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AN ACT *to amend* 450.035 (2) of the statutes; **relating to:** the administration of vaccines by pharmacists.

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

JOINT LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL PREFATORY NOTE: This bill, regarding the administration of vaccines by pharmacists and dentists, was prepared for the Joint Legislative Council's Special Committee on Health Care Access.

Under current law, certain pharmacists may administer vaccines to individuals 18 years of age and older.

This bill would allow pharmacists who complete the necessary study and training to: (1) administer influenza vaccines to individuals who are 6 years of age and older; and (2) administer other vaccines to individuals 18 years of age and older.

SECTION 1. 450.035 (2) of the statutes is amended to read:

450.035 (2) A pharmacist may not administer a vaccine unless he or she has successfully completed 12 hours in a course of study and training, approved by the American Council on Pharmaceutical Education or the board, in vaccination storage, protocols, administration technique, emergency procedures, and record keeping and has satisfied the requirements specified in sub. (2t). A pharmacist may not administer a an influenza vaccine under this subsection to a person who is under the age of 6 or any other vaccine under this subsection to a person who is under the age of 18.

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