

Amendment No.

COMMITTEE/SUBCOMMITTEE ACTION

ADOPTED	<u> </u>	(Y/N)
ADOPTED AS AMENDED	<u> </u>	(Y/N)
ADOPTED W/O OBJECTION	<u> </u>	(Y/N)
FAILED TO ADOPT	<u> </u>	(Y/N)
WITHDRAWN	<u> </u>	(Y/N)
OTHER	<u> </u>	

1 Committee/Subcommittee hearing bill: Healthcare Regulation
2 Subcommittee

3 Representative Barnaby offered the following:

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5 **Amendment**

6 Remove everything after the enacting clause and insert:

7 Section 1. Paragraph (e) of subsection (4) of section
8 464.012, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

9 464.012 Licensure of advanced practice registered nurses;
10 fees; controlled substance prescribing.—

11 (4) In addition to the general functions specified in
12 subsection (3), an advanced practice registered nurse may
13 perform the following acts within his or her specialty:

14 (e) A psychiatric nurse, who meets the requirements in s.
15 394.455(36), within the framework of an established protocol
16 with a psychiatrist, and an autonomous advanced practice

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17 registered nurse registered under s. 464.0123 who is certified
18 as a psychiatric nurse may prescribe psychotropic controlled
19 substances for the treatment of mental disorders.

20 Section 2. Paragraph (a) of subsection (3) of section
21 464.0123, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

22 464.0123 Autonomous practice by an advanced practice
23 registered nurse.—

24 (3) PRACTICE REQUIREMENTS.—

25 (a) An advanced practice registered nurse who is
26 registered under this section may:

27 1. Engage in autonomous practice only in primary care
28 practice, including family medicine, general pediatrics, and
29 general internal medicine, as defined by board rule.

30 2. For certified nurse midwives, engage in autonomous
31 practice in the performance of the acts listed in s.
32 464.012(4)(c).

33 3. Perform the general functions of an advanced practice
34 registered nurse under s. 464.012(3) related to primary care.

35 4. For certified psychiatric nurses, engage in autonomous
36 practice in the performance of psychiatric nursing under s.
37 464.012.

38 ~~5.4.~~ For a patient who requires the services of a health
39 care facility, as defined in s. 408.032(8):

40 a. Admit the patient to the facility.

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41 b. Manage the care received by the patient in the
42 facility.

43 c. Discharge the patient from the facility, unless
44 prohibited by federal law or rule.

45 6. ~~5.~~ Provide a signature, certification, stamp,
46 verification, affidavit, or endorsement that is otherwise
47 required by law to be provided by a physician, except an
48 advanced practice registered nurse registered under this section
49 may not issue a physician certification under s. 381.986.

50 Section 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 2024.