DRAFTER'S NOTE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU

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The draft request sought to relieve advance practice nurse prescribers from liability for not obtaining parental consent to examine, diagnose, or treat a minor for a sexually transmitted disease. Under current s. 252.11 (1m), only a physician is allowed to examine, diagnose, or treat the minor for the sexually transmitted disease without parental consent. Therefore, I added language to allow advanced practice nurse prescribers to examine, diagnose, or treat a minor for a sexually transmitted disease without parental consent and also relieved them from liability for not obtaining that consent. Is that okay?

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SB 191, recently passed and sent to the governor, allows advanced practice nurse prescribers to diagnose a veteran's illness or injury, so those sections are removed from this bill.

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