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From: Lipson, Sam <slipson@challiance.org>
Sent: Tuesday, April 16, 2019 4:04 PM
To: Alexander, Kerry
Subject: Re: Skin Course for Tattoo Artists

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Hi Kerry. We have had the same obstacle, of course. At this point we are not aware of a class like the Quincy Skin Course that fulfills this standard in our region. We have offered variances to applicants who indicate that they are unable to find a class that meets the standard indicated in our body art regulation. Our language specifies that requirement is met by the: "...[c]ompletion of a course in Anatomy and Physiology with a grade of C or better from an accredited, post-secondary institution".

We hope to identify a course that meets the intended rigor for body art practitioners and is offered in our region.

Best regards,

Sam

On Tue, Apr 16, 2019 at 3:50 PM Alexander, Kerry <KAlexander@lowellma.gov> wrote:

Hi Sam

My name is Kerry Alexander. I'm the Secretary for the Board of Health in Lowell. The Board has asked me to reach out to some Health/Inspectional Services Departments in the area to inquire on their requirements for Body Art Practitioners regarding A&P classes or alternative skin courses. Lowell used to allow practitioners to attend the Quincy Skin Course but as you're probably aware, Quincy ceased holding the class at the start of 2019.

My Board would like to know if Cambridge is aware of an alternative skin class that you may allow your applicants to attend and use for their application.

Any information would be helpful.

Thank you.

Kerry Alexander

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