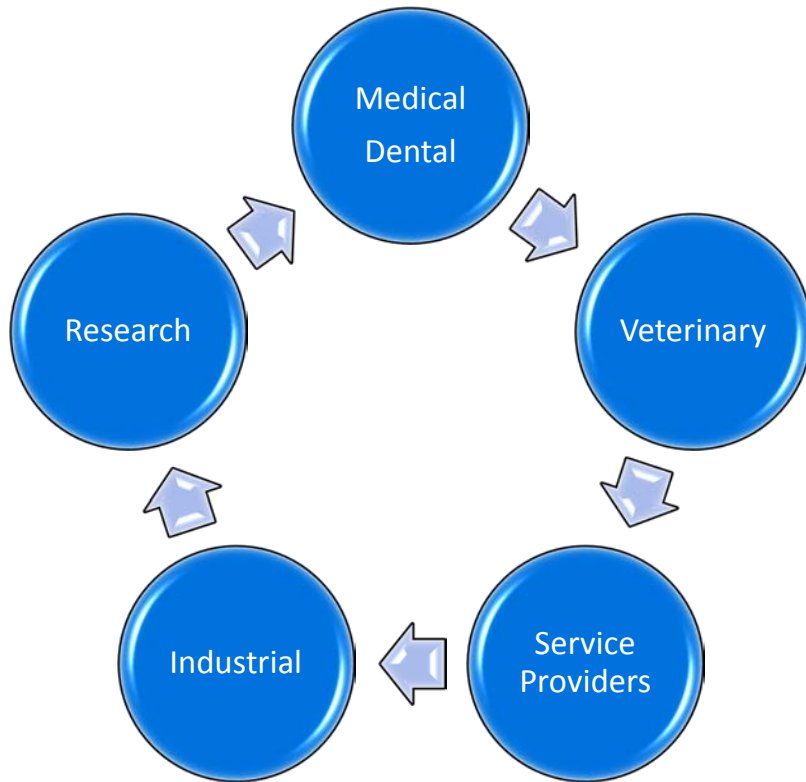


X-ray Program Listening Session

**August 16, 2016
1:30 pm - 3:30 pm**

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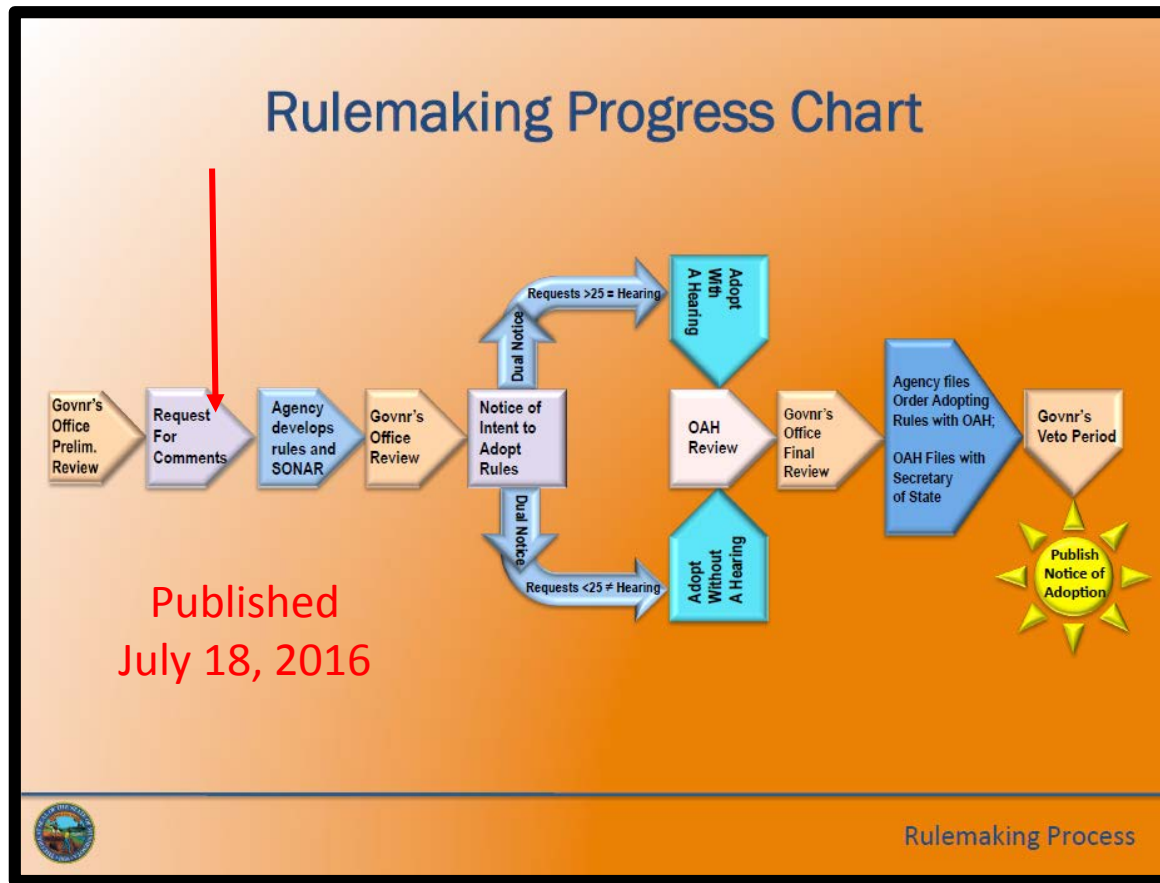


- **Gap analysis**
- **Implementation plan**
- **Definition review**

- **X-ray website**
- **X-ray rules email**

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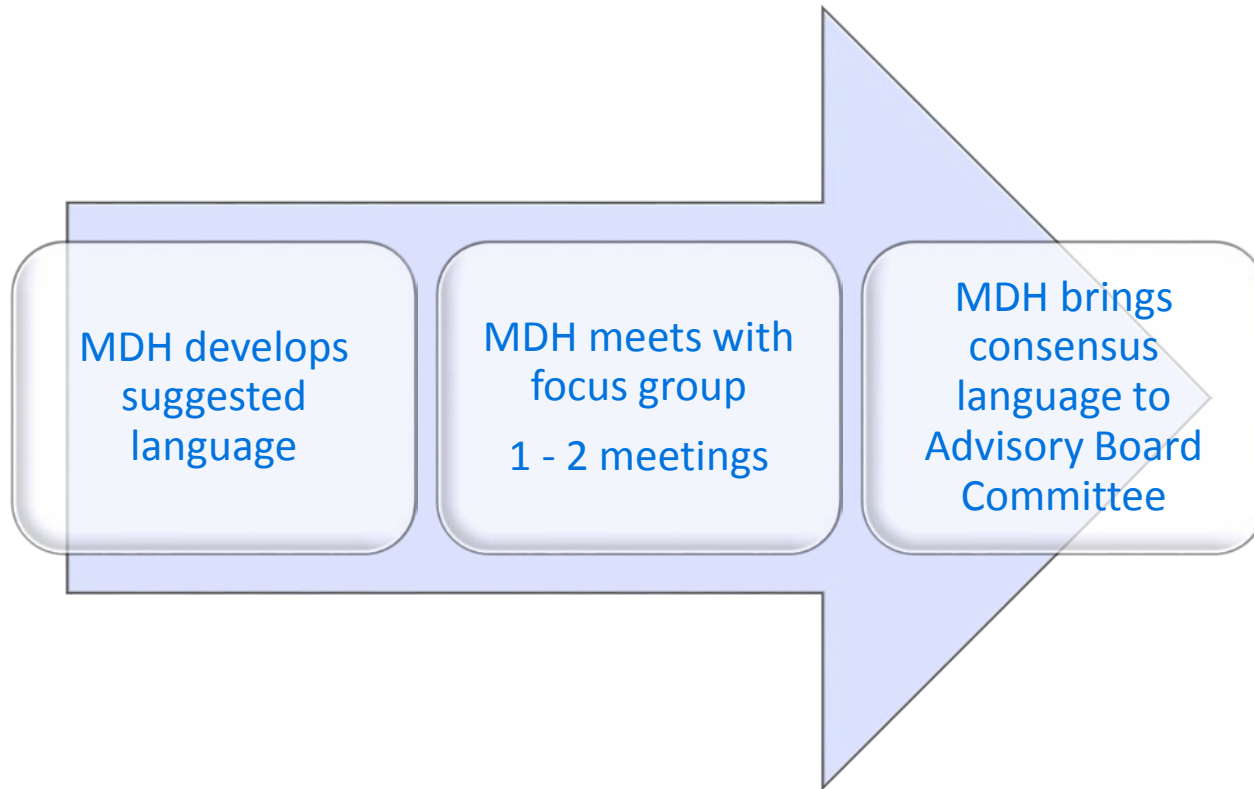
Advisory Committee

- **12 - 15 committee members**
- **MDH appoints committee members**
- **Consensus-seeking**
- **Commissioner makes the decision**
- **Members serve in a representative capacity**
- **Voluntary**
- **Your expertise is vital to making important and needed changes to the rules**

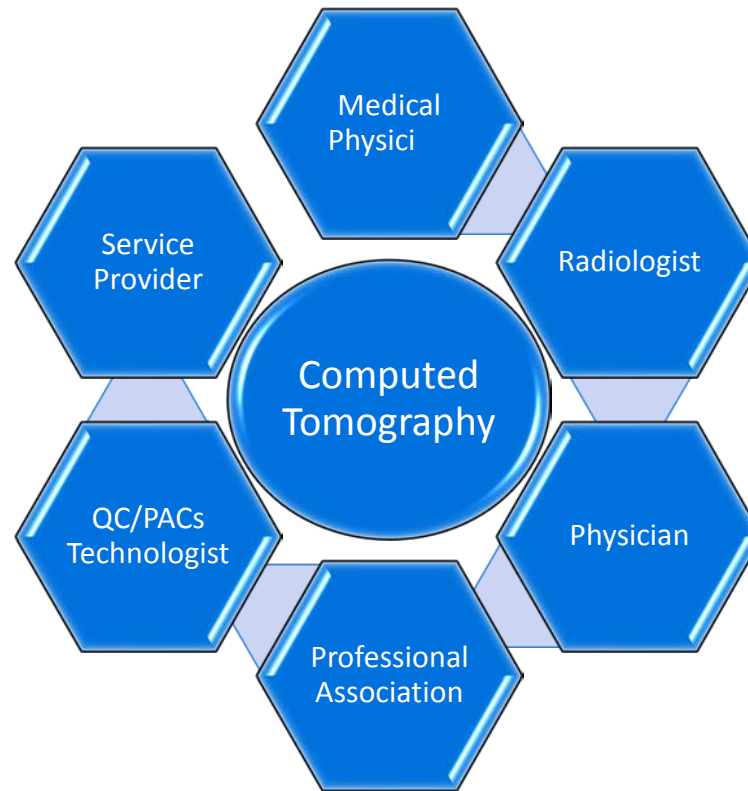
Focus Groups

- **6 - 8 stakeholders within industry practice**
- **Specialized knowledge**

Focus Groups

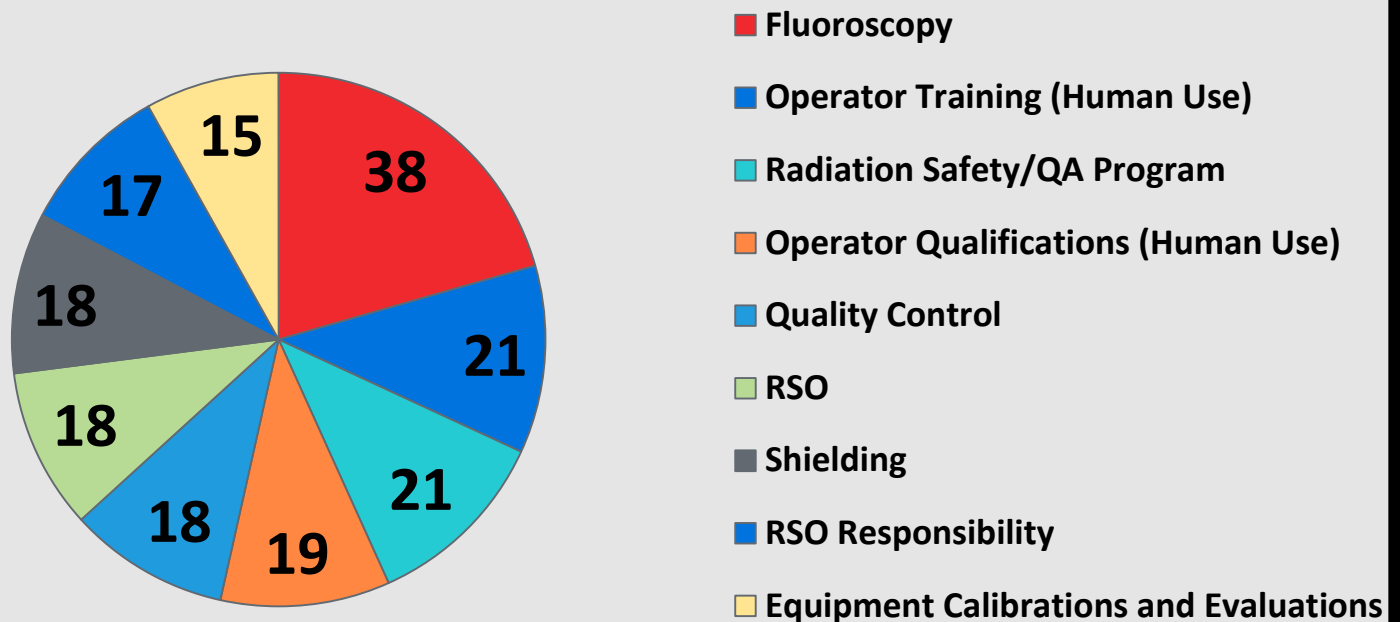


Example Focus Group



Survey Results

Top Survey Responses



Survey Results

<u>Survey Topic Areas</u>	<u>Stakeholder Responses</u>
Fluoroscopy	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Grant Advanced Practice Registered Nurses (APRNs) the ability to operate x-ray equipment
Operator Qualifications	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Licensure for individuals who operate x-ray equipment
Other:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Modification of current standards to allow limited use of scanning equipment in jails and prisons to detect contraband

Survey Results

<u>Survey Topic Areas</u>	<u>Stakeholder Responses</u>
Fluoroscopy	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Fluoroscopy dose monitoring QC● Rules for mobile fluoroscopy● Training requirements for CRNAs
Operator Qualifications/Training	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Scope of practice for individuals who operate x-ray equipment● Operator education standards & continuing education requirements
Other:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Continued collaboration with MDH to allow x-ray for security screening● Cone beam use in dentistry● Requirements for equipment after repair● Rules for research facilities● Regulations for CR/DR● Veterinary regulations/non-human use

Listening Session Ground Rules

- **Today's goal is to gain a deeper understanding of the concerns and suggestions**
 - We are not looking for agreement
 - MDH will not respond to questions
- **State your name and your organization**
- **Only 1 speaker at a time**
- **Keep statements brief and to the point**
- **Speak only for yourself/your organization; do not generalize**
- **Don't rebut another's statement; make your statement about you and your point of view**
- **If you do not have the opportunity to speak submit your thoughts on paper or via email at: x-rayrules@state.mn.us**

Getting Involved

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X-ray Rules, Rule Revision

Minnesota Rules, Chapter 4732 Rule Revision Ionizing Radiation

The Minnesota Department of Health (MDH), Radiation Control, X-ray Unit is considering amendments and possible new rules to Ionizing Radiation, Minnesota Rules, Chapter 4732. This rulemaking process will update the current Minnesota Rules, Chapter 4732 to address advances in equipment technology, scope of practice for operators of x-ray equipment, service provider responsibilities, inspection requirements, and other related matters.

Contact Person

See contact information on righthand side of this page

Current Rule

Minnesota Rules, Chapter 4732

Request for Comments

Submit Request for Comments to contact person on righthand side

Rule Documents

Documents coming soon

Rulemaking Process (PDF)

Procedures for rulemaking process to adopt rules

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