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SENATE BILL No. 166

February 15, 2017, Introduced by Senator SCHUITMAKER and referred to the Committee on Health Policy.

A bill to amend 1978 PA 368, entitled "Public health code,"

by amending section 7303a (MCL 333.7303a), as amended by 2016 PA 379.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- Sec. 7303a. (1) A prescriber who holds a controlled substances license may administer or dispense a controlled substance listed in schedules 2 to 5 without a separate controlled substances license for those activities.
 - (2) Before prescribing or dispensing a controlled substance to a patient, a licensed prescriber shall ask the patient about other controlled substances the patient may be using. The prescriber shall record the patient's response in the patient's medical or clinical record.

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- 1 (3) BEGINNING JANUARY 1, 2020, BEFORE PRESCRIBING OR
- 2 DISPENSING A CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE TO A PATIENT, A LICENSED
- 3 PRESCRIBER SHALL OBTAIN A REPORT CONCERNING THAT PATIENT FROM THE
- 4 DEPARTMENT'S ELECTRONIC SYSTEM FOR MONITORING SCHEDULE 2, 3, 4, OR
- 5 CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES ESTABLISHED UNDER SECTION 7333A. THIS
- 6 SUBSECTION DOES NOT APPLY IF THE DISPENSING OCCURS IN ANY OF THE
- 7 FOLLOWING:
- 8 (A) A HOSPICE, AS DEFINED IN SECTION 20106.
- 9 (B) AN ONCOLOGY DEPARTMENT OF A HOSPITAL THAT IS LICENSED
- 10 UNDER ARTICLE 17.
- 11 (4) (3)—A licensed prescriber who dispenses controlled
- 12 substances shall maintain all of the following records separately
- 13 from other prescription records:
- 14 (a) All invoices and other acquisition records for each
- 15 controlled substance acquired by the prescriber for not less than 5
- 16 years after the date the prescriber acquires the controlled
- 17 substance.
- 18 (b) A log of all controlled substances dispensed by the
- 19 prescriber for not less than 5 years after the date the controlled
- 20 substance is dispensed.
- 21 (c) Records of all other dispositions of controlled substances
- 22 under the licensee's control for not less than 5 years after the
- 23 date of the disposition.
- 24 (5) $\frac{4}{1}$ The requirement under section 7303 for a license is
- 25 waived in the following circumstances:
- 26 (a) When a controlled substance listed in schedules 2 to 5 is
- 27 administered on the order of a licensed prescriber by an individual

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- 1 who is licensed under article 15 as a practical nurse or a
- 2 registered professional nurse.
- 3 (b) When methadone or a methadone congener is dispensed on the
- 4 order of a licensed prescriber in a methadone treatment program
- 5 licensed under article 6 or when a controlled substance listed in
- 6 schedules 2 to 5 is dispensed on the order of a licensed prescriber
- 7 in a hospice rendering emergency care services in a patient's home
- 8 as described in section 17746 by a registered professional nurse
- 9 licensed under article 15.
- 10 Enacting section 1. This amendatory act does not take effect
- 11 unless Senate Bill No. 167
- of the 99th Legislature is enacted into law.

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