

Requested by Senator COURTNEY

**PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO
SENATE BILL 9**

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-**
4 **like medications, regardless of activation period or whether the sol-**
5 **ution is mixed before or after dispensation.**

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

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

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

10 **“(2)(a) A pharmacist may prescribe and dispense emergency refills**
11 **of insulin and associated insulin-related devices and supplies to a per-**
12 **son who has evidence of a previous prescription from a licensed health**
13 **care provider.**

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

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

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

1 “(a) Complete a training program approved by the State Board of
2 Pharmacy that is related to prescribing emergency refills of insulin
3 and associated insulin-related devices and supplies;

4 “(b) Complete a patient assessment to determine whether the pre-
5 scription of emergency refills of insulin and associated insulin-related
6 devices and supplies is appropriate;

7 “(c) Document the patient visit and include notations regarding
8 evidence of the patient’s previous prescription from the patient’s li-
9 censed health care provider, information relating to the patient’s
10 diabetes management and other relevant information; and

11 “(d) Make a reasonable attempt to inform the person’s primary care
12 provider, and the licensed health care provider who made the previous
13 prescription, of the pharmacist’s prescription for emergency refills of
14 insulin and associated insulin-related devices and supplies.

15 “(4) The board shall adopt rules to carry out this section. In ap-
16 proving the training program described in subsection (3)(a) of this
17 section, the board shall consult with and approve a training program
18 accredited by the Accreditation Council for Pharmacy Education or its
19 successor organization.

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

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

22 “(a) ‘Insulin’ includes various types of insulin analogs and insulin-like
23 medications, regardless of activation period or whether the solution is mixed
24 before or after dispensation.

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

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

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

29 “(2)(a) A pharmacist may prescribe and dispense emergency refills of
30 insulin and associated insulin-related devices and supplies to a person who

1 has evidence of a previous prescription from a licensed health care provider.

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

4 “(c) A person may be prescribed and receive not more than three emer-
5 gency refills of insulin and associated insulin-related devices and supplies in
6 a calendar year.

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

10 “[a] *Complete a training program approved by the State Board of Phar-*
11 *macy that is related to prescribing emergency refills of insulin and associated*
12 *insulin-related devices and supplies;*]

13 “[b] (a) Complete a patient assessment to determine whether the pre-
14 scription of emergency refills of insulin and associated insulin-related de-
15 vices and supplies is appropriate;

16 “[c] (b) Document the patient visit and include notations regarding ev-
17 idence of the patient’s previous prescription from the patient’s licensed
18 health care provider, information relating to the patient’s diabetes manage-
19 ment and other relevant information; and

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

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

28 On page 2, delete lines 1 through 13.

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

1 In line 7, delete the period and insert “; and
2 “(b) The service provided by the pharmacist.”.
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