## ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 81-ASSEMBLYMAN HAFEN

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#### Referred to Committee on Commerce and Labor

SUMMARY—Revises certain provisions governing voluntary health care service. (BDR 54-145)

FISCAL NOTE: Effect on Local Government: No.

Effect on the State: No.

EXPLANATION - Matter in bolded italics is new; matter between brackets [omitted material] is material to be omitted.

AN ACT relating to health care; eliminating certain restrictions on the provision of voluntary health care service; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

# **Legislative Counsel's Digest:**

Existing law generally authorizes a provider of health care who is licensed or certified in this State or another state or territory of the United States to provide voluntary health care service in this State in association with a sponsoring organization. Existing law prohibits a provider of health care who has not actively practiced his or her profession continuously for the immediately preceding 3 years from providing voluntary health care service. (NRS 629.450) This bill removes this restriction, thereby authorizing a provider of health care who has not actively practiced his or her profession continuously for the immediately preceding 3 years to provide voluntary health care service in this State in association with a sponsoring organization.

### THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, REPRESENTED IN SENATE AND ASSEMBLY, DO ENACT AS FOLLOWS:

**Section 1.** NRS 629.450 is hereby amended to read as follows: Notwithstanding any provision of law to the 629.450 1. contrary and except as otherwise provided in this section, a provider of health care may provide voluntary health care service in this State in association with a sponsoring organization.

- 2. A provider of health care shall not provide voluntary health care service in this State if:
- (a) The professional license or certificate of the provider of health care is suspended or revoked, or has been suspended or





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revoked within the immediately preceding 5 years, pursuant to disciplinary proceedings in this State or in any other state or territory of the United States; *or* 

(b) The voluntary health care service provided is outside the scope of practice authorized by the professional license or certificate of the provider of health care. [; or

— (c) The provider of health care has not actively practiced his or her profession continuously for the immediately preceding 3 years.]

3. A provider of health care who provides voluntary health care service pursuant to this section shall not accept compensation of any type, directly or indirectly, or any other benefit or consideration from any person or other source for the provision of the service.





