

Bill Summary Comparison

House File 1036-1 (House)

House File UEH1036-1 (Senate)

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Section	1036-1		UEH1036-1
1	Physician-physician assistant delegation agreement. Amends § 147A.01, subd. 17a.	Identical	Sec. 1. Physician-physician assistant delegation agreement. Amends § 147A.01, subd. 17a. Removes reference to an alternative supervising physician in the definition of a physician-physician delegation agreement.
2	Supervising physician. Amends § 147A.01, subd. 23. Strikes limitation on the number of full-time equivalent physician assistants who can be supervised by a physician. (Current law allows a physician to supervise no more than five full-time equivalent physician assistants. The amended language in the bill removes this limitation.)	Identical	Sec. 2. Supervising physician. Amends § 147A.01, subd. 23. Removes reference to referring to the supervising physician as the primary supervising physician in the definition of a supervising physician. Also removes the limit in the number of full-time physician assistants that a supervising physician can supervise at one time.
3	Physician-physician assistant delegation agreement. Amends § 147A.20, subd. 1. Strikes paragraph (d), requiring identification of an alternate supervising physician on the delegation agreement.	Identical	Sec. 3. Physician-physician assistant delegation agreement. Amends § 147A.20, subd. 1. Strikes a paragraph that refers to alternative supervising physicians.
4	Practice location notification. Amends § 147A.20, subd. 2. Requires physician assistants to notify the Board of Medical Practice within 30 days of starting or changing practice location.	Identical	Sec. 4. Practice location notification. Amends § 147A.20, subd. 2.
	H.F. 2080 (midwife bill)—Lohmer, no hearing.		Sec. 5. Practice standards. Amends § 147D.05, subd. 1. Specifies that as part of the initial and ongoing screening, a licensed traditional midwife must provide or recommend that a client receive certain identified services.
	H.F. 2080 (midwife bill)—Lohmer, no hearing.		Sec. 6. Limitations of practice. Amends § 147D.09. Permits a licensed traditional midwife to administer maternal RhoGAM treatment.

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	H.F. 2080 (midwife bill)-Lohmer, no hearing.		Sec. 7. Practice report. Amends § 147D.13, subd. 2. Permits the advisory council to review the summary report that a licensed traditional midwife is required to compile on each client at any time upon request.
	H.F. 2080 (midwife bill)-Lohmer, no hearing.		Sec. 8. Membership. Amends § 147D.25, subd. 1. Modifies the membership of the advisory council by clarifying that the licensed physician member must have or is currently consulting or collaborating with licensed traditional midwives, and modifying the parent member to be a parent of a child born under the care of a licensed traditional midwife.
	H.F. 1584-1 (health board bill)-Albright. HHS finance. This section is identical to Senate § 9.		Sec. 9. Exemptions. Amends § 148.271. Exempts from licensure a registered nurse or advanced practice registered nurse licensed in another state, territory, or jurisdiction who is in Minnesota temporarily providing continuing or in-service education, serving as a guest lecturer, presenting at a conference, or teaching didactic via distance education to a student located in Minnesota enrolled in a formal course of study.
	H.F. 1584-1 (health board bill)-Albright. HHS finance. This section is identical to Senate § 10, except the Senate added a new paragraph to exclude the OCAH to remove the fiscal note.		Sec. 10. Temporary license suspension; imminent risk of serious harm. Amends § 214.077. Modifies and clarifies the temporary suspension provisions for health-related licensing boards under chapter 214.
	H.F. 1584-1 (health board bill)-Albright. HHS finance. This section is identical to Senate § 11.		Sec. 11. Investigation and hearing. Amends § 214.10, subd. 2. Changes disciplinary hearing to a contested case hearing.

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	<p>H.F. 1584-1 (health board bill)—Albright. HHS finance.</p> <p>Similar to Senate § 12. Both strike conviction of the crime of theft (§ 609.52) as a cause for license suspension. Senate strikes § 609.24, subd. 2, para. (c)—assault of a vulnerable adult; that paragraph has been repealed. Adds conviction of assault of a vulnerable adult (§ 609.2231, subd. 8) as a cause for license suspension.</p>		<p>Sec. 12. Proceedings. Amends § 214.10, subd. 2a. Removes section 609.52 (theft) from the list of violations in which a health-related licensing board is required to initiate proceedings to suspend or revoke a license or refuse to renew a license of a person who has been convicted of this violation. Strikes section 609.24, subd. 2, para. (c); that paragraph has been repealed. Adds conviction of assault of a vulnerable adult, section 609.2231, subd. 8, as a cause for license suspension or revocation.</p>
			<p>Sec. 13. Complementary and alternative health care practitioners. Amends § 214.10, subd. 14. Excludes these practitioners from the health boards’ disciplinary procedures and places them under the disciplinary authority of MDH.</p>
	<p>H.F. 1584-1 (health board bill)—Albright. HHS finance.</p> <p>This section is identical to Senate § 14.</p>		<p>Sec. 14. Duties of a participating board. Amends § 214.32, subd. 6. Requires a health-related licensing board to proceed pursuant to section 214.077 (temporary license suspension) if the board receives a report from the program manager of the health professionals services program, and if the board has probable cause to believe continued practice by the regulated person presents an imminent risk of serious harm.</p>
		<p>This section was enacted in the 2015 HHS omnibus finance bill. The author’s amendment deletes this section.</p>	<p>Sec. 15. Licensed physician assistant services. Amends § 256B.0625, subd. 28a.</p>
<p>5</p>	<p>Revisor’s instruction. Instructs the revisor to change the term “physician’s assistant” to “physician assistant” wherever the term is found in statute and rule.</p>	<p>Identical</p>	<p>Sec. 16. Revisor’s instruction. Revisor’s instruction to change the term “physician’s assistant” to “physician assistant.”</p>

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6	<p>Repealer. Repeals § 147A.01, subd. 5 (definition of alternate supervising physician).</p>		<p>Sec. 17. Revisor's instruction. Repeals §§ 147A.01, subd. 5 (definition of alternate supervising physician) and 147D.17, subd. 4 (obsolete language).</p>