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# **Fiscal Note**

Drafting Number: Prime Sponsors:	LLS 24-1115 Sen. Rodriguez; Smallwood	Date: Bill Status: Fiscal Analyst:	April 22, 2024 Senate Health & Human Services Kristine McLaughlin   303-866-4776 kristine.mclaughlin@coleg.gov
Bill Topic:	PHARMACY PRACTICE ACT		
Summary of Fiscal Impact:		□ State Transfer □ TABOR Refund	☐ Local Government☐ Statutory Public Entity
	The bill lifts certain restrictions on pharmacists and automated pharmacy dispensing systems. The bill minimally increases state workload.		
Appropriation Summary:	No appropriation is required.		
Fiscal Note Status:	The fiscal note reflects the introduced bill.		

### **Summary of Legislation**

The bill allows an automated pharmacy dispensing system to redispense drugs under certain conditions. The bill also lifts certain restrictions on pharmacists, including restrictions on who may administer vaccines and restrictions on treating patients under the age of 12.

### **State Expenditures**

The bill minimally increases workload for the State Board of Pharmacy in the Department of Regulatory Agencies to conduct rulemaking, outreach, and education.

#### **Effective Date**

The bill takes effect July 1, 2024, and applies to prescription drugs dispensed on or after that date.

#### **State and Local Government Contacts**

Health Care Policy and Financing Regulatory Agencies

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