

General Assembly

Proposed Bill No. 5144

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Referred to Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH

Introduced by:

REP. MCCARTY, 38th Dist.

AN ACT REQUIRING PHYSICIANS TO REVIEW A PATIENT'S RECORDS IN THE ELECTRONIC PRESCRIPTION DRUG MONITORING PROGRAM PRIOR TO ISSUING A PRESCRIPTION TO SUCH PATIENT.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That section 21a-254 of the general statutes be amended to require
- 2 physicians to review a patient's records in the electronic prescription
- 3 drug monitoring program prior to issuing a prescription to such
- 4 patient.

Statement of Purpose:

To require physicians to check the electronic prescription drug monitoring program prior to writing prescriptions.

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