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**HOUSE BILL 20-1050**

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**A BILL FOR AN ACT**

101 **CONCERNING THE DISTRIBUTION OF DRUGS BY OTHER OUTLET**  
102 **PHARMACIES.**

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**Bill Summary**

*(Note: This summary applies to this bill as introduced and does not reflect any amendments that may be subsequently adopted. If this bill passes third reading in the house of introduction, a bill summary that applies to the reengrossed version of this bill will be available at <http://leg.colorado.gov>.)*

The bill allows ambulatory surgical center other outlets, hospice other outlets, and convalescent center other outlets to:

- ! Make a casual sale or loan of prescription drugs to another registered outlet or to a drug wholesaler;
- ! Sell or give a prescription drug to a practitioner authorized by law to prescribe the drug; and

Shading denotes HOUSE amendment. Double underlining denotes SENATE amendment.  
Capital letters or bold & italic numbers indicate new material to be added to existing statute.  
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SENATE  
3rd Reading Unamended  
March 10, 2020

SENATE  
2nd Reading Unamended  
March 9, 2020

HOUSE  
3rd Reading Unamended  
February 6, 2020

HOUSE  
Amended 2nd Reading  
February 5, 2020

! Supply an emergency kit or starter dose of a prescription drug to specified entities.

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1 *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Colorado:*

2 **SECTION 1.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 12-280-103, **amend**  
3 (8) as follows:

4 **12-280-103. Definitions - rules.** As used in this article 280, unless  
5 the context otherwise requires or the term is otherwise defined in another  
6 part of this article 280:

7 (8) "Casual sale" means a transfer, delivery, or distribution to a  
8 corporation, individual, or other entity, other than a consumer, entitled to  
9 possess prescription drugs; except that the amount of drugs transferred,  
10 delivered, or distributed in this manner by any registered prescription  
11 drug outlet or ANY hospital REGISTERED other outlet shall not exceed ten  
12 percent of the total number of dosage units of drugs dispensed and  
13 distributed OR ORIGINALLY PROCURED IN ANY REGISTERED OTHER OUTLET  
14 on an annual basis by the outlet.

15 **SECTION 2.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 12-280-119, **amend**  
16 (1)(d) as follows:

17 **12-280-119. Registration of facilities - rules.** (1) All outlets with  
18 facilities in this state shall register with the board in one of the following  
19 classifications:

20 (d) Any other outlet, as may be authorized by this article 280 or  
21 that meets the definition of OTHER outlet as set forth in section  
22 12-280-103 (32).

23 **SECTION 3.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 12-280-120, **amend**  
24 (5)(a) introductory portion, (5)(a)(I), and (5)(a)(II); and **repeal** (5)(b) as  
25 follows:

1           **12-280-120. Compounding - dispensing - sale of drugs and**  
2 **devices - rules - definition.** (5) (a) A registered prescription drug or  
3 ~~OUTLET or licensed hospital other outlet~~ may:

4           (I) ~~Make a casual sale or loan of or give a drug IN THE~~  
5 ~~MANUFACTURER'S SEALED CONTAINER to another registered outlet or to a~~  
6 ~~wholesaler of drugs;~~

7           (II) ~~Sell or give~~ MAKE A CASUAL SALE OF a drug IN THE  
8 ~~MANUFACTURER'S SEALED CONTAINER to a practitioner authorized by law~~  
9 ~~to prescribe the drug;~~

10           (b) ~~In the case of a county or district public health agency that~~  
11 ~~operates registered other outlets, one registered other outlet may make a~~  
12 ~~casual sale of a drug to another registered other outlet if:~~

13           (I) ~~The drug is sold in the original sealed container in which it was~~  
14 ~~originally received from the wholesaler;~~

15           (II) ~~A casual sale is not made to a registered other outlet that is not~~  
16 ~~owned or operated by that county or district public health agency; and~~

17           (III) ~~The amount sold does not exceed the ten percent limit~~  
18 ~~established by section 12-280-103 (8).~~

19           **SECTION 4. Act subject to petition - effective date.** This act  
20 takes effect at 12:01 a.m. on the day following the expiration of the  
21 ninety-day period after final adjournment of the general assembly (August  
22 5, 2020, if adjournment sine die is on May 6, 2020); except that, if a  
23 referendum petition is filed pursuant to section 1 (3) of article V of the  
24 state constitution against this act or an item, section, or part of this act  
25 within such period, then the act, item, section, or part will not take effect  
26 unless approved by the people at the general election to be held in

- 1 November 2020 and, in such case, will take effect on the date of the
- 2 official declaration of the vote thereon by the governor.