee in an amount established in Rule 540-X-3-.09(2).

(2) The fingerprints shall be submitted to the Alabama Bureau of Investigation (ABI), which is responsible for forwarding the fingerprints to the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) for a national criminal history record check.

(3) Information received by the Board pursuant to a criminal history background check shall be confidential and shall not be a public record, except that such information received and relied upon in an investigation by the Board may be disclosed to the anesthesiologist assistant.

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**Statutory Authority:** Code of Ala. 1975, §§34-24-290, et. seq. and Act No. 08-378.

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