

REFERENCE TITLE: schools; health care services; posting

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Introduced by
Representative Parker B

AN ACT

AMENDING TITLE 15, CHAPTER 1, ARTICLE 5, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES, BY
ADDING SECTION 15-160.03; RELATING TO SCHOOL HEALTH CARE SERVICES.

(TEXT OF BILL BEGINS ON NEXT PAGE)

1 Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Arizona:
2 Section 1. Title 15, chapter 1, article 5, Arizona Revised
3 Statutes, is amended by adding section 15-160.03, to read:

4 15-160.03. Health care services; registered nurses; posting;
5 definitions

6 A. IF A REGISTERED NURSE PROVIDES HEALTH CARE SERVICES TO STUDENTS
7 AS AN EMPLOYEE, INCLUDING EMPLOYMENT THROUGH A THIRD-PARTY CONTRACTOR, OF
8 A SCHOOL, SCHOOL DISTRICT OR CHARTER SCHOOL, EACH SCHOOL AT WHICH THE
9 REGISTERED NURSE PROVIDES SERVICES SHALL PROMINENTLY POST ON ITS WEBSITE A
10 STATEMENT THAT A REGISTERED NURSE IS ASSIGNED TO THE SCHOOL.

11 B. EACH SCHOOL THAT DOES NOT EMPLOY A REGISTERED NURSE, INCLUDING
12 EMPLOYMENT THROUGH A THIRD-PARTY CONTRACTOR, BUT THAT PROVIDES HEALTH CARE
13 SERVICES TO STUDENTS SHALL PROMINENTLY POST ON THE SCHOOL'S WEBSITE EITHER
14 OF THE FOLLOWING:

15 1. THE HEALTH CARE CREDENTIALS, IF ANY, OF EACH INDIVIDUAL WHO
16 PROVIDES HEALTH CARE SERVICES TO STUDENTS IN THE COURSE OF THE
17 INDIVIDUAL'S OFFICIAL DUTIES.

18 2. A STATEMENT THAT INDIVIDUALS WHO DO NOT HAVE HEALTH CARE
19 CREDENTIALS PROVIDE HEALTH CARE SERVICES TO STUDENTS IN THE COURSE OF THE
20 INDIVIDUALS' OFFICIAL DUTIES.

21 C. IF A SCHOOL DOES NOT MAINTAIN ITS OWN WEBSITE, THE POSTING
22 REQUIREMENTS PRESCRIBED IN SUBSECTIONS A AND B OF THIS SECTION MAY BE
23 SATISFIED BY THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OR CHARTER SCHOOL THAT OPERATES THE
24 SCHOOL.

25 D. EACH SCHOOL THAT PROVIDES HEALTH CARE SERVICES TO STUDENTS SHALL
26 PROMINENTLY POST IN THE SCHOOL'S HEALTH OFFICE EITHER OF THE FOLLOWING:

27 1. THE HEALTH CARE CREDENTIALS, IF ANY, OF EACH INDIVIDUAL WHO
28 PROVIDES HEALTH CARE SERVICES TO STUDENTS.

29 2. A STATEMENT THAT INDIVIDUALS WHO DO NOT HAVE HEALTH CARE
30 CREDENTIALS PROVIDE HEALTH CARE SERVICES TO STUDENTS.

31 E. FOR THE PURPOSES OF THIS SECTION:

32 1. "HEALTH CARE CREDENTIALS" MEANS A LICENSE, CERTIFICATE, PERMIT
33 OR REGISTRATION TO PRACTICE A HEALTH CARE PROFESSION UNDER TITLE 32.

34 2. "REGISTERED NURSE" MEANS AN INDIVIDUAL WHO IS LICENSED PURSUANT
35 TO TITLE 32, CHAPTER 15.