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11	Senator Hargrett moved the following amendment:		
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13	<b>Senate Amendment (with title amendment)</b>		
14	On page 186, between lines 2 and 3,		
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16	insert:		
17	Section 240. Subsection (12) of section 465.003,		
18	Florida Statutes, is amended to read:		
19	465.003 Definitions.--As used in this chapter, the		
20	term:		
21	(12) "Practice of the profession of pharmacy" includes		
22	compounding, dispensing, and consulting concerning contents,		
23	therapeutic values, and uses of any medicinal drug; <del>and</del>		
24	consulting concerning therapeutic values and interactions of		
25	patent or proprietary preparations, whether pursuant to		
26	prescriptions or in the absence and entirely independent of		
27	such prescriptions or orders; <u>and other pharmaceutical</u>		
28	<u>services. For purposes of this subsection, "other</u>		
29	<u>pharmaceutical services" means the evaluation and monitoring</u>		
30	<u>of the patient's health as it relates to drug therapy and</u>		
31	<u>assisting the patient in the management of his or her drug</u>		

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1 therapy, and includes the assessment of the patient's drug  
2 therapy and communication with the patient and the patient's  
3 prescribing health care provider as licensed under chapter  
4 458, chapter 459, chapter 461, or chapter 466, or similar  
5 statutory provision in another jurisdiction, or such  
6 provider's agent or such other persons as specifically  
7 authorized by the patient, regarding the drug therapy.  
8 "Practice of the profession of pharmacy"~~The phrase~~ also  
9 includes any other act, service, operation, research,or  
10 transaction incidental to, or forming a part of, any of the  
11 foregoing acts, requiring, involving, or employing the science  
12 or art of any branch of the pharmaceutical profession, study,  
13 or training, and shall expressly permit a pharmacist to  
14 transmit information from persons authorized to prescribe  
15 medicinal drugs to their patients. In addition to the  
16 authority to order and dispense medicinal drugs independently  
17 of an established protocol as set forth in s. 465.186, a  
18 pharmacist may also administer immunizations within the  
19 framework of an established protocol under a supervisory  
20 practitioner who is a physician licensed under chapter 458 or  
21 chapter 459 or by written agreement with a county health  
22 department. Each protocol must contain specific procedures to  
23 address any unforeseen allergic reactions to an immunization.  
24 A pharmacist may not enter into a protocol unless he or she  
25 maintains at least \$200,000 of professional liability  
26 insurance and has completed any training in immunizations  
27 which is required by the board. The decision by a supervisory  
28 practitioner to enter into such a protocol is a professional  
29 decision of the practitioner, and no person may interfere with  
30 a supervisory practitioner's decision as to whether to enter  
31 into such a protocol. A pharmacist may not enter into a

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1 protocol that is to be performed while acting as an employee  
2 without the written approval of the owner of the pharmacy.

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4 (Redesignate subsequent sections.)

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8 And the title is amended as follows:

9 On page 4, line 17, after the first semicolon,

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11 insert:

12 amending s. 465.003, F.S.; revising the  
13 definition of the term "practice of the  
14 profession of pharmacy";

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