

HOUSE BILL NO. HB0241

Background checks-interstate compacts.

Sponsored by: Representative(s) Barlow and Senator(s) Baldwin

A BILL

for

1 AN ACT relating to criminal history records; authorizing  
2 licensure boards to obtain criminal background checks for  
3 health care professionals licensed pursuant to an  
4 interstate compact entered into by the state of Wyoming;  
5 and providing for an effective date.

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7 *Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Wyoming:*

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9       **Section 1.** W.S. 7-19-106(a) by creating a new  
10 paragraph (xxvii) and 7-19-201(a) by creating a new  
11 paragraph (xxiii) are amended to read:

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13       **7-19-106. Access to, and dissemination of,**  
14 **information.**

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1 (a) Criminal history record information shall be  
2 disseminated by criminal justice agencies in this state,  
3 whether directly or through any intermediary, only to:  
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5 (xxvii) A health care licensure board that  
6 licenses health care professionals under title 33 of the  
7 Wyoming statutes for purposes of obtaining background  
8 information on applicants for licensure pursuant to an  
9 interstate compact entered into by the state of Wyoming.

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11 **7-19-201. State or national criminal history record**  
12 **information.**

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14 (a) The following persons shall be required to submit  
15 to fingerprinting in order to obtain state and national  
16 criminal history record information:  
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18 (xxiii) Health care professionals applying for  
19 licensure under title 33 of the Wyoming statutes, if  
20 required as a condition for licensure pursuant to an  
21 interstate compact entered into by the state of Wyoming.

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1       **Section 2.** This act is effective July 1, 2017.

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