

Executive

As Passed by the House

As Passed by the Senate

As Enacted

NURCD1 Executive Director**R.C. 4723.05**

Eliminates, beginning on January 21, 2018, the requirement that the executive director of the Board of Nursing be a Registered Nurse (RN) with at least five years experience in the practice of nursing as an RN.

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NURCD4 Nursing education programs for Air Force LPNs

No provision.

No provision.

R.C. 4723.09

Provides that graduation, from either an education program that is approved by the U.S. Air Force as the Community College of the Air Force associate degree or the Allied Health Program for graduates prior to 2016, satisfies the pre-licensure education requirements for licensed practical nurses.

R.C. 4723.09

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NURCD3 Nurse Practice Act Exemption for out-of-state volunteers

No provision.

No provision.

R.C. 4723.32

Adds nurses who are authorized to practice in other states and who volunteer at free-of-charge therapeutic camps located in Ohio and accredited by the SeriousFun Network to the law exempting the activities of specified individuals from the Nurse Practice Act.

R.C. 4723.32

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DASCD35 Staggered renewal process for electronic licensing

No provision.	<p>R.C. 4745.05, 4745.01</p> <p>Requires occupational licensing agencies that use the electronic licensing system operated by DAS to adopt rules incorporating into the agency's licensing process (1) a minimum license duration of 2 years, and (2) a staggered renewal schedule so that an approximately equal number licenses are subject to renewal during each year of the duration of a particular license.</p>	No provision.	No provision.
No provision.	<p>Allows a licensing agency, after a reasonable period of time, to opt out of the above requirements if conformance did not establish a more uniform funding stream for the agency and has had an adverse effect on both the agency staff and the community regulated by the agency.</p> <p>Fiscal effect: Although requiring staggered renewal periods would alter the timing of license revenue receipts, overall revenue for occupational licensing and regulatory boards should not be affected. There may, however, be some administrative costs for converting to a two-year renewal process.</p>	No provision.	No provision.

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MEDCD12 Medication-assisted treatment - standards for prescribers

	R.C. 3715.08, 4730.40, 4730.55, 4730.56, 4731.056, 4731.83, 4723.50-4732.52	R.C. 3715.08, 4730.40, 4730.55, 4730.56, 4731.056, 4731.83, 4723.50-4732.52	R.C. 3715.08, 4730.40, 4730.55, 4730.56, 4731.056, 4731.83, 4723.50-4732.52
No provision.	Requires a prescriber to give a patient for whom medication-assisted treatment (MAT) for drug addiction is clinically appropriate information about all drugs approved by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA) for use in MAT.	Same as the House.	Same as the House.
No provision.	Imposes referral requirements on prescribers when a patient chooses to be treated with, and meets clinical criteria for, treatment with methadone or a controlled substance containing buprenorphine and the prescriber does not meet federal requirements to prescribe those drugs.	Same as the House.	Same as the House.
No provision.	Requires the Medical and Nursing Boards to adopt rules establishing procedures to be followed by Board-regulated prescribers in the use of all FDA-approved drugs used in MAT. Requires that the rules be consistent for all prescribers.	Same as the House.	Same as the House.
No provision.	Limits to 30 the number of patients that a prescriber who fails to comply with these provisions may treat at any one time with MAT, regardless of where the prescriber practices.	Same as the House.	Same as the House.

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Fiscal effect: Increase in administrative costs for the Medical and Nursing Boards.

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MHACD27 Medication-assisted treatment - standards for prescribers

No provision.

R.C. 5119.363

Authorizes ODMHAS to determine an advanced practice registered nurse's, physician assistant's, or physician's compliance with medication-assisted treatment provisions if such a practitioner works for a community addiction services provider.

Fiscal effect: Potential minimal increase in administrative costs.

No provision.

R.C. 5119.363

Same as the House.

Fiscal effect: Same as the House.