

**PRESENTATION OF THE
BOARD OF NURSING**

TO THE HOUSE COMMITTEE ON
CONSUMER PROTECTION AND COMMERCE

TWENTY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE
Regular Session of 2012

Monday, April 2, 2012
2:00 p.m.

TESTIMONY ON SENATE BILL NO. 2103, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, RELATING TO HEALTH.

TO THE HONORABLE ROBERT N. HERKES, CHAIR,
AND MEMBERS OF THE COMMITTEE:

My name is Lee Ann Teshima, Executive Officer for the Board of Nursing ("Board"). I appreciate the opportunity to testify on Senate Bill No. 2103, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, Relating to Health. The Board has **no objections** to the proposed amendments to the definitions of "the practice of nursing as a licensed practical nurse" and "the practice of nursing as a registered nurse" that would allow both a licensed practical nurse and a registered nurse, to carry out the prescribed medical orders of a physician, delivered through a physician assistant who is acting as an agent of the supervising physician.

In current practice, licensed practical nurses may "function" as part of a health care team, under the direction of a dentist, physician, osteopathic physician, registered nurse, osteopath, or podiatrist licensed in accordance with chapter 448, 453, 457, 460, or 463E. Registered nurses, using reasonable judgment, are able to carry out the prescribed medical orders of a physician, delivered through a physician assistant who is acting as an agent of the supervising physician.

Consequently, although current practice allows the licensed practical nurse and registered nurse to carry out the prescribed medical orders of a physician through a

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physician assistant who is acting as an agent of the supervising physician, the Board does recognize that the proposed amendment would clarify this practice and therefore has no objections.

Thank you for the opportunity to testify on Senate Bill No. 2103, S.D. 2, H.D. 1.



Hawai'i State Center for Nursing

Written Testimony Presented Before the
House Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce
April 2, 2012, 2:00 p.m.

by

Gail P. Tiwanak, RN, MBA
Executive Director
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SB 2103, SD2, HD1 RELATING TO HEALTH

Chair Herkes, Vice Chair Yamane, and members of the House Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce, thank you for this opportunity to provide testimony in support of this bill, SB 2103, SD2, HD1. This measure amends the definition of "the practice of nursing as a registered nurse" in Section 457-2, Hawai'i Revised Statutes by adding the requirement that practical and registered nurses carry out the orders of a physician that are delivered through a physician assistant acting as an agent of the supervising physician.

The Hawaii State Center for Nursing supports this provision as it clarifies that the physician assistant acts as the physician's conduit who conveys the physician's orders to the registered nurse and that at no time is the physician assistant acting independently.

For these reasons we support this bill. Thank you for the opportunity to testify.

Testimony for SB2103 on 4/2/2012 2:00:00 PM

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Comments:

Corrected for typo in previous submission

Rep. Robert N. Herkes, Chair, Rep. Ryan I. Yamane, Vice Chair and members of the House Consumer Protection Committee, thank you for this opportunity to testify in support of SB2103, ONLY if it includes the following amendment to Section 2: Delete section 2 in its entirety as it is currently written and substitute the following:

Section 2

§453-5.5 Physician assistant: authority to sign documents, is amended by adding:

(10) Medical Orders for nursing care for which the nurse may apply reasonable judgment in carrying out such orders

The rationale for this amendment is that the Physician Assistants have their own limited practice act in HRS453-5.3 through 5.5, as extensions of the supervising physician. Their authority is necessarily laid out therein. We find it inappropriate to insert their authority into the Nurse Practice Act, HRS457, especially since LPNs and RNs currently and consistently carry out their orders, exclusive of an isolated incident which could have been resolved by hospital policy rather than state statute. We are confident that our proposed amendment will solve the employer issue.

We support the proposed Section 3, as submitted by Dean Mary Boland of the UHSONDH.

We thank you for your consideration of this rational change to SB2103, and urge you to pass this bill with our proposed amendment.

Thank you for all your support of patients' access to quality, cost-effective care and nursing's endeavors to supply that care to all.

Warmest Aloha,

Wailua Brandman APRN-Rx BC FAANP

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TO: COMMITTEE ON CONSUMER PROTECTION & COMMERCE

Rep. Robert N. Herkes, Chair

Rep. Ryan I. Yamane, Vice Chair

DATE: Monday, April 2, 2012

TIME: 2:00 pm

PLACE: Conference Room 325

From: Hawaii Medical Association

Dr. Roger Kimura, MD, President

Linda Rasmussen, MD, Legislative Co-Chair

Dr. Joseph Zobian, MD, Legislative Co-Chair

Dr. Christopher Flanders, DO, Executive Director

Lauren Zirbel, Community and Government Relations

Re: SB 2103 RELATING TO HEALTH.

In Support

Chairs & Committee Members:

Hawaii Medical Association supports this measure.

This bill serves only to clarify that nurses can execute orders written by physician assistants acting within their scope of practice, as agents of their supervising physicians as per section 168544.5, Hawaii Administrative Rules, "[a] physician assistant may perform those duties and responsibilities delegated by the physician assistant's supervising physician.

It does not increase or expand current existing physician assistant scope of practice.

Furthermore, under section §16-85-49.1 Scope of practice.

(a) A physician assistant shall be considered the agents of the physician assistant's supervising physician in the performance of all practice-related activities as established in writing by the employer.

(b) Medical services rendered by the physician assistants may include, but are not limited to:

- (1) Obtaining patient histories and performing physical examinations;
- (2) Ordering, interpreting, or performing diagnostic and therapeutic procedures...

Because the historical process of licensing and regulating the scopes of practice of physician assistants and of registered nurses has developed independently for the two health care disciplines, the relevant regulatory language pertaining to their respective

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responsibilities with regard to each is unclear, specifically with regard to nurses administering orders given by physician assistants and has led to a lack of clarity between hospital administrators and nurses when physician assistants write or give verbal orders in the hospital setting. □

The Board of Nursing, in its Minutes of Meeting, dated November 7, 2003, at pages 5-6, addressed the issue of "Nurses Taking Orders from Physician Assistants (§457-2, HRS) (§16-85-49.1(b)(2), HAR)." The meeting minutes reflect the Board of Nursing's conclusion: "The Board agrees that the law allows a PA, as an agent of the supervising physician, to order procedures which presumably a registered nurse should be able to take and fulfill."

The amendment to Chapter 457-2, Hawaii Revised Statutes simply amends the statute to indicate what the nursing board has already opined, that nurses can execute orders given by physician assistants acting as agents of their supervising physician... *or utilization of reasonable judgment in carrying out prescribed medical orders of a licensed dentist, medical doctor, osteopath, or podiatrist licensed in accordance with chapter 448, 453, 460, or 463E or the orders of an advanced practice registered nurse recognized in accordance with this chapter or a physician assistant licensed in accordance with chapter 453 and practicing with physician supervision as required by chapter 453.*

Alleviating any confusion on this issue will allow for improved and expedited health care delivery in the hospital setting and will further serve to indemnify nurses who execute orders written by physician assistants acting as agents of their supervising physicians.

Thank you for this opportunity to testify.

Hawaii Academy of Physician Assistants (HAPA)

RE: SB 2103 SD2 HD1

Committee for Consumer Protection and Commerce
Monday, 4/2/2012 2:00 PM Conference Room 325

Representative Robert N. Herkes – Chair
Representative Ryan I. Yamane – Vice Chair

Honorable Chairpersons and Members of the Committee:

The Hawaii Academy of Physician Assistants strongly supports passage of SB2103 SD2 HD1.

The amended language accurately reflects the rules regarding physician assistant practice.

This bill will clarify what the nursing board has stated in opinion: The Board of Nursing, in its Minutes of Meeting, dated November 7, 2003, at pages 5-6, addressed the issue of “Nurses Taking Orders from Physician Assistants (§457-2, HRS) (§16-85-49.1(b)(2), HAR).” The meeting minutes reflect the Board of Nursing’s conclusion: “The Board agrees that the law allows a PA, as an agent of the supervising physician, to order procedures which presumably a registered nurse should be able to take and fulfill.”

The following rules from HAR chapter 85 support that PAs are licensed to practice medicine with physician supervision and that they can order diagnostic and therapeutic procedures and write orders for medications. Physicians preauthorize PAs to perform practice specific duties in writing which are kept in the PA practice agreement or hospital credentials. PAs are ordering diagnostic or therapeutic procedures and/or medications as per the preauthorized practice agreement within their scope of practice.

As per HAR Chapter 85, §16-85-44.5 Definition. "Physician assistant" means an individual who has been certified by the board to practice medicine with physician supervision.

§16-85-49.1 Scope of practice. (a) A physician assistant shall be considered the agents of the physician assistant’s supervising physician in the performance of all practice-related activities as established in writing by the employer.

(b) Medical services rendered by the physician assistants may include, but are not limited to:

(1) Obtaining patient histories and performing physical examinations;

(2) Ordering, interpreting, or performing diagnostic and therapeutic procedures; ...

§16-85-49 (8) (D) A physician assistant employed or extended privileges by a hospital or extended care facility may, if allowed under the bylaws, rules, and regulations of the hospital or extended care facility, write orders for medications Schedule II through V, for inpatients under the care of the supervising physician;

It should be noted that Section 457-2, Hawaii Revised Statutes was amended in 2009 to include APRNs in the definition of providers that registered nurses could carry out prescribed medical orders from. Physician assistants are the only licensed providers authorized to write orders that are not currently listed in the statute. This amendment will clarify what the nursing board has stated in opinion, “that the law allows a PA, as an agent of the supervising physician, to order procedures which presumably a registered nurse should be able to take and fulfill.”

With regard to the proposed amendment as suggested by the Hawaii State Center for Nursing, HAPA has no objection to the addition of their proposed amendments.

We thank the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce for hearing the bill respectfully request that you pass SB2103 SD2 HD1.

Fielding Mercer, PA-C
President
Hawaii Academy of Physician Assistants

SAMPLE PRACTICE AGREEMENT



KAISER PERMANENTE

**KAISER FOUNDATION HOSPITAL, KAISER PERMANENTE HAWAII REGION
DEPARTMENT OF GENERAL SURGERY
REQUEST FOR PRIVILEGES AS A PHYSICIAN ASSISTANT**

Applicant Name: _____

REQUIREMENTS

BASIC EDUCATION:

Graduation from a board approved school or training program for physician assistants (§ 16-85-45 Education. All physician assistant educational programs approved and accredited by the American Medical Association's Committee on Allied Health Education and Accreditations, or its successor agency shall be approved by the board of medical examiners. {Eff 6/30/81; comp 7/27/87; comp 10/28/89; comp 8/25/90; am and comp 12/22/97} (Auth: HRS §§453-5.1, 453-5/3) (Imp: HRS §453-5.3) 85-17.

MINIMUM FORMAL TRAINING:

- Evidence of graduation from a board approved school or training program;
- AND Evidence of passage of the national certification examination developed by the National Commission on Certification of Physician's Assistants (NCCPA);
- AND Evidence of current NCCPA certification (HAR §16-85-46)

LICENSURE/RECOGNITION:

Hawaii State certificate to practice as a physician assistant or Hawaii State temporary certificate to practice as a physician assistant if "graduated from a board approved training program within twelve months of the date of application and never taken a national certifying examination approved by the board." (HRS §453-5.3) (Note: HRS §453-5.3 uses the term "license" in place of "certificate.") (HAR §16-85-46).

SCOPE OF SERVICES:

The physician assistant performs under appropriate supervision those duties and functions specifically delegated by a physician or group of physicians who meet the requirements set forth in HAR §16-85-49. A physician assistant shall be considered the agents of the physician assistant's supervising physician in the performance of all practice-related activities as established in writing by the employer. (HAR §16-85-49.1).

CORE PRIVILEGES FORMAT:

This delineation of privileges represents those most commonly performed within the specialty area and the scope of services provided. The privileges are described in the core privilege (or bundling) format, which, by necessity, is not a detailed list. Each bundle denotes a level of clinical expertise as based on evidence of documented education, training and experience. It is assumed that other medical illnesses and problems may require management within the Practitioner's scope of care and commensurate with the qualifications of a Practitioner's licensure. Procedures outside the scope of those listed for this department must be granted on an individual basis through the appropriate department(s) of this facility, upon recommendation of the Chief of the Department of General Surgery.

PROCTORING REQUIREMENTS:

Successful completion of Kaiser orientation period including end of orientation performance evaluation. Proctoring to be in compliance with regional procedure for "Proctoring of Professional Staff", procedure number 6226-02-D-9 as amended 3/5/02.

REAPPOINTMENT REQUIREMENTS:

The following is included merely as a guide. It is up to the individual departments to determine the criteria for its PA's:

- Based upon the current appointment period, the Chief of the Department of General Surgery will indicate, by checking or initialing (e.g.: in a column for competency) each of the corresponding privilege(s) being requested, thus indicating the PA is adequately competent to perform that privilege requested.
- For staff members who do not meet the minimum patient requirement, documentation of the continuing use of clinical privileges held or requested must be submitted at time of reappointment.

ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS:**For Basic Procedures and Advanced Procedures**

- If the privilege requested is a newly acquired skill, the PA will provide a verbal review of the procedure to the proctor. Verbal review will be followed by a single observation of the PA performing the skill under the supervision of the proctor.
- If the procedure is currently a part of the PA's practice within the Kaiser system, and there have been no quality problems/complications resulting from the PA's performance of the procedure, the above criteria are waived and approval will be granted for that privilege.
- When the procedure is currently a part of the PA's practice outside the Kaiser system, one observation of the PA performing the skill under the supervision of the proctor will be sufficient to determine competence if the following are met:
 - The PA has provided Kaiser with evidence of formal training (e.g. documentation of included content in academic or continuing education program) or of on-the-job training;
 - No adverse quality issues pertaining to the procedure have surfaced from outside healthcare affiliations during the credentialing and privileging process.

REQUIREMENTS FOR PRESCRIPTIVE AUTHORITY:

IN ADDITION TO MINIMUM FORMAL TRAINING, Physician Assistants may prescribe all legend medications, including controlled medications in Schedule III through V for dispensing from an outpatient pharmacy, including medications for discharge from the hospital. Physician assistants may write orders for controlled medications in Schedule II through V for patients in the hospital who are under the care of his/her supervising physician. A physician assistant who has been delegated the authority to prescribe and/or order controlled medications in Schedule II through V shall register with the Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA) and the State of Hawaii Narcotics Enforcement Division. All Physician Assistants granted prescriptive authority shall complete medication use orientation and education within 90 days of the grant (Policy # 65-61-2.34).

INSTRUCTIONS: Check (✓) the appropriate box for each privilege requested.

Request Location		Part A: Diagnosis and Management (Cognitive) Privileges	To be determined by Chief				
AMB	KFH		Yes		Yes with Proctoring	No	
			AMB	KFH		AMB	KFH
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<p>Medical services rendered by the physician assistants may include, but are not limited to:</p> <p>Privileges to admit; evaluate; diagnose; consult; provide pre-, intra-, and postoperative surgical care; and perform surgical procedures for patients of all ages-except where specifically excluded from practice; to correct or treat various conditions, illnesses, and injuries of the alimentary tract, abdomen and its contents, breast, skin, soft tissue, head and neck, endocrine system, and minor extremity surgery. Privileges include, but are not limited to, insertion and management of arterial catheters, chest tubes, central venous catheters. Also lumbar puncture, tracheostomy, paracentesis, thoracocentesis, management of trauma, and complete care of critically ill patients with underlying surgical conditions in the emergency department and intensive care unit, including initial assessment, initiating and performing CPR and administering CPR resuscitation drugs, steroids, etc.</p> <p>Additional privileges include but are not limited to the following:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (1) Ordering, interpreting, or performing diagnostic and therapeutic procedures; (2) Offering counseling and education to meet patient needs; and (3) Making appropriate referrals (HAR §16-85-49.1) including initiating consultation with medical or surgical specialties and paramedical services (4) Recognize and evaluate situations which call for the immediate attention of a physician and institute, when necessary, treatment and procedures essential for the life of the patient. (5) Assisting at surgery in open and laparoscopic operations (6) Perform rounds (7) Write, transmit, or dictate progress notes, orders, and discharge summaries. 	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Request Location		Part B: SPECIAL PROCEDURES	To be determined by Chief				
AMB	KFH		Yes		Yes with Proctoring	No	
			AMB	KFH		AMB	KFH
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Perform surgical consultations and report findings to surgical staff	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Provide routine follow-up care for surgical inpatients and outpatients	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Supervise transport of patients who are critically ill or who have cardiovascular instability	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Wound care, including but not limited to dressing application, changes and/or removal, wound aspiration, incision and drainage, and wound debridement	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Removal of wound drains	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Administer intrapleural medication(s)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Order and administer SubQ, ID, IM and IV medication, as directed by attending physician	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Perform venipuncture	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Place Foley catheter	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Place NG or other enteral feeding tube	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Order and transfuse blood	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	First Assistant to the surgeon for major general surgical procedures (requiring use of standard general surgical experience), or other technically difficult procedures and other assistance as directed by the surgeon	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Common general surgery in office procedures (i.e. anoscopy, aspiration of cysts, core biopsy of nodules, excision of thrombosed hemorrhoid, hemorrhoid banding, foreign body removal) and any other procedures as delegated by the supervising physician	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Request Location		Part B: SPECIAL PROCEDURES (Continued)	To be determined by Chief				
AMB	KFH		Yes		Yes with	No	
			AMB	KFH	Proctoring	AMB	KFH
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Independent use of Ambulatory Surgery Room for general surgery procedures as delineated by the supervising physician	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Open and close surgical incisions and other assistance as requested by the surgeon.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Excise and send specimens for pathology	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Coordinate diagnostic work-ups, procedures, and discharge planning of inpatients and general surgical patients on other services requiring surgical follow-up.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Revision(s)/Modifications to Part B:							
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Requested		Part C: PRESCRIPTIVE AUTHORITY	To be determined by Chief		
YES	NO		Yes	Yes with	No
				Proctoring	
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	PRESCRIPTIVE AUTHORITY: To prescribe, dispense, and administer medications and medical devices to the extent delegated by the supervising physician, in compliance with appropriate federal and state regulations, and subject to the following requirements: Prescribing and dispensing of medications may include Schedule III through V and all legend medications. (HAR 16-85-49)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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By signing below, I acknowledge that I have read and understand the requirements for the privileges I have requested.

Signature of Applicant

Date

I hereby certify that I have reviewed each of the privileges requested and that they are supported by verified documentation of education, training, experience or other factors related to current competence and the applicant's ability to exercise the privileges requested.

Signature of Department Chief

Date

Signature of Supervising Physician

Date

Signature of Supervising Physician

Date

Signature of Director of Pharmaceutical Services

Date

As requested

As modified

Comments/Recommendations: _____

APPROVALS:

Approved

Credentials and Privileges Committee

Date

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Board of Directors

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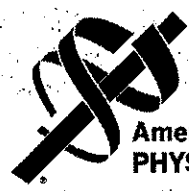
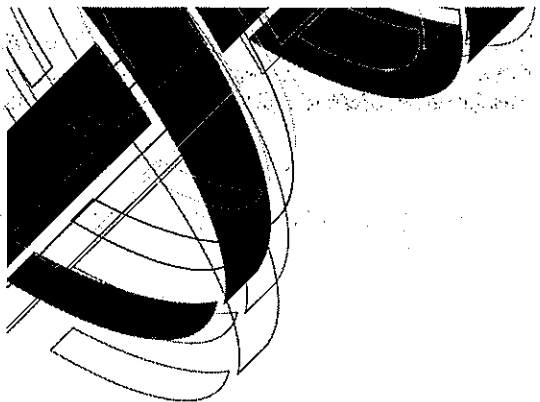
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RE: SB 2103 SD2 HD1

Committee for Consumer Protection and Commerce
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Representative Robert N. Herkes – Chair
Representative Ryan I. Yamane – Vice Chair

Dear Chairman Herkes and Members of the Committee:

The American Academy of Physician Assistants is the national professional society for physician assistants. In this capacity the Academy represents over 83,000 physician assistants in the United States.

The Academy would like to express our strong support for SB 2103 SD2 HD1. This important bill clarifies that it is legal for a nurse to implement an order written by a PA who is functioning as an agent of a supervising physician.

Nurses, physicians and PAs work together as colleagues to provide care for patients. Clarity in the law is required to assure that timely, safe and effective care can be provided to the patients of Hawaii. This legislation has wide support among PAs, nurses and doctors.

We respectfully request that you pass SB 201 SD2 HD1.

Thank you for considering this testimony.

Sincerely,

Ann Davis, PA-C
Senior Director of Advocacy and Outreach

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We support the proposed Section 3, as submitted by Dean Mary Boland of the UHSONDH. Deleting: "leading to a master's degree as a certified registered nurse anesthetist, a nurse midwife, a clinical nurse specialist, or a nurse practitioner". Adding: "preparing the nurse for one of the four recognized APRN roles"

We thank you for your consideration of this rational change to SB2103, SD2, HD1 and urge you to pass this bill with proposed amendment. Mahalo in advance for your thoughtful consideration of these issues and I ask your support to move this legislation forward.

O au me ka ha`a ha`a (I am humbly yours),

Dr. Lenora Lorenzo

DNP, APRN-RX, BC-FNP/GNP/ADM, CDE

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House Committee on Consumer Protection (CPN)
The Honorable Representative R. Herkes, Chairperson
The Honorable Representative R. Yamane, Co-Chair
Honorable Committee members;

March 30, 2012

In support of SB-2103, SD-2, Relating to Health, Nursing and Physician Assistants.
With Clarification provided by Sen. Green in SSCR #2257:

The Puna Community Medical Center located in the Pāhoa Village Marketplace, Pāhoa, Hawaii, stands in strong support of the passage of this bill. Hawaii's hospital based health services would benefit from the utilization of PAs, and this bill would enable a good working relationship between physicians, PAs and the nursing team in providing in-patient care in Hawaii's hospitals. Teams like this function well in hospitals throughout the United States; there is no reason why those teams could not function just as well in Hawai'i.

Of the more that 81,000 actively practicing PAs nationally, more that half have hospital privileges. All of these PAs work in teams with nurses and physicians; it is time to bring this advantage in health service delivery to Hawaii.

Physicians in hospital practice utilize PAs in every realm; including in-patient medical and surgical services, the surgical theater, the Emergency Departments, out patient specialty clinics, and in long term care. It is essential that the relationship with their nursing colleagues is clear and teamwork be given the highest priority. We believe SB-2103, as amended, will help create these healthy relationships in the service of the people of Hawai'i. We urge you to pass this bill.

Thank you for this opportunity to provide supportive testimony in this important matter.

Sincerely,

Dan Domizio PA, MPH
Clinical Programs Director
PCMC
808-930-6001

RE: SB 2103 SD2 HD1
Committee for Consumer Protection and Commerce
Monday, 4/2/2012 2:00 PM Conference Room 325

Representative Robert N. Herkes – Chair
Representative Ryan I. Yamane – Vice Chair

Honorable Chairpersons and members of the committee:

I am writing in support of SB 2103 SD2 HD1.

SB 2103 SD2 HD1 clarifies that it is legal for a nurse to act on an order written by a PA functioning as an agent of a physician.

This bill has wide support from physician, PA and nurse organizations and clarifies the relationship with LPNs and RNs but does not expand the PA's scope of practice.

Nurses and PAs work as colleagues to care for patients. Clarity in the law is required to assure that timely, safe and effective care can be provided to the patients of Hawaii.

I respectfully request that you pass SB 2103 SD2 HD1.

Sincerely,

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Conference room: 325

Testifier position: Support

Testifier will be present: No

Submitted by: Frank Izuta, M.D.

Organization: Individual

E-mail: fizuta@netscape.net

Submitted on: 3/30/2012

Comments:

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Frank Izuta, M.D

First Medical at Kapolei

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Testifier will be present: No
Submitted by: D. Scott McCaffrey, M.D.
Organization: Individual
E-mail: workstar@pixi.com
Submitted on: 3/31/2012

Comments:

D. Scott McCaffrey, M.D.
RE: SB 2103 SD2 HD1

Committee for Consumer Protection and Commerce
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Representative Robert N. Herkes - Chair
Representative Ryan I. Yamane - Vice Chair

Dear Chairman Herkes and Members of the Committee:

I am writing in strong support to this bill which will clarify the "chain of command" in patient care so important to insure seamless treatment of the patients that doctors, nurses, APRNs, and physician assistants serve.

PA's have become an integral part of the healthcare workforce and are considered colleagues and peers in a number of ways. This law will insure that we all act as a coordinated team without undue delay in clinical decision making.

Mahalo and please contact me at 808-676-5331 if you have any questions regarding this important measure.

Sincerely,

D. Scott McCaffrey, MD
Medical Director
Workstar Injury Recovery Center

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Testifier position: Support
Testifier will be present: No
Submitted by: Sharon Vitousek
Organization: Individual
E-mail: vitousek@nhop.org
Submitted on: 3/30/2012

Comments:

I strongly support SB2103 because it help to preserve access to healthcare and potentially improve access, by clarifying that it is legal for a nurse to act on an order written by a PA functioning as an agent of a physician. This bill has wide support from physician, PA and nurse organizations. Nurses and PAs work as colleagues to care for patients. Increasing clarity in the law will help to assure that timely, safe and effective care can be provided to the patients of Hawaii. Since there is such a big health provider shortage on Hawaii Island, we are especially interested in seeing this bill enacted.

Sincerely,
Sharon Vitousek MD

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Testifier will be present: No

Submitted by: David Jones, MD

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Submitted on: 3/30/2012

Comments:

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Testifier position: Support

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Submitted by: Christine Pratt PA-C, MPAS

Organization: Individual

E-mail: physicianassistant@hawaii.rr.com

Submitted on: 3/30/2012

Comments:

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Nurses and PAs work as colleagues to care for patients. Clarity in the law is required to assure that timely, safe and effective care can be provided to the patients of Hawaii.

I respectfully request that you pass SB 2103 SD2 HD1.

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Testifier position: Support

Testifier will be present: No

Submitted by: David H Messer III, PA-C

Organization: Individual

E-mail: Dmessiii@aol.com

Submitted on: 3/31/2012

Comments:

As you know, SB 2103 SD2 HD1 clarifies that it is legal for a nurse to act on an order written by a PA functioning as an agent of a physician. This bill has wide support from physician, PA and nurse organizations.

Nurses and PAs work as colleagues to care for patients. Clarity in the law is required to assure that timely, safe and effective care can be provided to the patients of Hawaii.

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Conference room: 325

Testifier position: Support

Testifier will be present: No

Submitted by: Dorothy Toni Maurice

Organization: Individual

E-mail: 808dorothy@gmail.com

Submitted on: 3/30/2012

Comments:

I am a physician assistant working at Kaiser. I work closely with nurses and SB 2103 SD2 HD1 will clarify in statute what the Board of Nursing has already stated: That nurses can execute orders from licensed physician assistants practicing with physician supervision.

I respectfully ask you to pass this bill.

Dorothy Toni, PA-C

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to act on an order written by a PA functioning as an
agent of a physician.

This bill has wide support from physician, PA and
nurse organizations and clarifies the relationship with
LPNs and RNs but does not expand the PA's scope
of practice.

Nurses and PAs work as colleagues to care for
patients. Clarity in the law is required to assure that
timely, safe and effective care can be provided to the
patients of Hawaii.

I respectfully request that you pass SB 2103 SD2
HD1.

Sincerely,

Patty M. Inouye RN

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Testifier position: Support
Testifier will be present: No
Submitted by: Carrie Tilley
Organization: Individual
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Submitted on: 3/31/2012

Comments:

RE: SB 2103 SD2 HD1
Committee for Consumer Protection and Commerce
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Honorable Chair persons and members of the committee:

I am writing in support of SB 2103 SD2 HD1.
SB 2103 SD2 HD1 clarifies that it is legal for a nurse to act on an order written by a PA functioning as an agent of a physician.
I am a Registered Nurse and a graduate of the University of Hawaii, Manoa. I feel that this bill is integral for effective patient care. This bill has wide support from physician, PA and nurse organizations and clarifies the relationship with LPNs and RNs but does not expand the PA's scope of practice.
Nurses and PAs work as colleagues to care for patients. Clarity in the law is required to assure that timely, safe and effective care can be provided to the patients of Hawaii.

I respectfully request that you pass SB 2103 SD2 HD1.

Sincerely,
Carrie Tilley, RN

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Testifier will be present: No
Submitted by: Fare Mercer, R.N.
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E-mail: frmercer1@yahoo.com
Submitted on: 3/31/2012

Comments:

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Honorable Chairman and Members of the Committee:

I and many of my nursing colleagues would welcome this addition to the nursing statute so that it is clearly stated in our nurse practice act that it is legal for a nurse to implement an order written by a PA who is functioning as an agent of a supervising physician. I strongly support passage of SB2103, SD2 HD1.

Faye R. Mercer, R.N.

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Testifier will be present: No
Submitted by: Christine Perea RN
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E-mail: krismarie518@hotmail.com
Submitted on: 3/31/2012

Comments:
Christine Perea, RN
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I support passage of SB2103 SD2 HD1.
Christine Perea RN

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Testifier position: Support

Testifier will be present: No

Submitted by: Megan Canne

Organization: Individual

E-mail: Islanddaisy29@aol.com

Submitted on: 3/30/2012

Comments:

I am an LPN and work closely with Physicain Assistants at Kaiser. I strongly support SB 2103 SD2 HD1 and ask that you pass this bill.

Megan Canne, LPN

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Testifier position:

Testifier will be present: No

Submitted by: Marythess Clemente

Organization: Individual

E-mail: Marythess.Clemente@kp.com

Submitted on: 3/30/2012

Comments:

I strongly support SB2103 SD2 HD1 and request that you pass this bill.

Respectfully,

Marythess Clemente, LPN

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Testifier position: Support

Testifier will be present: No

Submitted by: Bodhi Anderson

Organization: Individual

E-mail: bodhiandersonpac@gmail.com

Submitted on: 4/2/2012

Comments:

Please support this bill.

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Testifier position: Support

Testifier will be present: No

Submitted by: Amy Stone Murai

Organization: Individual

E-mail: muraiz3@aol.com

Submitted on: 4/1/2012

Comments:

Additionally, I support the amendments proposed by the University of Hawaii at Manoa that would amend Section 457-8.5(a)(4), Hawaii Revised Statutes, by:

Deleting: "leading to a master's degree as a certified registered nurse anesthetist, a nurse midwife, a clinical nurse specialist, or a nurse practitioner" and

Adding: "preparing the nurse for one of the four recognized APRN roles"

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Conference room: 325

Testifier position: Support

Testifier will be present: No

Submitted by: mary osorio

Organization: Individual

E-mail: osorioyouwho@yahoo.com

Submitted on: 4/1/2012

Comments:

This is an important bill to be passed. It is common sense as part of health care "reform" in general. We need mid-level practioners to make the health system work better. They need to be officially recognized and empowered to play the important roles they have been trained to do. There is no logical argument against this!

Please pass this bill. mahalo.

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Testifier will be present: No
Submitted by: Jonathan Fowler
Organization: Individual
E-mail: Jkf808@gmail.com
Submitted on: 4/1/2012

Comments:

I work at Straub ER and work with PA's on a daily basis. I support this bill and think it would benefit the health care field.

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Testifier will be present: No

Submitted by: Pamela Gring-Fee

Organization: Individual

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Submitted on: 4/1/2012

Comments:

I support SB2103.

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Submitted by: Heather Fowler

Organization: Individual

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Comments:

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Comments:

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Testifier will be present: No

Submitted by: Lisa Zick-Mariteragi

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Submitted on: 4/1/2012

Comments:

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Submitted on: 3/31/2012

Comments:

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Conference room: 325

Testifier position: Support

Testifier will be present: No

Submitted by: Gail Chapin

Organization: Individual

E-mail: Gchapin0520@gmail.com

Submitted on: 3/31/2012

Comments: