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PRXCD2 Dangerous drugs distributor licensure

R.C. 4729.51, 4729.53, 4729.541, 4729.56

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(1) No provision.

(1) Provides expressly that the State Board of Pharmacy is authorized to refuse to grant a registration certificate to operate as a wholesale distributor of dangerous drugs.

(1) Same as the House.

(2) No provision.

(2) Requires a prescriber who does not practice as a business entity to hold a license as a terminal distributor of dangerous drugs as a condition of being authorized to possess and distribute, including personally furnish, either compounded drugs or drugs used for compounding or drugs containing buprenorphine used for treating drug dependence or addiction.

(2) Same as the House.

Fiscal effect: Potential increase in annual licensing revenues if additional prescribers are required to hold a license as a terminal distributor of dangerous drugs. These licenses range in cost from \$45 to \$150.

Fiscal effect: Same as the House.

PRXCD1 Information provided to managed care pharmacy directors from the OARRS database

R.C. 4729.80

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No provision.

Requires the State Board of Pharmacy, on receipt of request from a pharmacy director of a managed care organization that has entered into a contract with the Department of Medicaid and meets specified criteria, to provide certain information from the Ohio Automated Rx Reporting System (OARRS) (current law only requires the Board to provide such information on receipt of a request from the medical director of a managed care organization).

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Fiscal effect: None.

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PRXCD3 Availability of information from OARRS

R.C. 4729.80, 4729.86

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(1) No provision.

(1) Authorizes the State Board of Pharmacy to provide information from the Ohio Automated Rx Reporting System (OARRS) to the Director of Health for duties related to the existing Ohio Violent Death Reporting System.

(1) Same as the House.

(2) No provision.

(2) Repeals a provision in current law under which a prescriber or pharmacist who provides OARRS information to a patient or the patient's personal representative is not subject to the existing prohibition against disseminating OARRS information that otherwise applies.

(2) Same as the House.

Fiscal effect: Negligible.

Fiscal effect: Same as the House.

PRXCD4 Retention of information in OARRS

No provision.

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R.C. 4729.82, 4729.84

Increases, from two years to three years, the amount of time that information collected in the Ohio Automated Rx Reporting System (OARRS) is to be retained.

Fiscal effect: Uncertain.