



WISCONSIN LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ACT MEMO

2017 Wisconsin Act 18
[2017 Senate Bill 126]

**Changes to Pharmacy
Practice Law and Pharmacy
Administrative Rules**

2017 Wisconsin Act 18 (the Act) makes various changes to pharmacy practice law and certain rules promulgated by the Pharmacy Examining Board (the board).

Specifically, the Act does the following:

- Repeals the requirement that a license issued by the board be displayed in the place of practice.
- Removes the requirement that a prescription order entered on a medical record of an inpatient or resident of a health care facility include the address of the practitioner.
- Modifies the definition of “long-term care facility” promulgated by the board.
- Repeals certain administrative rules relating to minimum equipment for pharmacies and repeals a requirement that the board prescribe, by rule, minimum standards of professional and technical equipment.

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This memo provides a brief description of the Act. For more detailed information, consult the text of the law and related legislative documents at the Legislature’s Web site at: <http://www.legis.wisconsin.gov>.