

1975 Senate Bill 94

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## CHAPTER 6, Laws of 1975

AN ACT to amend 143.07 (1) of the statutes, relating to authorizing physicians to treat minors for venereal disease without parental consent.

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

143.07 (1) of the statutes is amended to read:

143.07 (1) Any person afflicted with venereal disease in a communicable form is declared to be a menace to the public health. A physician called to attend a person afflicted with any form of venereal disease shall report the same in the manner directed by the department to the department in writing on blanks furnished by the department. A physician may treat a minor afflicted with venereal disease or examine and diagnose a minor for the presence of such disease without obtaining the consent of such minor's parents or guardian. The physician shall incur no civil liability solely by reason of the lack of consent of such minor's parents or guardian.

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