

SENATE FILE NO. SF0121

Wyoming Pharmacy Act amendments.

Sponsored by: Senator(s) Dockstader and Hutchings and
Representative(s) Connolly, Harshman,
Riggins and Washut

A BILL

for

1 AN ACT relating to the Wyoming Pharmacy Act; amending
2 provisions related to the practice of pharmacy; amending
3 the age of patients to whom a pharmacist may provide
4 immunizations; providing definitions; requiring rulemaking;
5 and providing for effective dates.

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7 *Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Wyoming:*

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9 **Section 1.** W.S. 33-24-124 and 33-24-157(a) are
10 amended to read:

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12 **33-24-124. Persons deemed practicing pharmacy.**

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14 (a) Any person shall be deemed to be practicing
15 pharmacy within the meaning of this act who provides

1 collaborative pharmaceutical care or prepares, or
2 compounds, or processes, or packages, or repackages, or
3 labels, or dispenses, or sells, or offers for sale, at
4 retail or in connection with operation of a health-care
5 facility, any dangerous drugs, medicines, poisons,
6 chemicals, narcotics, or prescriptions, which are
7 identified as such in accordance with this act.

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9 (b) "Practice of pharmacy" means, but is not limited
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12 (i) Interpreting, evaluating, compounding,
13 dispensing or administering medical orders or
14 prescriptions;

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16 (ii) Providing patient counseling;

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18 (iii) Assessing the patient for the purpose of
19 prescribing drugs and devices pursuant to board of pharmacy
20 rules;

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22 (iv) Initiating or providing pharmacist care
23 services pursuant to board of pharmacy rules;

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(v) Using continuous quality improvement programs, emerging technologies and competency-based education to improve patient safety and the quality of services provided;

(vi) Engaging in collaborative pharmaceutical care.

(c) Regarding collaborative pharmaceutical care:

(i) Nothing in this section shall be deemed to require any pharmacist to provide collaborative pharmaceutical care. No employer shall discriminate against a pharmacist on the basis that the pharmacist declines to participate in a collaborative pharmacy practice agreement;

(ii) The practice of collaborative pharmaceutical care shall be governed by board of pharmacy rules.

33-24-157. Immunization administration; prescription contraception.

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2 (a) A pharmacist licensed under this act may only
3 prescribe and administer immunizations recommended for
4 healthy individuals age ~~seven (7)~~ three (3) and older in a
5 private space utilized for counseling and administering
6 immunizations to ensure patient safety and confidentiality
7 as authorized by the board. Parental consent shall be
8 required for prescriptions for immunizations and for
9 administration of immunizations pursuant to this section
10 for any minor child. A pharmacist administering
11 vaccinations pursuant to this section shall enter a record
12 of the immunization in the Wyoming immunization registry
13 operated by the department of health. Nothing in this
14 subsection shall be deemed to require any pharmacist to
15 administer immunizations to individuals who are less than
16 thirteen (13) years of age. No employer shall discriminate
17 against a pharmacist on the basis that the pharmacist
18 determines not to administer immunizations to individuals
19 who are less than thirteen (13) years of age.

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21 **Section 2.** The board of pharmacy shall promulgate all
22 rules necessary to implement this act.

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1 **Section 3.**

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3 (a) Except as provided by subsection (b) of this
4 section, this act is effective July 1, 2026.

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6 (b) Sections 2 and 3 of this act are effective
7 immediately upon completion of all acts necessary for a
8 bill to become law as provided by Article 4, Section 8 of
9 the Wyoming Constitution.

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