

WISCONSIN LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ACT MEMO

2007 Wisconsin Act 201 [2007 Senate Bill 48]

Pharmacists and Pharmacy Technicians as Volunteer Health Care Providers

The Volunteer Health Care Provider (VCHP) program allows certain types of health care providers to provide health care services with state agent status protection if they file a joint application with a nonprofit agency and the joint application is approved by the Department of Administration. Volunteer health care providers are physicians, dentists, dental hygienists, registered nurses, licensed practical nurses, nurse-midwives, optometrists, physician assistants, and dieticians.

2007 Wisconsin Act 201 allows pharmacists and pharmacy technicians to participate in the VHCP.

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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.state.wi.us/.