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**1 Repealer.** Repeals section 214.12, subdivision 2. The subdivision being repealed requires the boards of dentistry, medical practice, nursing, and podiatric medicine to require by rule that health occupations licensed by those boards receive continuing education on infection control, including blood borne diseases. The subdivision can also be interpreted to require the board of chiropractic examiners to require that chiropractors receive continuing education on infection control. The effect of repealing this subdivision is the boards of dentistry, medical practice, chiropractic examiners, nursing, and podiatric medicine are no longer required to have rules requiring continuing education on infection control, unless a practice act of an individual occupation regulated by one of these boards require rules on continuing education in infection control for that occupation.