

Amendment No. 235

Senate Amendment to Senate Bill No. 419 (BDR 40-518)

Proposed by: Senate Committee on Health and Human Services**Amends:** Summary: No Title: Yes Preamble: No Joint Sponsorship: No Digest: Yes

ASSEMBLY ACTION				Initial and Date	SENATE ACTION				Initial and Date
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EXPLANATION: Matter in (1) ***blue bold italics*** is new language in the original bill; (2) ***green bold italic underlining*** is new language proposed in this amendment; (3) ~~red strikethrough~~ is deleted language in the original bill; (4) ~~purple double strikethrough~~ is language proposed to be deleted in this amendment; (5) ~~orange double underlining~~ is deleted language in the original bill that is proposed to be retained in this amendment; and (6) ***green bold underlining*** is newly added transitory language.

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Date: 4/23/2011

S.B. No. 419—Establishes provisions relating to safe injection practices.
(BDR 40-518)



SENATE BILL NO. 419—COMMITTEE ON
HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

MARCH 28, 2011

Referred to Committee on Health and Human Services

SUMMARY—Establishes provisions relating to safe injection practices.
(BDR 40-518)

FISCAL NOTE: Effect on Local Government: Increases or Newly Provides for
Term of Imprisonment in County or City Jail or Detention
Facility.
Effect on the State: Yes.

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EXPLANATION – Matter in ***bolded italics*** is new; matter between brackets ~~omitted material~~ is material to be omitted.

AN ACT relating to public health; requiring certain persons ~~[who administer controlled substances or dangerous drugs to complete annual training concerning safe injection practices; requiring]~~ ***and entities that are licensed, registered or certified by*** the Health Division of the Department of Health and Human Services ~~[to approve or establish a training program concerning safe injection practices; requiring]~~ ***certain district boards of health or*** certain boards which license ***register or certify*** health care professionals to ~~[approve continuing education courses]~~ ***attest that they have knowledge of and are in compliance with certain guidelines*** concerning safe infection practices ~~[; providing a penalty;]~~ ***as a condition of the issuance or renewal of their licenses, registration or certificates;*** and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Legislative Counsel's Digest:

~~[Sections 4 and 7 of this bill require certain persons who are authorized to administer controlled substances or dangerous drugs to complete annually 2 hours of training relating to safe injection practices. Sections 4 and 7 exempt from the training requirements persons who administer controlled substances or dangerous drugs which are topical drugs or are not for use by a human being. Sections 4 and 7 also require the Health Division of the Department of Health and Human Services to approve or establish a training program which meets the requirements of those sections.]~~

~~Sections 1 3 and 7 21 of this bill require]~~ ***This bill requires the Health Division of the Department of Health and Human Services, certain district boards of health and certain boards that license*** ~~[and certain health care facilities that employ persons who are authorized to administer controlled substances or dangerous drugs to ensure completion of the annual training relating to safe injection practices. Additionally, sections 2, 3 and 10 20 require boards that license persons who are authorized to administer controlled substances or dangerous drugs to approve programs of training relating to safe injection practices and to~~

~~credit those hours of training toward the hours of continuing education required for renewal of professional licenses held by such persons.~~

~~Section 22 of this bill requires all persons who are required to complete the training relating to safe injection practices pursuant to sections 4 and 7 to complete the initial annual training on or before December 31, 2012.] , register or certify health care professionals to require, as a condition of issuing or renewing a license, registration or certificate, that the applicant for issuance or renewal of the license, registration or certificate must attest to knowledge of and compliance with the guidelines of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention concerning the prevention of transmission of infectious agents through safe and appropriate injection practices.~~

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, REPRESENTED IN
SENATE AND ASSEMBLY, DO ENACT AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Chapter 449 of NRS is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section to read as follows:

~~[A medical facility, facility for the dependent, facility for refractive surgery or] The Health Division shall not issue or renew a license for a home for individual residential care [shall ensure that each employee of the facility or home who is authorized to administer a controlled substance pursuant to NRS 452.375 or a dangerous drug pursuant to NRS 454.213 completes the training relating to practices for safe injections required by section 4 or 7 of this act, as applicable.] unless the applicant for issuance or renewal of the license attests to knowledge of and compliance with the guidelines of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention concerning the prevention of transmission of infectious agents through safe and appropriate injection practices.~~

Sec. 2. (Deleted by amendment.)

Sec. 3. (Deleted by amendment.)

Sec. 4. (Deleted by amendment.)

Sec. 5. (Deleted by amendment.)

Sec. 6. (Deleted by amendment.)

Sec. 7. (Deleted by amendment.)

Sec. 8. (Deleted by amendment.)

Sec. 9. (Deleted by amendment.)

Sec. 10. (Deleted by amendment.)

Sec. 11. (Deleted by amendment.)

Sec. 12. (Deleted by amendment.)

Sec. 13. (Deleted by amendment.)

Sec. 14. (Deleted by amendment.)

Sec. 15. (Deleted by amendment.)

Sec. 16. (Deleted by amendment.)

Sec. 17. (Deleted by amendment.)

Sec. 18. (Deleted by amendment.)

Sec. 19. (Deleted by amendment.)

Sec. 20. (Deleted by amendment.)

Sec. 21. (Deleted by amendment.)

Sec. 22. (Deleted by amendment.)

Sec. 23. (Deleted by amendment.)

Sec. 24. Chapter 450B of NRS is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section to read as follows:

The health authority shall not issue or renew:

1. A license to an attendant or firefighter; or

2. A certificate as an emergency medical technician, unless the applicant for issuance or renewal of the license or certificate attests to knowledge of and compliance with the guidelines of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention concerning the prevention of transmission of infectious agents through safe and appropriate injection practices.

Sec. 25. Chapter 630 of NRS is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section to read as follows:

1. The Board shall not issue or renew a license to practice as a physician, physician assistant or perfusionist unless the applicant for issuance or renewal of the license attests to knowledge of and compliance with the guidelines of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention concerning the prevention of transmission of infectious agents through safe and appropriate injection practices.

2. In addition to the attestation provided pursuant to subsection 1, a physician shall attest that any person:

(a) Who is under the control and supervision of the physician;

(b) Who is not licensed pursuant to this chapter; and

(c) Whose duties involve injection practices.

has knowledge of and is in compliance with the guidelines of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention concerning the prevention of transmission of infectious agents through safe and appropriate injection practices.

Sec. 26. Chapter 632 of NRS is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section to read as follows:

The Board shall not issue or renew a license to practice as a professional nurse or a practical nurse unless the applicant for issuance or renewal of the license attests to knowledge of and compliance with the guidelines of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention concerning the prevention of transmission of infectious agents through safe and appropriate injection practices.

Sec. 27. Chapter 633 of NRS is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section to read as follows:

The Board shall not issue or renew a license to practice osteopathic medicine or as a physician assistant unless the applicant for issuance or renewal of the license attests to knowledge of and compliance with the guidelines of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention concerning the prevention of transmission of infectious agents through safe and appropriate injection practices.

Sec. 28. Chapter 634A of NRS is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section to read as follows:

The Board shall not issue or renew a license to practice Oriental medicine unless the applicant for issuance or renewal of the license attests to knowledge of and compliance with the guidelines of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention concerning the prevention of transmission of infectious agents through safe and appropriate injection practices.

Sec. 29. Chapter 635 of NRS is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section to read as follows:

The Board shall not issue or renew a license to practice podiatry unless the applicant for issuance or renewal of the license attests to knowledge of and compliance with the guidelines of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention concerning the prevention of transmission of infectious agents through safe and appropriate injection practices.

Sec. 30. Chapter 639 of NRS is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section to read as follows:

The Board shall not approve an application for registration or renewal of registration as a pharmacist or intern pharmacist unless the applicant for

1 issuance or renewal of registration attests to knowledge of and compliance with
2 the guidelines of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention concerning the
3 prevention of transmission of infectious agents through safe and appropriate
4 injection practices.

5 Sec. 31. Chapter 652 of NRS is hereby amended by adding thereto a new
6 section to read as follows:

7 The Health Division shall not issue or renew a license to a medical laboratory
8 unless the applicant for issuance or renewal of the license attests that the
9 laboratory director and laboratory personnel have knowledge of and are in
10 compliance with the guidelines of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention
11 concerning the prevention of transmission of infectious agents through safe and
12 appropriate injection practices.