

Bill Summary
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Bill Analysis

SB 232 defines “minor, nonchronic health condition” as it relates to the Oklahoma Pharmacy Act. The measure expands the definition of the "practice of pharmacy" to include ordering, performing, and interpreting tests for minor, nonchronic health conditions and initiating drug therapy for minor, nonchronic health conditions as well as the dispensing of self-administered hormonal contraceptives. Additionally, the measure requires licensed pharmacies to maintain a technician-to-pharmacist ratio of 4:1.

House Amendments

HA’s to SB 232 adds language expanding the practice of pharmacy to include ordering, performing, and interpreting tests for minor, nonchronic health conditions and initiating drug therapy for minor, nonchronic health conditions as well as the dispensing of self-administered hormonal contraceptives. The measure also lowers the technician-to-pharmacist ration from 5:1 to 4:1 as compared to engrossed language.

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