

Section 15-302.1

Annotated Code of Maryland

(2000 Replacement Volume and 2001 Supplement)

BY adding to

Article - Health Occupations

Section 15-310(e)

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SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

**Article - Health Occupations**

15-101.

(a) In this title the following words have the meanings indicated.

(B) "ALTERNATE SUPERVISING PHYSICIAN" MEANS ONE OR MORE PHYSICIANS DESIGNATED BY THE SUPERVISING PHYSICIAN TO PROVIDE SUPERVISION OF A PHYSICIAN ASSISTANT DURING THE ABSENCE OF THE SUPERVISING PHYSICIAN AND IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE DELEGATION AGREEMENT ON FILE WITH THE BOARD.

[(b)](C) "Board" means the State Board of Physician Quality Assurance, established under § 14-201 of this article.

[(c)](D) "Certificate" means a certificate issued by the Board to a physician assistant under this title.

[(d)](E) "Committee" means the Physician Assistant Advisory Committee.

[(e)](F) "Controlled dangerous substances" has the meaning stated in Art. 27, § 277 of the Code.

[(f)](G) "Correctional facility" includes a State or local correctional facility.

[(g)](H) "Delegated medical acts" means activities that constitute the practice of medicine delegated by a physician under Title 14 of this article.

[(h)](I) "Delegation agreement" means a document that is executed by a supervising physician and a physician assistant containing the requirements of § 15-302 of this title [and:

(1) § 15-302.1 of this title; or

(2) § 15-302.2 of this title].

[(i)](J) "Designated pharmacy" means a pharmacy that has an agreement to supply medications for a hospital, public health facility, correctional facility, or detention center if: