



**TEXAS STATE BOARD OF PHARMACY
REPORT TO THE TEXAS PHARMACY CONGRESS**

February 26, 2021

I. ADOPTED RULES (February 2, 2021 Meeting)

A. CHAPTER 295. PHARMACISTS

§295.13

The Texas State Board of Pharmacy adopted amendments to §295.13, concerning Drug Therapy Management by a Pharmacist under Written Protocol of a Physician. The amendments, if adopted, updates the notification requirements for a pharmacist who signs a prescription for a dangerous drug pursuant to a written protocol and corrects grammatical errors.

B. CHAPTER 315. CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES

§315.15

The Texas State Board of Pharmacy adopted amendments to §315.15, concerning Access Requirements. The amendments, if adopted, specify that the duty to consult the Prescription Monitoring Program (PMP) before dispensing specified controlled substances is limited to outpatient prescriptions.

II. PROPOSED RULES (February 2, 2021 Meeting)

A. CHAPTER 291. PHARMACIES

SUBCHAPTER A. ALL CLASSES OF PHARMACIES

§291.11

The Texas State Board of Pharmacy proposed amendments to §291.11 concerning Operation of a Pharmacy. The amendments, if adopted, correct citation references and a short title reference.

B. SUBCHAPTER B. COMMUNITY PHARMACY (CLASS A)

§291.34

The Texas State Board of Pharmacy proposed amendments to §291.34 concerning Records. The amendments, if adopted, clarify that a pharmacist may electronically sign the data entry attestation statement and update references to DEA 222 form requirements to be consistent with federal regulations.

C. SUBCHAPTER D. INSTITUTIONAL PHARMACY (CLASS C)

§291.75

The Texas State Board of Pharmacy proposed amendments to §291.34 concerning Records. The amendments, if adopted, update references to DEA 222 form requirements to be consistent with federal regulations.

D. §291.76

The Texas State Board of Pharmacy proposed amendments to §291.34 concerning Class C Pharmacies Located in a Freestanding Ambulatory Surgical

Center. The amendments, if adopted, update references to DEA 222 form requirements to be consistent with federal regulations.

E. CHAPTER 315. CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES

§315.3

The Texas State Board of Pharmacy proposes amendments to §315.15, concerning Prescriptions. The amendments, if adopted, extend the time period for Schedule II prescriptions to be valid to no longer than 30 days to be consistent with federal law.

F. §315.5

The Texas State Board of Pharmacy proposes amendments to §315.15, concerning Pharmacy Responsibility - Generally - Effective September 1, 2016. The amendments, if adopted, remove the effective date from the short title and extend the time period for Schedule II prescriptions to be valid to no longer than 30 days to be consistent with federal law.