

Senate

Record of Committee Proceedings

Committee on Health

Senate Bill 258

Relating to: advanced practice registered nurses, extending the time limit for emergency rule procedures, providing an exemption from emergency rule procedures, and granting rule-making authority.

By Senators Testin, Cabral-Guevara, Roys, Dassler-Alfheim, Habush Sinykin, Hesselbein, Keyeski, LeMahieu, Marklein, Quinn, Ratcliff, Smith, Spreitzer, Drake and Jacque; cosponsored by Representatives Kurtz, Subeck, Rodriguez, Andraca, Behnke, Brown, Cruz, DeSmidt, Emerson, Gundrum, Joers, Kreibich, Maxey, Murphy, O'Connor, Ortiz-Velez, Prado, Spiros, Tusler, Udell, Wichgers, Donovan, Palmeri, Miresse, Goeben, Knodl and Vining.

May 16, 2025 Referred to Committee on Health

May 28, 2025 **Public Hearing Held**

Present: (5) Senator Cabral-Guevara; Senators Testin, James, Smith and Drake.

Absent: (0) None.

Excused: (0) None.

Appearances For

- Kelly Ayala
- Pat Testin
- Jennifer Popies - Wisconsin Association of Clinical Nurse Specialists
- Christine Roth - WI Association of Nurse Anesthetists
- Tina Bettin - WNA NP Forum

Appearances Against

- None.

Appearances for Information Only

- Mark Grapentine - Wisconsin Medical Society
- Ms Dianne Danis

Registrations For

- Michael Redding
- Rita Lease
- Representative Tony Kurtz - 41st Assembly District
- Abbey Rude - Alliance of Health Insurers
- Rebecca Hogan - Nurse Midwives

- Caty McDermott - WI Aesthetic Providers Coalition
- Rachel Ver Velde - WMC
- Clinical Nurse Specialist Anne Putzer - Wisconsin Association of Clinical Nurse Specialists
- Terri Alm
- Ms. MaryAnn Moon - Wisconsin Association of Clinical Nurse Specialists
- Georgina Dennik-Champion - Wisconsin Nurses Association
- Dr. Mary Beck Metzger - Wisconsin Nurses Association
- Chris Bakke
- Elizabeth Hill-Karbowski - Wisconsin Affiliate of the American College of Nurse Midwives
- Senator Kelda Roys
- Gina Bryan - WNA and Tellurian
- Forbes McIntosh - Oneida Nation
- Forbes McIntosh - Wisconsin Assisted Living Association

Registrations Against

- None.

Registrations for Information Only

- Greg Hubbard - American College of Emergency Physicians-WI Chapter

June 02, 2025

Executive Session Held by Paper Ballot

Present: (5) Senator Cabral-Guevara; Senators Testin, James, Smith and Drake.
 Absent: (0) None.
 Excused: (0) None.

Moved that **Senate Bill 258** be recommended for passage.

Ayes: (5) Senator Cabral-Guevara; Senators Testin, James, Smith and Drake.

Noes: (0) None.

PASSAGE RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 0

Michael Moscicke
 Committee Clerk