A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO THE ELECTRONIC PRESCRIPTION ACCOUNTABILITY SYSTEM.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF HAWAII:

- 1 SECTION 1. Section 329-101, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
- 2 amended as follows:
- 3 1. By amending subsection (b) to read:
- 4 "(b) The designated state agency shall determine those
- 5 schedules of controlled substances, classes of controlled
- 6 substances, [and] specific controlled substances that are
- 7 purportedly being misused and abused in the State [-], and opioid
- 8 antagonists used to reverse the effects of opioid overdoses. As
- 9 part of the controlled substance registration process, all
- 10 practitioners, except veterinarians, and pharmacies shall be
- 11 registered with the department to utilize the electronic
- 12 prescription accountability system. No identified controlled
- 13 substances or pharmacist-prescribed opioid antagonists may be
- 14 dispensed unless information relevant to the dispensation of the
- 15 substance or pharmacist-prescribed opioid antagonist is reported
- 16 electronically or by means indicated by the designated state

- 1 agency to the central repository established under section 329-
- 2 102, in accordance with rules adopted by the department."
- 3 2. By amending subsection (d) to read as:
- 4 "(d) Under the system:
- 5 (1) Information shall be reported in numerical format, not
- 6 less than once every seven days, including the
- 7 reporting of "zero" dispensing if no prescriptions for
- 8 designated controlled substances are filled, on the
- 9 filling of prescriptions for designated controlled
- 10 substances, pharmacist-prescribed opioid antagonists,
- and the dispensing of drug samples by a licensed
- 12 practitioner; and
- 13 (2) Each dispenser shall maintain a record of such filled
- 14 prescriptions, including all information described in
- subsection (c), for a period of five years. Each
- dispenser shall keep these records available for
- inspection and copying by the designated state
- 18 agency."
- 19 SECTION 2. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed
- 20 and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.
- 21 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

Report Title:

Electronic Prescription Accountability System

Description:

Amends section 329-101(b) and (d), Hawaii Revised Statutes, to require that the dispensing of a pharmacist-prescribed opioid antagonist be reported to the State's Electronic Prescription Accountability System. (SD1)

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