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26-55-106 Overdose outreach providers.

Notwithstanding Sections 58-1-501, 58-17b-501, and 58-17b-502:

- (1) an overdose outreach provider may:
 - (a) obtain an opiate antagonist dispensed on prescription by:
 - (i) a health care provider, in accordance with Subsections 26-55-104(2) and (3); or
 - (ii) a pharmacist or pharmacy intern, as otherwise authorized by Title 58, Chapter 17b, Pharmacy Practice Act;
 - (b) store the opiate antagonist; and
 - (c) furnish the opiate antagonist:
 - (i)
 - (A) to an individual who is at increased risk of experiencing an opiate-related drug overdose event; or
 - (B) to a family member of, friend of, or other individual who is in a position to assist an individual who is at increased risk of experiencing an opiate-related drug overdose event; and
 - (ii) without liability for any civil damages for acts or omissions made as a result of furnishing the opiate antagonist in good faith; and
- (2) when furnishing an opiate antagonist under Subsection (1), an overdose outreach provider:
 - (a) shall also furnish to the recipient of the opiate antagonist:
 - (i) the written instruction under Subsection 26-55-104(3) received by the overdose outreach provider from the health care provider at the time the opiate antagonist was dispensed to the overdose outreach provider; or
 - (ii) if the opiate antagonist was dispensed to the overdose outreach provider by a pharmacist or pharmacy intern, any written patient counseling under Section 58-17b-613 received by the overdose outreach provider at the time of dispensing; and
 - (b) may provide additional instruction on how to recognize and respond appropriately to an opiate-related drug overdose event.

Amended by Chapter 202, 2016 General Session, (Coordination Clause)

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