



State of Wisconsin  
2021 - 2022 LEGISLATURE

LRB-0575/P1  
JPC:skw

DOA:.....Lessner, BB0171 - Continuing education at free and charitable clinics

**FOR 2021-2023 BUDGET -- NOT READY FOR INTRODUCTION**

AN ACT ...; relating to: the budget.

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*Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau*

**SAFETY AND PROFESSIONAL SERVICES**

**PROFESSIONAL LICENSURE**

***Pharmacist continuing education credits for volunteering at free and charitable clinics***

Under current law, a licensed pharmacist must renew his or her license every two years. An applicant for renewal of a pharmacist license must submit proof that he or she has completed 30 hours of continuing education within the two-year period immediately preceding the date of his or her application. This bill allows pharmacists to meet up to 10 hours of the continuing education requirement for each two-year period by volunteering at a free and charitable clinic.

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

**SECTION 1.** 450.085 (3) of the statutes is created to read:

450.085 **(3)** An applicant for renewal of a license under s. 450.08 (2) (a) may count, for purposes of the continuing education requirement under sub. (1), up to 10 hours spent as a volunteer at a free and charitable clinic approved by the board.

**(END)**