2017 ASSEMBLY BILL 467

August 7, 2017 – Introduced by Representatives YOUNG, CROWLEY, BOWEN, FIELDS, BERCEAU, GOYKE, OHNSTAD, POPE, SUBECK, C. TAYLOR, WACHS and ZEPNICK, cosponsored by Senators L. TAYLOR, CARPENTER, LARSON, MILLER, RISSER and VINEHOUT. Referred to Committee on Corrections.

1 **AN ACT to create** 302.386 (7) of the statutes; relating to: the distribution of prescription medication in a juvenile correctional facility or secured residential care center for children and youth.

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**Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau**

This bill allows only medical personnel with credentials equal to or greater than those of a licensed practical nurse to administer or distribute prescription medication to a person placed in a juvenile correctional facility or secured residential care center for children and youth. This bill exempts from this limitation insulin dispensed pursuant to a prescription. Current law does not specify the personnel who are authorized to distribute or administer medication in these facilities.

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The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

4 **SECTION 1.** 302.386 (7) of the statutes is created to read:

5 302.386 (7) (a) In this subsection, “prescription” has the meaning given in s. 77.51 (10n).

6 (b) 1. Except as provided in subd. 2., only medical personnel with credentials equal to or greater than those of a licensed practical nurse may administer or
distribute a medication dispensed pursuant to a prescription to a person placed in a juvenile correctional facility or secured residential care center for children and youth.

2. Subdivision 1. does not apply to insulin dispensed pursuant to a prescription.

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