

**Second Regular Session  
Seventy-third General Assembly  
STATE OF COLORADO**

**REVISED**

*This Version Includes All Amendments Adopted  
on Second Reading in the Second House*

LLS NO. 22-0533.01 Kristen Forrestal x4217

**HOUSE BILL 22-1246**

---

**HOUSE SPONSORSHIP**

**Lontine**, Bernett, Bird, Boesenecker, Carver, Cutter, Duran, Herod, Hooton, Jodeh, Kipp, Lindsay, McCormick, Michaelson Jenet, Sandridge, Snyder, Titone, Valdez A.

**SENATE SPONSORSHIP**

**Buckner**,

---

**House Committees**

Health & Insurance  
Finance  
Appropriations

**Senate Committees**

Health & Human Services  
Finance  
Appropriations

---

**A BILL FOR AN ACT**

101      **CONCERNING THE REGISTRATION OF A PHARMACY LOCATED WITHIN**  
102              **A HOSPICE INPATIENT UNIT AS A SPECIALIZED PRESCRIPTION**  
103              **DRUG OUTLET, AND, IN CONNECTION THEREWITH, MAKING AN**  
104              **APPROPRIATION.**

---

**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 a pharmacy located within a hospice inpatient unit to register as a specialized prescription drug outlet for the purposes of providing drugs, devices, and pharmacist services to the residents of the

Shading denotes HOUSE amendment. Double underlining denotes SENATE amendment.  
*Capital letters or bold & italic numbers indicate new material to be added to existing statute.*  
*Dashes through the words indicate deletions from existing statute.*

SENATE  
Amended 2nd Reading  
May 6, 2022

HOUSE  
3rd Reading Unamended  
April 25, 2022

HOUSE  
Amended 2nd Reading  
April 22, 2022

hospice inpatient unit.

---

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

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

4 **12-280-119. Registration of facilities - rules.** (11) (a) A  
5 prescription drug outlet may register as a specialized prescription drug  
6 outlet if it engages in the compounding, dispensing, and delivery of drugs  
7 and devices to, or the provision of pharmacist care services to, residents  
8 of a long-term care facility.

9 (b) A PHARMACY LOCATED IN A HOSPICE INPATIENT UNIT MAY  
10 REGISTER AS A SPECIALIZED PRESCRIPTION DRUG OUTLET IF THE  
11 PHARMACY COMPOUNDS DRUGS AND DEVICES AND DISPENSES AND  
12 DELIVERS THE DRUGS AND DEVICES, OR PROVIDES PHARMACIST CARE  
13 SERVICES, TO RESIDENTS OF THE HOSPICE INPATIENT UNIT.

14 (c) The board shall adopt rules as necessary to implement this  
15 subsection (11).

16 **SECTION 2. Appropriation.** (1) For the 2022-23 state fiscal  
17 year, \$53,611 is appropriated to the department of regulatory agencies.  
18 This appropriation is from the division of professions and occupations  
19 cash fund created in section 12-20-105 (3), C.R.S. To implement this act,  
20 the department may use this appropriation as follows:

21 (a) \$30,920 for use by the division of professions and occupations  
22 for personal services, which amount is based on an assumption that the  
23 division will require an additional 0.3 FTE;

24 (b) \$13,174 for use by the division of professions and occupations  
25 for operating expenses; and

1 (c) \$9,517 for the purchase of fleet vehicle services.

2 (2) For the 2022-23 state fiscal year, \$9,517 is appropriated to the  
3 department of personnel and administration. This appropriation is from  
4 reappropriated funds received from the department of regulatory agencies  
5 under subsection (1)(c) of this section. To implement this act, the  
6 department of personnel and administration may use this appropriation to  
7 provide fleet vehicle services for the department of regulatory agencies.

8 **SECTION 3. Act subject to petition - effective date -**  
9 **applicability.** (1) This act takes effect at 12:01 a.m. on the day following  
10 the expiration of the ninety-day period after final adjournment of the  
11 general assembly; except that, if a referendum petition is filed pursuant  
12 to section 1 (3) of article V of the state constitution against this act or an  
13 item, section, or part of this act within such period, then the act, item,  
14 section, or part will not take effect unless approved by the people at the  
15 general election to be held in November 2022 and, in such case, will take  
16 effect on the date of the official declaration of the vote thereon by the  
17 governor.

18 (2) This act applies to pharmacies located in hospice inpatient  
19 units on and after January 1, 2023.