

(II) COMPOUNDING, DISPENSING, OR DISTRIBUTING PRESCRIPTION DRUGS; OR DEVICES; ~~OR DIAGNOSTIC~~;

(III) COMPOUNDING OR DISPENSING NONPRESCRIPTION DRUGS; OR DEVICES; ~~OR DIAGNOSTICS~~;

(IV) MONITORING PRESCRIPTIONS FOR PRESCRIPTION AND NONPRESCRIPTION DRUGS; OR DEVICES; ~~OR DIAGNOSTICS~~;

[(ii)](V) Providing information, [and] explanation, OR RECOMMENDATIONS to patients and health care practitioners about the safe and effective use of PRESCRIPTION OR NONPRESCRIPTION drugs; OR [medicines, or] devices; ~~OR DIAGNOSTICS~~; or

[(iii)](VI) Identifying and appraising problems concerning the use or monitoring of [drug] therapy WITH DRUGS; OR DEVICES; ~~OR DIAGNOSTICS~~.

(2) "Practice pharmacy" does not include the operations of a person who holds a permit issued under §§ 12-601 and 12-602 of this title.

12-102.

(a) (1) In this section the following terms have the meanings indicated.

(2) "In the public interest" means the dispensing of drugs; OR DEVICES; ~~OR DIAGNOSTICS~~ by a licensed dentist, physician, or podiatrist to a patient when a pharmacy is not conveniently available to the patient.

(3) "Personally preparing and dispensing" means that the licensed dentist, physician, or podiatrist:

(i) Is physically present on the premises where the prescription is filled; and

(ii) Performs a final check of the prescription before it is provided to the patient.

(b) This title does not limit the right of an individual to practice a health occupation that the individual is authorized to practice under this article.

(c) This title does not prohibit:

(1) A licensed veterinarian from personally preparing and dispensing the veterinarian's prescriptions;

(2) A licensed dentist, physician, or podiatrist from personally preparing and dispensing the dentist's, physician's, or podiatrist's prescriptions when:

(i) The dentist, physician, or podiatrist:

1. Has applied to the board of licensure in this State which licensed the dentist, physician, or podiatrist;