## STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION

Consent Item

January 13, 2021

**SUBJECT:** Approval of Amendment to Rule 6A-10.040, Basic Skills Requirements for Postsecondary Certificate Education

## **PROPOSED BOARD ACTION**

For Approval

## **AUTHORITY FOR STATE BOARD ACTION**

Section 1004.91, Florida Statutes

## **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

Each year the State Board of Education adopts, by rule, standards of basic skill mastery for students completing postsecondary career certificate programs of 450 hours or more. Students enrolling in these postsecondary certificate programs must complete a basic skills assessment within the first six weeks of admission unless otherwise exempt in accordance with section 1004.91, Florida Statutes.

This rule amendment will adopt the 2020-2021 Basic Skills Licensure Exemption List, which will be incorporated by reference.

**Supporting Documentation Included:** Proposed Rule 6A-10.040, F.A.C. and 2020-2021 Basic Skills Licensure Exemption List

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