**§9704. Board of Respiratory Care Practitioners; powers and duties**

**1. Powers.**  The board shall administer and enforce this chapter and evaluate the qualifications of applicants for licensure.

[PL 2007, c. 402, Pt. W, §2 (AMD).]

**2. Rules.**  The board may, in accordance with the Maine Administrative Procedure Act, Title 5, chapter 375, adopt rules to carry out the policy of this chapter, including, but not limited to, rules relating to professional licensure, professional conduct, continuing education, approval of continuing education programs and to the establishment of ethical standards of practice for persons holding a license to practice respiratory care in this State. Rules adopted pursuant to this subsection are routine technical rules as defined in Title 5, chapter 375, subchapter 2‑A.

[PL 2007, c. 402, Pt. W, §2 (AMD).]

**3. Hearings.**

[PL 2007, c. 402, Pt. W, §2 (RP).]

**4. Records.**

[PL 2007, c. 402, Pt. W, §2 (RP).]

**5. Contracts.**

[PL 1995, c. 397, §90 (RP).]

**6. Reports.**

[PL 2007, c. 402, Pt. W, §2 (RP).]

**7. Employees.**

[PL 1995, c. 397, §91 (RP).]

**8. Budget.**

[PL 1995, c. 397, §92 (RP).]

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