

Summary of Proposed Rule Changes

The Texas Department of Licensing and Regulation proposes changes to the rules at 16 TAC, Chapter 115, Midwives.

What are the proposed rule changes?

The proposed rule changes:

- Lower the application fee for an initial midwife license from \$275 to \$195; and
- Lower the application fee for renewal of a midwife license from \$550 to \$390.

When and where can I review the proposed rule changes?

The proposed rule changes will be published in the [October 13, 2023 issue](#) of the *Texas Register*. **This link will NOT work until October 13, 2023.** Beginning on that date, the link will take you to the *Texas Register* issue. Scroll down to the Proposed Rules section and look for the heading Texas Department of Licensing and Regulation and Midwives to locate these proposed rule changes.

Comments on the proposed rule changes may be submitted [online](#). The Department will accept comments on the proposed rule changes until November 13, 2023.