

## SENATE AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL 9

By COMMITTEE ON HEALTH CARE

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1 On page 1 of the printed bill, delete lines 6 through 30 and insert:

2 **“SECTION 2. (1) As used in this section:**

3 **“(a) ‘Insulin’ includes various types of insulin analogs and insulin-like medications, re-**  
4 **gardless of activation period or whether the solution is mixed before or after dispensation.**

5 **“(b) ‘Insulin-related devices and supplies’:**

6 **“(A) Includes needles, syringes, cartridge systems, prefilled pen systems, glucose meters**  
7 **and test strips.**

8 **“(B) Does not include insulin pump devices.**

9 **“(2)(a) A pharmacist may prescribe and dispense emergency refills of insulin and associ-**  
10 **ated insulin-related devices and supplies to a person who has evidence of a previous pre-**  
11 **scription from a licensed health care provider.**

12 **“(b) The insulin prescribed and dispensed under this section must be the lesser of a**  
13 **30-day supply or the smallest available package.**

14 **“(c) A person may be prescribed and receive not more than three emergency refills of**  
15 **insulin and associated insulin-related devices and supplies in a calendar year.**

16 **“(3) A pharmacist who prescribes and dispenses emergency refills of insulin and associ-**  
17 **ated insulin-related devices and supplies under this section shall:**

18 **“(a) Complete a training program approved by the State Board of Pharmacy that is re-**  
19 **lated to prescribing emergency refills of insulin and associated insulin-related devices and**  
20 **supplies;**

21 **“(b) Complete a patient assessment to determine whether the prescription of emergency**  
22 **refills of insulin and associated insulin-related devices and supplies is appropriate;**

23 **“(c) Document the patient visit and include notations regarding evidence of the patient’s**  
24 **previous prescription from the patient’s licensed health care provider, information relating**  
25 **to the patient’s diabetes management and other relevant information; and**

26 **“(d) Make a reasonable attempt to inform the person’s primary care provider, and the**  
27 **licensed health care provider who made the previous prescription, of the pharmacist’s pre-**  
28 **scription for emergency refills of insulin and associated insulin-related devices and supplies.**

29 **“(4) The board shall adopt rules to carry out this section. In approving the training**  
30 **program described in subsection (3)(a) of this section, the board shall consult with and ap-**  
31 **prove a training program accredited by the Accreditation Council for Pharmacy Education**  
32 **or its successor organization.**

33 **“SECTION 3. Section 2 of this 2019 Act is amended to read:**

34 **“Sec. 2. (1) As used in this section:**

35 **“(a) ‘Insulin’ includes various types of insulin analogs and insulin-like medications, regardless**

1 of activation period or whether the solution is mixed before or after dispensation.

2 “(b) ‘Insulin-related devices and supplies’:

3 “(A) Includes needles, syringes, cartridge systems, prefilled pen systems, glucose meters and test  
4 strips.

5 “(B) Does not include insulin pump devices.

6 “(2)(a) A pharmacist may prescribe and dispense emergency refills of insulin and associated  
7 insulin-related devices and supplies to a person who has evidence of a previous prescription from a  
8 licensed health care provider.

9 “(b) The insulin prescribed and dispensed under this section must be the lesser of a 30-day sup-  
10 ply or the smallest available package.

11 “(c) A person may be prescribed and receive not more than three emergency refills of insulin  
12 and associated insulin-related devices and supplies in a calendar year.

13 “(3) A pharmacist who prescribes and dispenses emergency refills of insulin and associated  
14 insulin-related devices and supplies under this section shall:

15 “[*(a) Complete a training program approved by the State Board of Pharmacy that is related to*  
16 *prescribing emergency refills of insulin and associated insulin-related devices and supplies;*]

17 “[*(b)*] **(a)** Complete a patient assessment to determine whether the prescription of emergency  
18 refills of insulin and associated insulin-related devices and supplies is appropriate;

19 “[*(c)*] **(b)** Document the patient visit and include notations regarding evidence of the patient’s  
20 previous prescription from the patient’s licensed health care provider, information relating to the  
21 patient’s diabetes management and other relevant information; and

22 “[*(d)*] **(c)** Make a reasonable attempt to inform the person’s primary care provider, and the li-  
23 censed health care provider who made the previous prescription, of the pharmacist’s prescription for  
24 emergency refills of insulin and associated insulin-related devices and supplies.

25 “(4) The board shall adopt rules to carry out this section. [*In approving the training program*  
26 *described in subsection (3)(a) of this section, the board shall consult with and approve a training pro-*  
27 *gram accredited by the Accreditation Council for Pharmacy Education or its successor*  
28 *organization.*].”

29 On page 2, delete lines 1 through 13.

30 On page 6, line 5, after “for” insert a colon and begin a new paragraph and insert “(a)”.

31 In line 7, delete the period and insert “; and

32 “(b) The service provided by the pharmacist.”.

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