

Professions and Public Health Subcommittee

Wednesday, February 2, 2022
11:30 AM – 2:00 PM
Webster Hall (212 Knott)

Action Packet

Chris Sprowls
Speaker

Will Robinson
Chair

Committee Meeting Notice

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Professions & Public Health Subcommittee

Start Date and Time: Wednesday, February 02, 2022 11:30 am

End Date and Time: Wednesday, February 02, 2022 02:00 pm

Location: Webster Hall (212 Knott)

Duration: 2.50 hrs

Consideration of the following bill(s):

HB 593 Telecommunicator Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation by Trabulsy, McClure
HB 1073 Newborn Screenings by Aloupis
HB 1101 Anesthesiologist Assistants by Altman
HB 1209 Administration of Vaccines by Tuck
HB 1521 Professional Counselors Licensure Compact by Koster
HB 1523 Pub. Rec. and Meetings/Professional Counselors Licensure Compact by Koster

Consideration of the following proposed committee substitute(s):

PCS for HB 937 -- Nonemergent Patient Care

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COMMITTEE MEETING REPORT

Professions & Public Health Subcommittee

2/2/2022 11:30AM

Location: Webster Hall (212 Knott)

Summary:

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HB 593	Favorable	Yeas: 17	Nays: 0
PCS for HB 937	Favorable	Yeas: 17	Nays: 1
HB 1073	Favorable With Committee Substitute	Yeas: 17	Nays: 0
	Amendment 714447 Adopted Without Objection		
HB 1101	Favorable With Committee Substitute	Yeas: 18	Nays: 0
	Amendment 833519 Adopted Without Objection		
HB 1209	Favorable With Committee Substitute	Yeas: 17	Nays: 1
	Amendment 913487 Adopted Without Objection		
HB 1521	Favorable With Committee Substitute	Yeas: 18	Nays: 0
	Amendment 368103 Adopted Without Objection		
	Amendment 567287 Adopted Without Objection		
HB 1523	Favorable	Yeas: 18	Nays: 0

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Attendance:

	Present	*Absent*	*Excused*
William Robinson (Chair)	X		
Robert Andrade	X		
Kristen Arrington	X		
David Borrero	X		
Anna Eskamani	X		
Juan Fernandez-Barquin	X		
Sam Garrison	X		
Michael Gottlieb	X		
Randall Maggard	X		
Stan McClain	X		
Michele Rayner	X		
Alex Rizo	X		
Bob Rommel	X		
Tyler Sirois	X		
Kelly Skidmore	X		
Carlos Smith	X		
John Snyder	X		
Kaylee Tuck	X		
Totals:	**18**	**0**	**0**

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HB 593 : Telecommunicator Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation

[X] *Favorable*

	Yea	*Nay*	*No Vote*	*Absentee Yea*	*Absentee Nay*
Robert Andrade	X				
Kristen Arrington	X				
David Borrero	X				
Anna Eskamani	X				
Juan Fernandez-Barquin	X				
Sam Garrison	X				
Michael Gottlieb	X				
Randall Maggard	X				
Stan McClain			X		
Michele Rayner	X				
Alex Rizo	X				
Bob Rommel	X				
Tyler Sirois	X				
Kelly Skidmore	X				
Carlos Smith	X				
John Snyder	X				
Kaylee Tuck	X				
William Robinson (Chair)	X				
	Total Yeas: 17	**Total Nays: 0**			

Appearances:

George, Marnie (Lobbyist) (Lobbyist Appearance Form Submitted) - Waive In Support
Florida Chapter American College of Cardiology
Sr. Advisor - Buchanan Ingersoll & Rooney
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Phone: (850) 681-0411

Richard Pinsky (Lobbyist) - Waive In Support
9-1-1 Emergency Dispatchers
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Large, Toni (Lobbyist) - Waive In Support
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Large, Toni (Lobbyist) - Waive In Support
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HB 593 : Telecommunicator Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation (continued)

Appearances: (continued)

McCaskill Henderson, Tiffany (Lobbyist) - Proponent
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PCS for HB 937 : Nonemergent Patient Care

[X] *Favorable*

	Yea	*Nay*	*No Vote*	*Absentee Yea*	*Absentee Nay*
Robert Andrade	X				
Kristen Arrington	X				
David Borrero	X				
Anna Eskamani		X			
Juan Fernandez-Barquin	X				
Sam Garrison	X				
Michael Gottlieb	X				
Randall Maggard	X				
Stan McClain	X				
Michele Rayner	X				
Alex Rizo	X				
Bob Rommel	X				
Tyler Sirois	X				
Kelly Skidmore	X				
Carlos Smith	X				
John Snyder	X				
Kaylee Tuck	X				
William Robinson (Chair)	X				
	Total Yeas: 17	**Total Nays: 1**			

Appearances:

Gorrie, Jan (Lobbyist) (Lobbyist Appearance Form Submitted) - Waive In Support
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Mica, David (Lobbyist) (Lobbyist Appearance Form Submitted) - Waive In Support
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Michael Maniaci, MD - Proponent
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From: Drews, Cheyenne
To: McElroy, Chris; Dewees, Cheryl; Osborne, Erin
Subject: Rep Eskamani: Changing Vote Inquiry
Date: Wednesday, February 2, 2022 1:59:04 PM

Hi all,

Representative Eskamani requested I email about attempting to change her vote on today's Profession's meeting, specifically changing to a **yes vote: PCS for HB 937 – Nonemergent Patient Care**

I understand that it may only be able to be changed in the packet and appreciate your insight.

Best,

Cheyenne Drews
Legislative Aide
Pronouns: She/her
Representative Anna V. Eskamani
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HB 1073 : Newborn Screenings

[X] *Favorable With Committee Substitute*

	Yea	*Nay*	*No Vote*	*Absentee Yea*	*Absentee Nay*
Robert Andrade	X				
Kristen Arrington	X				
David Borrero	X				
Anna Eskamani	X				
Juan Fernandez-Barquin	X				
Sam Garrison	X				
Michael Gottlieb	X				
Randall Maggard	X				
Stan McClain			X		
Michele Rayner	X				
Alex Rizo	X				
Bob Rommel	X				
Tyler Sirois	X				
Kelly Skidmore	X				
Carlos Smith	X				
John Snyder	X				
Kaylee Tuck	X				
William Robinson (Chair)	X				
	Total Yeas: 17	**Total Nays: 0**			

HB 1073 Amendments

Amendment 714447

[X] *Adopted Without Objection*

Appearances:

Isaacs, Samantha (General Public) - Proponent
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HB 1073 : Newborn Screenings (continued)

Appearances: (continued)

Pritchett , Cedric (General Public) - Proponent
Nemours Children's Health
Nemours Children's Health Physician, Division of Otolaryngology, Department of Surgery
Nemours Children's Hospital 6535 Nemours Parkway
Orlando Florida 32827
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Amendment 714447
Libia Elena Nahas - Proponent
Families of Kids Who are Deaf
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Theresa Bulger (Lobbyist) - Waive In Support
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Bell, Doug (Lobbyist) - Waive In Support
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George Nahas (General Public) - Proponent
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Ignacio Nahas - Proponent
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HB 1073 : Newborn Screenings (continued)

Appearances: (continued)

Amendment 714447
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Legislation Committee Member
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Amendment No. 1

COMMITTEE/SUBCOMMITTEE ACTION

ADOPTED	__	(Y/N)
ADOPTED AS AMENDED	__	(Y/N)
ADOPTED W/O OBJECTION	Y	(Y/N)
FAILED TO ADOPT	__	(Y/N)
WITHDRAWN	__	(Y/N)
OTHER	_____	

Committee/Subcommittee hearing bill: Professions & Public Health Subcommittee

Representative Aloupis offered the following:

Amendment (with title amendment)

Remove lines 96-128 and insert:

audiologist, ~~a physician licensed under chapter 458 or chapter 459, or~~ a hospital, or another ~~other~~ newborn hearing screening provider~~,~~ for screening for the detection of hearing loss~~,~~ to prevent the consequences of unidentified disorders. The referral for appointment must ~~shall~~ be made within 7 ~~30~~ days after discharge. Written documentation of the referral must be placed in the newborn's medical chart.

(c) If the parent or legal guardian of the newborn objects to the screening, the screening must not be completed. In such case, the physician, midwife, or other person who is attending

the newborn shall maintain a record that the screening has not been performed and attach a written objection that must be signed by the parent or guardian.

(d) For home births, the health care provider in attendance is responsible for coordination and referral to an ~~a licensed~~ audiologist, a hospital, or another ~~other~~ newborn hearing screening provider. The health care provider in attendance must make the referral for appointment ~~shall be made~~ within 7 ~~30~~ days after the birth. In cases in which the home birth is not attended by a ~~primary~~ health care provider, the newborn's primary health care provider is responsible for coordinating the ~~a~~ referral ~~to a licensed audiologist, physician licensed pursuant to chapter 458 or chapter 459, hospital, or other newborn hearing screening provider must be made by the health care provider within the first 3 months after the child's birth~~.

(e) For home births and births in a licensed birth center, if a newborn is referred to a newborn hearing screening provider and the newborn fails the screening for the detection of hearing loss, the newborn's primary health care provider must refer the newborn for administration of a test approved by the United States Food and Drug Administration or another diagnostically equivalent test on the newborn to screen for congenital cytomegalovirus.

T I T L E A M E N D M E N T

Remove lines 9-15 and insert:

referrals; providing that a newborn's primary health care provider is responsible for coordinating such referrals under certain circumstances; requiring a newborn's primary health care provider to refer the newborn for testing for congenital cytomegalovirus under certain circumstances; revising the timeframe within which

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HB 1101 : Anesthesiologist Assistants

[X] *Favorable With Committee Substitute*

	Yea	*Nay*	*No Vote*	*Absentee Yea*	*Absentee Nay*
Robert Andrade	X				
Kristen Arrington	X				
David Borrero	X				
Anna Eskamani	X				
Juan Fernandez-Barquin	X				
Sam Garrison	X				
Michael Gottlieb	X				
Randall Maggard	X				
Stan McClain	X				
Michele Rayner	X				
Alex Rizo	X				
Bob Rommel	X				
Tyler Sirois	X				
Kelly Skidmore	X				
Carlos Smith	X				
John Snyder	X				
Kaylee Tuck	X				
William Robinson (Chair)	X				
	Total Yeas: 18	**Total Nays: 0**			

HB 1101 Amendments

Amendment 833519

[X] *Adopted Without Objection*

Appearances:

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Thomas, Mary (Lobbyist) - Waive In Support
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HB 1101 : Anesthesiologist Assistants (continued)

Appearances: (continued)

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Florida Academy of Anesthesiologist Assistants
Immediate Past President
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Heuchan, Brecht (Lobbyist) - Waive In Support
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COMMITTEE/SUBCOMMITTEE ACTION

ADOPTED	__	(Y/N)
ADOPTED AS AMENDED	__	(Y/N)
ADOPTED W/O OBJECTION	Y	(Y/N)
FAILED TO ADOPT	__	(Y/N)
WITHDRAWN	__	(Y/N)
OTHER		

Committee/Subcommittee hearing bill: Professions & Public Health Subcommittee

Representative Altman offered the following:

Amendment (with title amendment)

Remove everything after the enacting clause and insert:

Section 1. Paragraphs (a) and (g) of subsection (1), paragraph (a) of subsection (3), and paragraphs (a) and (b) of subsection (6) of section 458.3475, Florida Statutes, are amended to read:

458.3475 Anesthesiologist assistants.—

(1) DEFINITIONS.—As used in this section, the term:

(a) "Anesthesiologist" means an allopathic or osteopathic physician who holds an active, unrestricted license; who has successfully completed an anesthesiology training program approved by the Accreditation Council on Graduate Medical

Education or its equivalent; and who is certified by the American Board of Anesthesiology, is eligible to take that board's examination, or is certified by the Board of Certification in Anesthesiology affiliated with the American Association of Physician Specialists.

(g) "Direct supervision" means the physical presence of a supervising anesthesiologist on the premises such that the supervising anesthesiologist is immediately available as needed ~~onsite, personal supervision by an anesthesiologist who is present in the office when the procedure is being performed in that office, or is present in the surgical or obstetrical suite when the procedure is being performed in that surgical or obstetrical suite and who is in all instances immediately available to provide assistance and direction to the anesthesiologist assistant while anesthesia services are being performed~~.

(3) PERFORMANCE OF ANESTHESIOLOGIST ASSISTANTS.—

(a) An anesthesiologist assistant may assist an anesthesiologist in developing and implementing an anesthesia care plan for a patient, may personally administer the prescribed anesthetic under the direct supervision of an anesthesiologist, and may perform tasks and services as specified in a written protocol approved by the supervising anesthesiologist which may include any of the following functions~~. In providing assistance to an anesthesiologist, an~~

~~anesthesiologist assistant may perform duties established by rule by the board in any of the following functions that are included in the anesthesiologist assistant's protocol while under the direct supervision of an anesthesiologist~~:

1. Obtain a comprehensive patient history and present the history to the supervising anesthesiologist.

2. Pretest and calibrate anesthesia delivery systems and monitor, obtain, and interpret information from the systems and monitors.

3. Assist the supervising anesthesiologist with the implementation of medically accepted monitoring techniques.

4. Establish basic and advanced airway interventions, including intubation of the trachea and performing ventilatory support.

5. Administer intermittent vasoactive drugs and start and adjust vasoactive infusions.

6. Administer anesthetic drugs, adjuvant drugs, and accessory drugs.

7. Assist the supervising anesthesiologist with the performance of epidural anesthetic procedures and spinal anesthetic procedures.

8. Administer blood, blood products, and supportive fluids.

9. Support life functions during anesthesia health care, including induction and intubation procedures, the use of

appropriate mechanical supportive devices, and the management of fluid, electrolyte, and blood component balances.

10. Recognize and take appropriate corrective action for abnormal patient responses to anesthesia, adjunctive medication, or other forms of therapy.

11. Participate in management of the patient while in the postanesthesia recovery area, including the administration of any supporting fluids or drugs.

12. Place special peripheral and central venous and arterial lines for blood sampling and monitoring as appropriate.

(6) ANESTHESIOLOGIST ASSISTANT LICENSURE.—

(a) Any person desiring to be licensed as an anesthesiologist assistant must apply to the department. The department shall issue a license to any person certified by the board to:

1. Be at least 18 years of age.

2. Have satisfactorily passed a proficiency examination with a score established by the National Commission on Certification of Anesthesiologist Assistants.

3. Be certified in advanced cardiac life support.

4. Have completed the application form and remitted an application fee, not to exceed $1,000, as set by the boards. An application must include:

a. A certificate of completion of an approved graduate level program.

b. An acknowledgment ~~A sworn statement~~ of any prior felony convictions.

c. An acknowledgment ~~A sworn statement~~ of any prior discipline or denial of licensure or certification in any state.

d. Two letters of recommendation from anesthesiologists.

(b) A license must be renewed biennially. Each renewal must include:

1. A renewal fee, not to exceed $1,000, as set by the boards.

2. An acknowledgment ~~A sworn statement~~ of no felony convictions in the immediately preceding 2 years.

Section 2. Paragraphs (a) and (g) of subsection (1), paragraph (a) of subsection (3), and paragraphs (a) and (b) of subsection (6) of section 459.023, Florida Statutes, are amended to read:

459.023 Anesthesiologist assistants.—

(1) DEFINITIONS.—As used in this section, the term:

(a) "Anesthesiologist" means an osteopathic or allopathic physician who holds an active, unrestricted license; who has successfully completed an anesthesiology training program approved by the Accreditation Council on Graduate Medical Education, or its equivalent, or the American Osteopathic Association; and who is certified by the American Osteopathic Board of Anesthesiology or is eligible to take that board's examination, is certified by the American Board of

Anesthesiology or is eligible to take that board's examination, or is certified by the Board of Certification in Anesthesiology affiliated with the American Association of Physician Specialists.

(g) "Direct supervision" means the physical presence of a supervising anesthesiologist on the premises such that the supervising anesthesiologist is immediately available as needed ~~onsite, personal supervision by an anesthesiologist who is present in the office when the procedure is being performed in that office, or is present in the surgical or obstetrical suite when the procedure is being performed in that surgical or obstetrical suite and who is in all instances immediately available to provide assistance and direction to the anesthesiologist assistant while anesthesia services are being performed~~.

(3) PERFORMANCE OF ANESTHESIOLOGIST ASSISTANTS.—

(a) An anesthesiologist assistant may assist an anesthesiologist in developing and implementing an anesthesia care plan for a patient, may personally administer the prescribed anesthetic under the direct supervision of an anesthesiologist, and may perform tasks and services as specified in a written protocol approved by the supervising anesthesiologist which may include any of the following functions~~. In providing assistance to an anesthesiologist, an anesthesiologist assistant may perform duties established by~~

~~rule by the board in any of the following functions that are included in the anesthesiologist assistant's protocol while under the direct supervision of an anesthesiologist~~:

1. Obtain a comprehensive patient history and present the history to the supervising anesthesiologist.

2. Pretest and calibrate anesthesia delivery systems and monitor, obtain, and interpret information from the systems and monitors.

3. Assist the supervising anesthesiologist with the implementation of medically accepted monitoring techniques.

4. Establish basic and advanced airway interventions, including intubation of the trachea and performing ventilatory support.

5. Administer intermittent vasoactive drugs and start and adjust vasoactive infusions.

6. Administer anesthetic drugs, adjuvant drugs, and accessory drugs.

7. Assist the supervising anesthesiologist with the performance of epidural anesthetic procedures and spinal anesthetic procedures.

8. Administer blood, blood products, and supportive fluids.

9. Support life functions during anesthesia health care, including induction and intubation procedures, the use of

appropriate mechanical supportive devices, and the management of fluid, electrolyte, and blood component balances.

10. Recognize and take appropriate corrective action for abnormal patient responses to anesthesia, adjunctive medication, or other forms of therapy.

11. Participate in management of the patient while in the postanesthesia recovery area, including the administration of any supporting fluids or drugs.

12. Place special peripheral and central venous and arterial lines for blood sampling and monitoring as appropriate.

(6) ANESTHESIOLOGIST ASSISTANT LICENSURE.—

(a) Any person desiring to be licensed as an anesthesiologist assistant must apply to the department. The department shall issue a license to any person certified by the board to:

1. Be at least 18 years of age.

2. Have satisfactorily passed a proficiency examination with a score established by the National Commission on Certification of Anesthesiologist Assistants.

3. Be certified in advanced cardiac life support.

4. Have completed the application form and remitted an application fee, not to exceed $1,000, as set by the boards. An application must include:

a. A certificate of completion of an approved graduate level program.

b. An acknowledgment ~~A sworn statement~~ of any prior felony convictions.

c. An acknowledgment ~~A sworn statement~~ of any prior discipline or denial of licensure or certification in any state.

d. Two letters of recommendation from anesthesiologists.

(b) A license must be renewed biennially. Each renewal must include:

1. A renewal fee, not to exceed $1,000, as set by the boards.

2. An acknowledgment ~~A sworn statement~~ of no felony convictions in the immediately preceding 2 years.

Section 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 2022.

T I T L E A M E N D M E N T

Remove everything before the enacting clause and insert: An act relating to anesthesiologist assistants; amending ss. 458.3475 and 459.023, F.S.; revising the definitions of the terms "anesthesiologist" and "direct supervision"; revising requirements for the written protocol between an anesthesiologist assistant and a supervising anesthesiologist; revising provisions relating to duties and functions anesthesiologist assistants may perform; revising licensure requirements for anesthesiologist assistants; providing an effective date.

COMMITTEE MEETING REPORT

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2/2/2022 11:30AM

Location: Webster Hall (212 Knott)

HB 1209 : Administration of Vaccines

[X] *Favorable With Committee Substitute*

	Yea	*Nay*	*No Vote*	*Absentee Yea*	*Absentee Nay*
Robert Andrade	X				
Kristen Arrington	X				
David Borrero	X				
Anna Eskamani	X				
Juan Fernandez-Barquin	X				
Sam Garrison	X				
Michael Gottlieb	X				
Randall Maggard	X				
Stan McClain	X				
Michele Rayner	X				
Alex Rizo	X				
Bob Rommel	X				
Tyler Sirois	X				
Kelly Skidmore		X			
Carlos Smith	X				
John Snyder	X				
Kaylee Tuck	X				
William Robinson (Chair)	X				
	Total Yeas: 17	**Total Nays: 1**			

HB 1209 Amendments

Amendment 913487

[X] *Adopted Without Objection*

Appearances:

Black, Gregory (Lobbyist) (Lobbyist Appearance Form Submitted) - Waive In Support
National Association of Chain Drug Stores
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Blair, Robert (Lobbyist) (Lobbyist Appearance Form Submitted) - Waive In Support
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Fay, Megan (Lobbyist) (Lobbyist Appearance Form Submitted) - Waive In Support
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Tallahassee F
Phone: (850) 222-9075

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HB 1209 : Administration of Vaccines (continued)

Appearances: (continued)

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Lovett, Grace (Lobbyist) - Proponent
Florida Retail Federation
227 South Adams Street
Tallahassee FL 32301
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Farmer, Jake (Lobbyist) - Waive In Support
Walgreen Company
227 S Adams St
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Suderman, Phillip (Lobbyist) - Waive In Support
Americans for Prosperity
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Tallahassee FL 32301-7710
Phone: (850) 866-0710

COMMITTEE/SUBCOMMITTEE ACTION

ADOPTED	__	(Y/N)
ADOPTED AS AMENDED	__	(Y/N)
ADOPTED W/O OBJECTION	Y	(Y/N)
FAILED TO ADOPT	__	(Y/N)
WITHDRAWN	__	(Y/N)
OTHER		

Committee/Subcommittee hearing bill: Professions & Public Health Subcommittee

Representative Tuck offered the following:

Amendment (with title amendment)

Remove everything after the enacting clause and insert:

Section 1. Subsections (7) and (8) of section 465.014, Florida Statutes, are renumbered as subsections (8) and (9), respectively, and a new subsection (7) is added to that section, to read:

465.014 Pharmacy technician.—

(7) A registered pharmacy technician seeking to administer vaccines under s. 465.189 must be certified to administer such vaccines pursuant to a certification program approved by the Board of Pharmacy in consultation with the Board of Medicine and the Board of Osteopathic Medicine. The certification program

must have at least 6 hours of immunization-related training approved by the board that shall, at a minimum, have curriculum of instruction concerning the safe and effective administration of such vaccines, including, but not limited to, potential allergic reactions to such vaccines. As a condition of registration renewal, a registered pharmacy technician seeking to administer vaccines under s. 465.189 must have at least 2 hours of continuing education approved by the board in addition to the biennial continuing education required in subsection (6).

Section 2. Subsections (1), (4), (5), and (7) of section 465.189, Florida Statutes, are amended to read:

465.189 Administration of vaccines and epinephrine autoinjection.—

(1) In accordance with guidelines of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention for each recommended immunization or vaccine, a pharmacist who is certified under subsection (7), or a registered intern or pharmacy technician under the supervision of such a pharmacist, ~~who is certified under subsection (7)~~ may administer the following immunizations or vaccines to an adult within the framework of an established protocol under a supervising physician licensed under chapter 458 or chapter 459:

(a) Immunizations or vaccines listed in the Adult Immunization Schedule as of March 31, 2022 ~~April 30, 2021~~, by the United States Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.

The board may authorize by rule additional immunizations or vaccines as they are added to the Adult Immunization Schedule.

(b) Immunizations or vaccines recommended by the United States Centers for Disease Control and Prevention for international travel as of March 31, 2022 ~~April 30, 2021~~. The board may authorize by rule additional immunizations or vaccines as they are recommended by the United States Centers for Disease Control and Prevention for international travel.

(c) Immunizations or vaccines licensed for use in the United States, or which have been authorized for emergency use, by the United States Food and Drug Administration as of March 31, 2022 ~~April 30, 2021~~. The board may authorize by rule additional immunizations or vaccines as they are so licensed or authorized.

(d) Immunizations or vaccines approved by the board in response to a state of emergency declared by the Governor pursuant to s. 252.36.

A registered intern who administers an immunization or vaccine under this subsection must be supervised by a certified pharmacist at a ratio of one pharmacist to one registered intern.

(4) A pharmacist may not enter into a protocol under a supervising physician licensed under chapter 458 or chapter 459 or administer an immunization or vaccine under this section

unless he or she maintains at least $200,000 of professional liability insurance and has completed training in administering vaccines authorized under this section.

(5) A pharmacist administering immunizations or vaccines under this section shall maintain and make available patient records using the same standards for confidentiality and maintenance of such records as those that are imposed on health care practitioners under s. 456.057. These records shall be maintained for a minimum of 5 years.

(7) Any pharmacist, ~~or~~ registered intern, or registered pharmacy technician seeking to administer vaccines under this section must be certified to administer such vaccines pursuant to a certification program approved by the board ~~of Pharmacy~~ in consultation with the Board of Medicine and the Board of Osteopathic Medicine. The certification program shall, at a minimum, require that the pharmacist attend at least 20 hours of continuing education classes approved by the board and the registered intern complete at least 20 hours of coursework approved by the board. The registered pharmacy technician shall have immunization-related training and continuing education as provided in s. 465.014. The certification programs ~~program~~ shall, at a minimum, have a curriculum of instruction concerning the safe and effective administration of such vaccines, including, but not limited to, potential allergic reactions to such vaccines.

Section 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 2022.

T I T L E A M E N D M E N T

Remove everything before the enacting clause and insert:
An act relating to administration of vaccines; amending s. 456.014, F.S.; authorizing registered pharmacy technicians to administer specified vaccines under certain circumstances; providing requirements for registration renewal; amending s. 465.189, F.S.; authorizing certified pharmacists to administer specified vaccines under certain circumstances; revising the immunizations or vaccines that certified pharmacists, registered interns, and registered pharmacy technicians may administer; revising and providing continuing education requirements for registered pharmacy technicians; providing an effective date.

COMMITTEE MEETING REPORT

Professions & Public Health Subcommittee

2/2/2022 11:30AM

Location: Webster Hall (212 Knott)

HB 1521 : Professional Counselors Licensure Compact

[X] *Favorable With Committee Substitute*

	Yea	*Nay*	*No Vote*	*Absentee Yea*	*Absentee Nay*
Robert Andrade	X				
Kristen Arrington	X				
David Borrero	X				
Anna Eskamani	X				
Juan Fernandez-Barquin	X				
Sam Garrison	X				
Michael Gottlieb	X				
Randall Maggard	X				
Stan McClain	X				
Michele Rayner	X				
Alex Rizo	X				
Bob Rommel	X				
Tyler Sirois	X				
Kelly Skidmore	X				
Carlos Smith	X				
John Snyder	X				
Kaylee Tuck	X				
William Robinson (Chair)	X				
	Total Yeas: 18	**Total Nays: 0**			

HB 1521 Amendments

Amendment 368103

[X] *Adopted Without Objection*

Amendment 567287

[X] *Adopted Without Objection*

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COMMITTEE/SUBCOMMITTEE ACTION

ADOPTED	__	(Y/N)
ADOPTED AS AMENDED	__	(Y/N)
ADOPTED W/O OBJECTION	Y	(Y/N)
FAILED TO ADOPT	__	(Y/N)
WITHDRAWN	__	(Y/N)
OTHER		

Committee/Subcommittee hearing bill: Professions & Public Health Subcommittee

Representative Koster offered the following:

Amendment (with title amendment)

Between lines 124 and 125, insert:

Section 1. Subsections (5) through (17) of section 491.003, Florida Statutes, are renumbered as subsections (6) though (18), respectively, and subsection (5) is added to that section, to read:

491.003 Definitions.—As used in this chapter:

(5) "Licensed professional counselor" means a clinical social worker, marriage and family therapist, or mental health counselor authorized to provide services under the Professional Counselors Licensure Compact.

T I T L E A M E N D M E N T

Remove line 3 and insert:
Compact; amending s. 491.003, F.S.; defining "licensed professional counselor"; creating s. 491.017, F.S.; creating the

Amendment No. 2

COMMITTEE/SUBCOMMITTEE ACTION

ADOPTED	__	(Y/N)
ADOPTED AS AMENDED	__	(Y/N)
ADOPTED W/O OBJECTION	Y	(Y/N)
FAILED TO ADOPT	__	(Y/N)
WITHDRAWN	__	(Y/N)
OTHER	____	

Committee/Subcommittee hearing bill: Professions & Public Health Subcommittee

Representative Koster offered the following:

Amendment

Remove lines 233-235 and insert:

(15) "Licensed professional counselor" means a counselor licensed by a member state, regardless of the title used by that

COMMITTEE MEETING REPORT

Professions & Public Health Subcommittee

2/2/2022 11:30AM

Location: Webster Hall (212 Knott)

HB 1523 : Pub. Rec. and Meetings/Professional Counselors Licensure Compact

[X] *Favorable*

	Yea	*Nay*	*No Vote*	*Absentee Yea*	*Absentee Nay*
Robert Andrade	X				
Kristen Arrington	X				
David Borrero	X				
Anna Eskamani	X				
Juan Fernandez-Barquin	X				
Sam Garrison	X				
Michael Gottlieb	X				
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Alex Rizo	X				
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Kelly Skidmore	X				
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Kaylee Tuck	X				
William Robinson (Chair)	X				
	Total Yeas: 18	**Total Nays: 0**			

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