Session of 2023

## **HOUSE BILL No. 2263**

By Committee on Health and Human Services

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AN ACT concerning health and healthcare; relating to pharmacy; authorizing pharmacy technicians to administer certain vaccines; amending K.S.A. 65-1635a and repealing the existing section.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Kansas:

Section 1. K.S.A. 65-1635a is hereby amended to read as follows: 65-1635a. (a) A pharmacist, or a pharmacy student—or, intern *or pharmacy technician* who is working under the direct supervision and control of a pharmacist, may administer influenza vaccine to a person six years of age or older and may administer vaccine, other than influenza vaccine, to a person 12 years of age or older pursuant to a vaccination protocol if the pharmacist, pharmacy student—or, intern *or pharmacy technician* has successfully completed a course of study and training, approved by the accreditation council for pharmacy or the board, in vaccination storage, protocols, injection technique, emergency procedures and recordkeeping and has taken a course in cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR) and has a current CPR certificate when administering vaccine. A pharmacist—or, pharmacy student—or, intern *or pharmacy technician* who successfully completes such a course of study and training shall maintain proof of completion and, upon request, provide a copy of such proof to the board.

- (b) All vaccinees will be given a written immunization record for their personal files. The administering pharmacist or pharmacist supervising an administering pharmacy student—or, intern or pharmacy technician shall promptly report a record of the immunization to the vaccinee's primary care provider by mail, electronic facsimile,—e-mail email or other electronic means. If the vaccinee does not have a primary care provider, then the administering pharmacist or pharmacist supervising an administering pharmacy student—or, intern or pharmacy technician shall promptly report a record of the immunization to the person licensed to practice medicine and surgery by the state board of healing arts who has entered into the vaccination protocol with the pharmacist. The immunization will also be reported to appropriate county or state immunization registries, except that if the person vaccinated or, if the person is a minor, the parent or guardian of the minor, objects to the report, the report shall not be made.
  - (c) A pharmacist, pharmacy student-or, intern-may or pharmacy

18 years of age or older and