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The following rule changes are currently proposed for the MaineCare Benefits Manual Ch. II for both [Sec. 68 \(OT\)](#) and [Sec. 85 \(PT\)](#). Of particular concern to your district, the proposed changes would require a physician's order for both OT and PT services performed in the schools (p. 5 of each of the proposed rules). Currently a licensed practitioner of the healing arts is qualified to order the services.

If you so desire, you can comment by using the hyperlinks below for each Section. Comments must be submitted by November 7, 2013. MSB has drafted this [proposed public comment](#) response with specific details on how these proposed regulations could negatively impact school districts.

[Comment on Sec. 68 \(OT\)](#)

[Comment on Sec. 85 \(PT\)](#)

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