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**Glucagon Amendments**  
2025 GENERAL SESSION  
STATE OF UTAH  
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3 **LONG TITLE**4 **General Description:**

5 This bill amends provisions related to the storage and administration of glucagon kits in  
6 public and private schools.

7 **Highlighted Provisions:**

8 This bill:

- 9 ▶ defines terms;
- 10 ▶ makes technical changes;
- 11 ▶ allows a school to stock glucagon kits;
- 12 ▶ allows a qualified adult to administer a glucagon kit to a student experiencing  
13 hypoglycemia;
- 14 ▶ establishes a standing prescription for a school to obtain glucagon kits;
- 15 ▶ exempts certain parties from civil liability when administering or prescribing a glucagon  
16 kit; and
- 17 ▶ establishes training for the use and storage of a glucagon kit.

18 **Money Appropriated in this Bill:**

19 None

20 **Other Special Clauses:**

21 This bill provides a special effective date.

22 **Utah Code Sections Affected:**

23 AMENDS:

24 **26B-4-401**, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2024, Chapter 31125 **26B-4-406**, as renumbered and amended by Laws of Utah 2023, Chapter 30726 **26B-4-409**, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2024, Chapter 31127 **26B-4-410**, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2024, Chapter 31128 **26B-4-411**, as renumbered and amended by Laws of Utah 2023, Chapter 30729 **58-17b-1002**, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2023, Chapter 32930 **58-17b-1003**, as enacted by Laws of Utah 2020, Chapter 372

31 **58-17b-1004**, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2023, Chapter 329

32 **58-17b-1005**, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2024, Chapter 507

33 **58-17b-1006**, as enacted by Laws of Utah 2020, Chapter 372

34 **58-17b-1007**, as enacted by Laws of Utah 2020, Chapter 372

35 ENACTS:

36 **26B-4-412**, Utah Code Annotated 1953

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38 *Be it enacted by the Legislature of the state of Utah:*

39 Section 1. Section **26B-4-401** is amended to read:

40 **26B-4-401 . Definitions.**

41 As used in this part:

42 (1) "Agent" means a coach, teacher, employee, representative, or volunteer.

43 (2)(a) "Amateur sports organization" means, except as provided in Subsection (2)(b):

44 (i) a sports team;

45 (ii) a public or private school;

46 (iii) a public or private sports league;

47 (iv) a public or private sports camp; or

48 (v) any other public or private organization that organizes, manages, or sponsors a  
49 sporting event for its members, enrollees, or attendees.

50 (b) "Amateur sports organization" does not include a professional:

51 (i) team;

52 (ii) league; or

53 (iii) sporting event.

54 (3) "Anaphylaxis" means a potentially life-threatening hypersensitivity to a substance.

55 (a) Symptoms of anaphylaxis may include shortness of breath, wheezing, difficulty  
56 breathing, difficulty talking or swallowing, hives, itching, swelling, shock, or asthma.

57 (b) Causes of anaphylaxis may include insect sting, food allergy, drug reaction, and  
58 exercise.

59 (4) "Asthma action plan" means a written plan:

60 (a) developed with a school nurse, a student's parent or guardian, and the student's health  
61 care provider to help control the student's asthma; and

62 (b) signed by the student's:

63 (i) parent or guardian; and

64 (ii) health care provider.

- 65 (5) "Asthma emergency" means an episode of respiratory distress that may include  
66 symptoms such as wheezing, shortness of breath, coughing, chest tightness, or breathing  
67 difficulty.
- 68 (6) "Child" means an individual who is under ~~[the age of 18]~~ 18 years old.
- 69 (7) "Department health care provider" means a health care provider who is acting in the  
70 capacity of a health care provider during employment for the department.
- 71 (8) "Epinephrine auto-injector" means a portable, disposable drug delivery device that  
72 contains a measured, single dose of epinephrine that is used to treat a person suffering a  
73 potentially fatal anaphylactic reaction.
- 74 (9) "Glucagon authorization" means the same as that term is defined in Section 53G-9-504.
- 75 (10) "Glucagon kit" means a medical device that contains a premeasured dose of glucagon  
76 for the emergency treatment of hypoglycemia.
- 77 ~~[(9)]~~ (11) "Health care provider" means an individual who is licensed as:  
78 (a) a physician under Title 58, Chapter 67, Utah Medical Practice Act;  
79 (b) a physician under Title 58, Chapter 68, Utah Osteopathic Medical Practice Act;  
80 (c) an advanced practice registered nurse under Section 58-31b-302; or  
81 (d) a physician assistant under Title 58, Chapter 70a, Utah Physician Assistant Act.
- 82 (12) "Hypoglycemia" means a potentially life threatening condition resulting from  
83 abnormally low blood glucose levels.
- 84 ~~[(10)]~~ (13) "Pharmacist" means the same as that term is defined in Section 58-17b-102.
- 85 ~~[(11)]~~ (14) "Pharmacy intern" means the same as that term is defined in Section 58-17b-102.
- 86 ~~[(12)]~~ (15) "Physician" means the same as that term is defined in Section 58-67-102.
- 87 ~~[(13)]~~ (16) "Public school" means a district school or a charter school.
- 88 ~~[(14)]~~ (17) "Qualified adult" means a person who:  
89 (a) is at least 18 years old; and  
90 (b)(i) for purposes of administering an epinephrine auto-injector, has successfully  
91 completed the training program established in Section 26B-4-407;  
92 (ii) for purposes of administering a glucagon kit, has successfully completed the  
93 training program established in Section 26B-4-412; and  
94 ~~[(ii)]~~ (iii) for purposes of administering stock albuterol, has successfully completed  
95 the training program established in Section 26B-4-408.
- 96 ~~[(15)]~~ (18) "Qualified epinephrine auto-injector entity":  
97 (a) means a facility or organization that employs, contracts with, or has a similar  
98 relationship with a qualified adult who is likely to have contact with another person

- 99 who may experience anaphylaxis; and
- 100 (b) includes:
- 101 (i) recreation camps;
- 102 (ii) an education facility, school, or university;
- 103 (iii) a day care facility;
- 104 (iv) youth sports leagues;
- 105 (v) amusement parks;
- 106 (vi) food establishments;
- 107 (vii) places of employment; and
- 108 (viii) recreation areas.
- 109 (19) "Qualified glucagon kit entity" means a public or private school that employs,
- 110 contracts with, or has a similar relationship with a qualified adult who is likely to have
- 111 contact with another person who may experience a diabetic emergency.
- 112 ~~(16)~~ (20) "Qualified health care provider" means a health care provider who:
- 113 (a) is licensed under Title 58, Occupations and Professions; and
- 114 (b) may evaluate and manage a concussion within the health care provider's scope of
- 115 practice.
- 116 ~~(17)~~ (21) "Qualified stock albuterol entity" means a public or private school that employs,
- 117 contracts with, or has a similar relationship with a qualified adult who is likely to have
- 118 contact with another person who may experience an asthma emergency.
- 119 ~~(18)~~ (22)(a) "Sporting event" means any of the following athletic activities that is
- 120 organized, managed, or sponsored by an organization:
- 121 (i) a game;
- 122 (ii) a practice;
- 123 (iii) a sports camp;
- 124 (iv) a physical education class;
- 125 (v) a competition; or
- 126 (vi) a tryout.
- 127 (b) "Sporting event" does not include:
- 128 (i) the issuance of a lift ticket or pass by a ski resort, the use of the ticket or pass, or a
- 129 ski or snowboarding class or school at a ski resort, unless the skiing or
- 130 snowboarding is part of a camp, team, or competition that is organized, managed,
- 131 or sponsored by the ski resort;
- 132 (ii) as applied to a government entity, merely making available a field, facility, or

133 other location owned, leased, or controlled by the government entity to an amateur  
134 sports organization or a child, regardless of whether the government entity charges  
135 a fee for the use; or

136 (iii) free play or recess taking place during school hours.

137 [(19)] (23) "Stock albuterol" means a prescription inhaled medication:

138 (a) used to treat asthma; and

139 (b) that may be delivered through a device, including:

140 (i) an inhaler; or

141 (ii) a nebulizer with a mouthpiece or mask.

142 [(20)] (24) "Traumatic head injury" means an injury to the head arising from blunt trauma,  
143 an acceleration force, or a deceleration force, with one of the following observed or  
144 self-reported conditions attributable to the injury:

145 (a) transient confusion, disorientation, or impaired consciousness;

146 (b) dysfunction of memory;

147 (c) loss of consciousness; or

148 (d) signs of other neurological or neuropsychological dysfunction, including:

149 (i) seizures;

150 (ii) irritability;

151 (iii) lethargy;

152 (iv) vomiting;

153 (v) headache;

154 (vi) dizziness; or

155 (vii) fatigue.

156 Section 2. Section **26B-4-406** is amended to read:

157 **26B-4-406 . Voluntary participation.**

158 (1) Sections 26B-4-406 through [~~26B-4-411~~] 26B-4-412 do not create a duty or standard of  
159 care for:

160 (a) a person to be trained in the use and storage of epinephrine auto-injectors, glucagon  
161 kits, or stock albuterol; or

162 (b) except as provided in Subsection (5), a qualified epinephrine auto-injector entity to  
163 store epinephrine auto-injectors, a qualified glucagon kit entity to store glucagon kits  
164 on its premises, or a qualified stock albuterol entity to store stock albuterol on its  
165 premises.

166 (2) Except as provided in Subsections (3) and (5), a decision by a person to successfully

167 complete a training program under Section 26B-4-407 [~~or~~] , 26B-4-408, or 26B-4-412  
168 and to make emergency epinephrine auto-injectors, glucagon kits, or stock albuterol  
169 available under the provisions of Sections 26B-4-406 through [~~26B-4-411~~] 26B-4-412 is  
170 voluntary.

171 (3) A school, school board, or school official may not prohibit or dissuade a teacher or  
172 other school employee at a primary or secondary school in the state, either public or  
173 private, from:

174 (a) completing a training program under Section 26B-4-407[~~or~~] , 26B-4-408, or  
175 26B-4-412;

176 (b) possessing or storing an epinephrine auto-injector, glucagon kit, or stock albuterol on  
177 school property if:

178 (i) the teacher or school employee is a qualified adult; and

179 (ii) the possession and storage is in accordance with the training received under  
180 Section 26B-4-407[~~or~~] , 26B-4-408, or 26B-4-412; or

181 (c) administering an epinephrine auto-injector, glucagon kit, or stock albuterol to any  
182 person, if:

183 (i) the teacher or school employee is a qualified adult; and

184 (ii) the administration is in accordance with the training received under Section  
185 26B-4-407[~~or~~] , 26B-4-408, or 26B-4-412.

186 (4) A school, school board, or school official may encourage a teacher or other school  
187 employee to volunteer to become a qualified adult.

188 (5)(a) Each primary or secondary school in the state, both public and private, shall make  
189 an emergency epinephrine auto-injector available to any teacher or other school  
190 employee who:

191 (i) is employed at the school; and

192 (ii) is a qualified adult.

193 (b) This section does not require a school described in Subsection (5)(a) to keep more  
194 than one emergency epinephrine auto-injector on the school premises, so long as it  
195 may be quickly accessed by a teacher or other school employee, who is a qualified  
196 adult, in the event of an emergency.

197 (6)(a) Each primary or secondary school in the state, both public and private, may make  
198 a glucagon kit available to any school employee who:

199 (i) is employed at the school; and

200 (ii) is a qualified adult.

- 201 (b) A qualified adult may administer a glucagon kit to a student who:  
 202 (i) has a diagnosis of diabetes by a health care provider;  
 203 (ii) has a glucagon authorization on file with the school; and  
 204 (iii) is showing symptoms of hypoglycemia.  
 205 (c) This Subsection (6) does not relieve a student's parent or guardian from providing a  
 206 student's medication or create an expectation that a school will have a glucagon kit  
 207 available.

208 [~~(6)~~] (7)(a) Each primary or secondary school in the state, both public and private, may  
 209 make stock albuterol available to any school employee who:

- 210 (i) is employed at the school; and  
 211 (ii) is a qualified adult.

212 (b) A qualified adult may administer stock albuterol to a student who:

- 213 (i) has a diagnosis of asthma by a health care provider;  
 214 (ii) has a current asthma action plan on file with the school; and  
 215 (iii) is showing symptoms of an asthma emergency as described in the student's  
 216 asthma action plan.

217 (c) This Subsection [~~(6)~~] (7) may not be interpreted to relieve a student's parent or  
 218 guardian of providing a student's medication or create an expectation that a school  
 219 will have stock albuterol available.

220 [~~(7)~~] (8) No school, school board, or school official shall retaliate or otherwise take adverse  
 221 action against a teacher or other school employee for:

- 222 (a) volunteering under Subsection (2);  
 223 (b) engaging in conduct described in Subsection (3); or  
 224 (c) failing or refusing to become a qualified adult.

225 Section 3. Section **26B-4-409** is amended to read:

226 **26B-4-409 . Authority to obtain and use an epinephrine auto-injector, glucagon**  
 227 **kit, or stock albuterol.**

228 (1) The school district physician, a department health care provider, the medical director of  
 229 the local health department, or the local emergency medical services director may  
 230 provide a prescription for the following if requested by a qualified adult, who is a  
 231 teacher or other school employee at a public or private primary or secondary school in  
 232 the state, or a school nurse:

- 233 (a) epinephrine auto-injectors for use in accordance with this part;  
 234 (b) a glucagon kit for use in accordance with this part; or

- 235        ~~(b)~~ (c) stock albuterol for use in accordance with this part.
- 236        (2)(a) A qualified adult may obtain an epinephrine auto-injector for use in accordance  
237        with this part that is dispensed by:
- 238            (i) a pharmacist as provided under Section 58-17b-1004; or  
239            (ii) a pharmacy intern as provided under Section 58-17b-1004.
- 240        (b) A qualified adult may obtain a glucagon kit for use in accordance with this part that  
241        is dispensed by:
- 242            (i) a pharmacist as provided under Section 58-17b-1004; or  
243            (ii) a pharmacy intern as provided under Section 58-17b-1004.
- 244        ~~(b)~~ (c) A qualified adult may obtain stock albuterol for use in accordance with this part  
245        that is dispensed by:
- 246            (i) a pharmacist as provided under Section 58-17b-1004; or  
247            (ii) a pharmacy intern as provided under Section 58-17b-1004.
- 248        (3) A qualified adult:
- 249            (a) may immediately administer an epinephrine auto-injector to a person exhibiting  
250            potentially life-threatening symptoms of anaphylaxis when a physician or physician  
251            assistant is not immediately available; and
- 252            (b) shall initiate emergency medical services or other appropriate medical follow-up in  
253            accordance with the training materials retained under Section 26B-4-407 after  
254            administering an epinephrine auto-injector.
- 255        (4) If a school nurse is not immediately available, a qualified adult:
- 256            (a) may immediately administer a glucagon kit to an individual who:
- 257                    (i) has a diagnosis of diabetes by a health care provider;  
258                    (ii) has a glucagon authorization on file with the school; and  
259                    (iii) is showing symptoms of hypoglycemia; and
- 260            (b) shall initiate appropriate medical follow-up in accordance with the training materials  
261            retained under Section 26B-4-412 after administering a glucagon kit.
- 262        (5) If a school nurse is not immediately available, a qualified adult:
- 263            (a) may immediately administer stock albuterol to an individual who:
- 264                    (i) has a diagnosis of asthma by a health care provider;  
265                    (ii) has a current asthma action plan on file with the school; and  
266                    (iii) is showing symptoms of an asthma emergency as described in the student's  
267                    asthma action plan; and
- 268            (b) shall initiate appropriate medical follow-up in accordance with the training materials



- 269 retained under Section 26B-4-408 after administering stock albuterol.
- 270 ~~[(5)]~~ (6)(a) A qualified entity that complies with Subsection~~[-(5)(b)]~~ (6)(b), ~~[or](c), or (d),~~
- 271 may obtain a supply of epinephrine auto-injectors, glucagon kits, or stock albuterol,
- 272 respectively, from a pharmacist under Section 58-17b-1004, or a pharmacy intern
- 273 under Section 58-17b-1004 for:
- 274 (i) storing:
- 275 (A) the epinephrine auto-injectors on the qualified epinephrine auto-injector
- 276 entity's premises;
- 277 (B) the glucagon kits on the qualified glucagon kit entity's premises; and
- 278 ~~[(B)]~~ (C) stock albuterol on the qualified stock albuterol entity's premises; and
- 279 (ii) use by a qualified adult in accordance with ~~[Subsection (3) or (4).]~~ Subsections (3)
- 280 through (5).
- 281 (b) A qualified epinephrine auto-injector entity shall:
- 282 (i) designate an individual to complete an initial and annual refresher training
- 283 program regarding the proper storage and emergency use of an epinephrine
- 284 auto-injector available to a qualified adult; and
- 285 (ii) store epinephrine auto-injectors in accordance with the standards established by
- 286 the department in Section 26B-4-411.
- 287 (c) A qualified glucagon kit entity shall:
- 288 (i) designate an individual to complete an initial and annual refresher training
- 289 program regarding the proper storage and emergency use of a glucagon kit
- 290 available to a qualified adult; and
- 291 (ii) store a glucagon kit in accordance with the standards established by the
- 292 department in Section 26B-4-411.
- 293 ~~[(e)]~~ (d) A qualified stock albuterol entity shall:
- 294 (i) designate an individual to complete an initial and annual refresher training
- 295 program regarding the proper storage and emergency use of stock albuterol
- 296 available to a qualified adult; and
- 297 (ii) store stock albuterol in accordance with the standards established by the
- 298 department in Section 26B-4-411.
- 299 Section 4. Section **26B-4-410** is amended to read:
- 300 **26B-4-410 . Immunity from liability.**
- 301 (1) The following, if acting in good faith, are not liable in any civil or criminal action for
- 302 any act taken or not taken under the authority of Sections 26B-4-406 through ~~[26B-4-411]~~

- 303 26B-4-412 with respect to an anaphylactic reaction, diabetic emergency, or asthma  
 304 emergency:
- 305 (a) a qualified adult;
- 306 (b) a physician, physician assistant, pharmacist, or any other person or entity authorized  
 307 to prescribe or dispense prescription drugs;
- 308 (c) a person who conducts training described in Section 26B-4-407[~~or~~], 26B-4-408, or  
 309 26B-4-412;
- 310 (d) a qualified epinephrine auto-injector entity;
- 311 (e) a qualified glucagon kit entity;
- 312 [(e)] (f) a qualified stock albuterol entity;
- 313 [(f)] (g) the department;
- 314 [(g)] (h) a local health department;
- 315 [(h)] (i) a local education agency; and
- 316 [(i)] (j) a local emergency medical services entity.
- 317 (2) Section 53G-9-502 does not apply to the administration of an epinephrine auto-injector,  
 318 glucagon kit, or stock albuterol in accordance with this part.
- 319 (3) This section does not eliminate, limit, or reduce any other immunity from liability or  
 320 defense against liability that may be available under state law.

321 Section 5. Section **26B-4-411** is amended to read:

322 **26B-4-411 . Administrative rulemaking authority.**

323 The department shall adopt rules in accordance with Title 63G, Chapter 3, Utah  
 324 Administrative Rulemaking Act, to:

- 325 (1) establish and approve training programs in accordance with Sections 26B-4-407[~~and~~],  
 326 26B-4-408, and 26B-4-412;
- 327 (2) establish a procedure for determining who is eligible for training as a qualified adult  
 328 under Subsection 26B-4-407(6)(b)(v); and
- 329 (3) establish standards for storage of:
- 330 (a) emergency auto-injectors by a qualified epinephrine auto-injector entity under  
 331 Section 26B-4-407;
- 332 (b) a glucagon kit by a qualified glucagon kit entity under Section 26B-4-412; and  
 333 [(b)] (c) stock albuterol by a qualified stock albuterol entity under Section 26B-4-408.

334 Section 6. Section **26B-4-412** is enacted to read:

335 **26B-4-412 . Training in use and storage of a glucagon kit.**

- 336 (1)(a) Each primary and secondary school in the state, both public and private, shall

337 make initial and annual refresher training regarding the storage and emergency use of  
 338 a glucagon kit available to a teacher or school employee who volunteers to become a  
 339 qualified adult.

340 (b) The department shall provide the training described in Subsection (1)(a).

341 (2) A person who provides training under Subsection (1) or (5) shall include in the training:

342 (a) techniques for recognizing symptoms of a hypoglycemic emergency;

343 (b) standards and procedures for the storage and emergency use of a glucagon kit;

344 (c) emergency follow-up procedures, and contacting, if possible, the student's parent; and

345 (d) written materials covering the information required under this Subsection (2).

346 (3) A qualified adult shall retain for reference the written materials prepared in accordance  
 347 with Subsection (2)(d).

348 (4) A public or private school shall permit a student to possess and self-administer diabetes  
 349 medication in accordance with Section 53G-9-506.

350 (5) The department:

351 (a) shall approve educational programs conducted by other persons to train:

352 (i) people under Subsection (5)(b), regarding the proper use and storage of a  
 353 glucagon kit; and

354 (ii) a qualified glucagon kit entity regarding the proper storage and emergency use of  
 355 a glucagon kit; and

356 (b) may conduct educational programs to train people regarding the use of and storage of  
 357 a glucagon kit.

358 Section 7. Section **58-17b-1002** is amended to read:

359 **58-17b-1002 . Definitions.**

360 As used in this part:

361 (1) "Epinephrine auto-injector" means the same as that term is defined in Section 26B-4-401.

362 (2) "Glucagon kit" means the same as that term is defined in Section 26B-4-401.

363 [(2)] (3) "Local health department" means the same as that term is defined in Section  
 364 26A-1-102.

365 [(3)] (4) "Physician" means the same as that term is defined in Section 58-67-102.

366 [(4)] (5) "Qualified adult" means the same as that term is defined in Section 26B-4-401.

367 [(5)] (6) "Qualified epinephrine auto-injector entity" means the same as that term is defined  
 368 in Section 26B-4-401.

369 [(6)] (7) "Qualified stock albuterol entity" means the same as that term is defined in Section  
 370 26B-4-401.

371 [(7)] (8) "Stock albuterol" means the same as that term is defined in Section 26B-4-401.

372 Section 8. Section **58-17b-1003** is amended to read:

373 **58-17b-1003 . Voluntary participation.**

374 This part does not create a duty or standard of care for a person to prescribe or dispense  
375 an epinephrine auto-injector, glucagon kit, or stock albuterol.

376 Section 9. Section **58-17b-1004** is amended to read:

377 **58-17b-1004 . Authorization to dispense an epinephrine auto-injector, glucagon**  
378 **kit, and stock albuterol pursuant to a standing order.**

379 (1) Notwithstanding any other provision of this chapter, a pharmacist or pharmacy intern  
380 may dispense an epinephrine auto-injector:

381 (a)(i) to a qualified adult for use in accordance with Title 26B, Chapter 4, Part 4,  
382 School Health; or

383 (ii) to a qualified epinephrine auto-injector entity for use in accordance with Title  
384 26B, Chapter 4, Part 4, School Health;

385 (b) pursuant to a standing prescription drug order made in accordance with Section  
386 58-17b-1005;

387 (c) without any other prescription drug order from a person licensed to prescribe an  
388 epinephrine auto-injector; and

389 (d) in accordance with the dispensing guidelines in Section 58-17b-1006.

390 (2) Notwithstanding any other provision of this chapter, a pharmacist or pharmacy intern  
391 may dispense a glucagon kit:

392 (a)(i) to a qualified adult for use in accordance with Title 26B, Chapter 4, Part 4,  
393 School Health; or

394 (ii) to a qualified glucagon kit entity for use in accordance with Title 26B, Chapter 4,  
395 Part 4, School Health;

396 (b) pursuant to a standing prescription drug order made in accordance with Section  
397 58-17b-1005;

398 (c) without any other prescription drug order from a person licensed to prescribe a  
399 glucagon kit; and

400 (d) in accordance with the dispensing guidelines in Section 58-17b-1006.

401 [(2)] (3) Notwithstanding any other provision of this chapter, a pharmacist or pharmacy  
402 intern may dispense stock albuterol:

403 (a)(i) to a qualified adult for use in accordance with Title 26B, Chapter 4, Part 4,  
404 School Health; or

- 405 (ii) to a qualified stock albuterol entity for use in accordance with Title 26B, Chapter  
406 4, Part 4, School Health;
- 407 (b) pursuant to a standing prescription drug order made in accordance with Section  
408 58-17b-1005;
- 409 (c) without any other prescription drug order from a person licensed to prescribe stock  
410 albuterol; and
- 411 (d) in accordance with the dispensing guidelines in Section 58-17b-1006.

412 Section 10. Section **58-17b-1005** is amended to read:

413 **58-17b-1005 . Standing prescription drug orders for epinephrine auto-injectors,**  
414 **glucagon kits, and stock albuterol.**

415 (1) As used in this section:

416 (a) "Epinephrine protocol" means a protocol that:

- 417 (i) requires a physician to specify the persons, by professional license number,  
418 authorized to dispense the epinephrine auto-injector;
- 419 (ii) requires a physician to review at least annually the dispensing practices of the  
420 persons authorized by the physician to dispense the epinephrine auto-injector;
- 421 (iii) requires those authorized by a physician to dispense the epinephrine auto-injector  
422 to make and retain a record of each dispensing, including:
- 423 (A) the name of the qualified adult or qualified epinephrine auto-injector entity to  
424 whom the epinephrine auto-injector is dispensed;
- 425 (B) a description of the epinephrine auto-injector dispensed; and
- 426 (C) other relevant information; and
- 427 (iv) is approved by the division through rule made in accordance with Title 63G,  
428 Chapter 3, Utah Administrative Rulemaking Act, in collaboration with the  
429 Medical Licensing Board created in Section 58-67-201 and the board.

430 (b) "Glucagon kit protocol" means a protocol that:

- 431 (i) requires a physician to specify the persons, by professional license number,  
432 authorized to dispense the glucagon kit;
- 433 (ii) requires a physician to review at least annually the dispensing practices of the  
434 persons authorized by the physician to dispense the glucagon kit;
- 435 (iii) requires those authorized by the physician to dispense the glucagon kit to make  
436 and retain a record of each dispensing, including:
- 437 (A) the name of the qualified adult or qualified glucagon kit entity to whom the  
438 glucagon kit is dispensed;

- 439            (B) a description of the glucagon kit dispensed; and  
440            (C) other relevant information; and  
441            (iv) is approved by the division through rule made in accordance with Title 63G,  
442            Chapter 3, Utah Administrative Rulemaking Act, in collaboration with the  
443            Medical Licensing Board created in Section 58-67-201 and the board.  
444            ~~(b)~~ (c) "Stock albuterol protocol" means a protocol that:  
445            (i) requires a physician to specify the persons, by professional license number,  
446            authorized to dispense the stock albuterol;  
447            (ii) requires a physician to review at least annually the dispensing practices of the  
448            persons authorized by the physician to dispense the stock albuterol;  
449            (iii) requires those authorized by the physician to dispense the stock albuterol to  
450            make and retain a record of each dispensing, including:  
451            (A) the name of the qualified adult or qualified stock albuterol entity to whom the  
452            stock albuterol is dispensed;  
453            (B) a description of the stock albuterol dispensed; and  
454            (C) other relevant information; and  
455            (iv) is approved by the division through rule made in accordance with Title 63G,  
456            Chapter 3, Utah Administrative Rulemaking Act, in collaboration with the  
457            Medical Licensing Board created in Section 58-67-201 and the board.  
458            (2) Under Section 58-17b-1004, the Department of Health and Human Services shall have a  
459            physician acting in the physician's capacity as an employee of the Department of Health  
460            and Human Services issue a standing prescription drug order authorizing the dispensing  
461            of:  
462            (a) an epinephrine auto-injector in accordance with an epinephrine protocol;  
463            (b) a glucagon kit in accordance with a glucagon kit protocol; and  
464            ~~(b)~~ (c) stock albuterol in accordance with a stock albuterol protocol.  
465            (3) Under Section 58-17b-1004, a medical director of a local health department may issue a  
466            standing prescription drug order authorizing the dispensing of:  
467            (a) an epinephrine auto-injector in accordance with an epinephrine protocol;  
468            (b) a glucagon kit in accordance with a glucagon kit protocol; or  
469            ~~(b)~~ (c) stock albuterol in accordance with a stock albuterol protocol.  
470            Section 11. Section **58-17b-1006** is amended to read:  
471            **58-17b-1006 . Guidelines for dispensing an epinephrine auto-injector, glucagon**  
472            **kit, and stock albuterol.**

473 (1) A pharmacist or pharmacy intern who dispenses an epinephrine auto-injector under this  
 474 part shall, at a minimum, provide patient counseling to the qualified adult or qualified  
 475 epinephrine auto-injector entity to whom the epinephrine auto-injector is dispensed  
 476 regarding:

- 477 (a) the appropriate administration and storage of the epinephrine auto-injector;
- 478 (b) potential side effects and risks of the epinephrine auto-injector; and
- 479 (c) when to seek emergency medical attention.

480 (2) A pharmacist or pharmacy intern who dispenses a glucagon kit under this part shall, at  
 481 minimum, provide patient counseling to the qualified adult or qualified glucagon kit  
 482 entity to whom the glucagon kit is dispensed regarding:

- 483 (a) the appropriate administration and storage of the glucagon kit;
- 484 (b) potential side effects and risks of the glucagon kit; and
- 485 (c) when to seek emergency medical attention.

486 ~~[(2)]~~ (3) A pharmacist or pharmacy intern who dispenses stock albuterol under this part  
 487 shall, at a minimum, provide patient counseling to the qualified adult or qualified stock  
 488 albuterol entity to whom the stock albuterol is dispensed regarding:

- 489 (a) the appropriate administration and storage of the stock albuterol;
- 490 (b) potential side effects and risks of the stock albuterol; and
- 491 (c) when to seek emergency medical attention.

492 Section 12. Section **58-17b-1007** is amended to read:

493 **58-17b-1007 . Limited civil liability.**

494 ~~[(4)]~~ A physician who issues a standing prescription drug order in accordance with Subsection [  
 495 ~~58-17b-1005(1)]~~ 58-17b-1005(2) is not liable, under this part, for any civil damages for acts  
 496 or omissions resulting from the dispensing of~~[-an]~~ :

- 497 (1) an epinephrine auto-injector~~[-under this part:]~~ ;
- 498 (2) a glucagon kit; or

499 ~~[(2)]~~ (3) ~~[A physician who issues a standing prescription drug order in accordance with~~  
 500 ~~Subsection 58-17b-1005(2) is not liable for any civil damages for acts or omissions~~  
 501 ~~resulting from the dispensing of ]~~stock albuterol~~[-under this part].~~

502 Section 13. **Effective Date.**

503 This bill takes effect on July 1, 2025.