

By Senator Burgess

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1                   A bill to be entitled  
2       An act relating to administration of vaccines;  
3       amending s. 465.189, F.S.; revising the specified  
4       vaccines that certain pharmacists and registered  
5       interns under certain supervision may administer to  
6       adults; providing an effective date.

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8 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

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10       Section 1. Subsection (1) of section 465.189, Florida  
11 Statutes, is amended to read:

12       465.189 Administration of vaccines and epinephrine  
13 autoinjection.—

14       (1) In accordance with guidelines of the Centers for  
15 Disease Control and Prevention for each recommended immunization  
16 or vaccine, a pharmacist, or a registered intern under the  
17 supervision of a pharmacist who is certified under subsection  
18 (6), may administer the following vaccines to an adult within  
19 the framework of an established protocol under a supervising  
20 physician licensed under chapter 458 or chapter 459:

21       (a) Immunizations or vaccines listed in the Adult  
22 Immunization Schedule ~~as of February 1, 2015,~~ by the United  
23 States Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. ~~The board may~~  
24 ~~authorize, by rule, additional immunizations or vaccines as they~~  
25 ~~are added to the Adult Immunization Schedule.~~

26       (b) Immunizations or vaccines recommended by the Centers  
27 for Disease Control and Prevention Advisory Committee on  
28 Immunization Practices.

29       (c) Immunizations or vaccines recommended by the United

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30 States Centers for Disease Control and Prevention for  
31 international travel ~~as of July 1, 2015. The board may~~  
32 ~~authorize, by rule, additional immunizations or vaccines as they~~  
33 ~~are recommended by the United States Centers for Disease Control~~  
34 ~~and Prevention for international travel.~~

35 (d) ~~(e)~~ Immunizations or vaccines approved by the board in  
36 response to a state of emergency declared by the Governor  
37 pursuant to s. 252.36.

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39 A registered intern who administers an immunization or vaccine  
40 under this subsection must be supervised by a certified  
41 pharmacist at a ratio of one pharmacist to one registered  
42 intern.

43 Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2021.