

STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

RS24895

The bill amends the definition of the practice of pharmacy to provide that pharmacists may administer tuberculin purified protein derivative to be read in the pharmacy setting, and to provide that pharmacists must follow the recommendations of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, document the results of tests provided, and coordinate referrals to the patient's primary care provider or a local clinic.

FISCAL NOTE

This legislation will have no fiscal impact to the General Fund or the Board of Pharmacy's dedicated fund. It will have no fiscal impact because although the legislation allows pharmacists to perform the authorized service, it does not require any pharmacist to do so, nor does it compel any specific Board of Pharmacy action.

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