
SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

2022 Regular Session

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Health and Welfare to Engrossed House
Concurrent Resolution No. 88 by Representative Echols

1 AMENDMENT NO. 1

2 On page 1, line 4, after "providers" insert "and pharmacists"

3 AMENDMENT NO. 2

4 On page 1, between lines 4 and 5, insert the following:

5 "WHEREAS, pharmacists are highly educated healthcare
6 professionals who provide convenient, high-quality healthcare services,
7 including medication management therapy, immunizations, long-acting
8 injectable medications, disease management, point-of-care testing, and
9 patient assessments and screenings to a great number of patients; and

10 WHEREAS, Louisiana pharmacists work in partnership with other
11 healthcare entities and providers to improve patient outcomes and public
12 health in this state; and

13 WHEREAS, funds are paid to the state in the form of a prescription
14 drug rebate through the Medicaid drug rebate program as a result of
15 outpatient prescription drugs dispensed by pharmacists to Medicaid patients;
16 and"

17 AMENDMENT NO. 3

18 On page 1, line 11, after "primary care" delete the remainder of the line and insert "and
19 pharmacy services are a vital component of any healthcare system and are"

20 AMENDMENT NO. 4

21 On page 1, line 13, after "primary care" insert "providers and pharmacists"

22 AMENDMENT NO. 5

23 On page 2, line 11, after "and then" insert ", if funds remain,"