

# Texas State Board of Pharmacy M E M O R A N D U M

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TO: Board Members

Staff

**Interested Parties** 

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**SUBJECT:** Rules adopted and proposed at the May 2025 Board Meeting

# **ADOPTED RULES**

#### CHAPTER 281. ADMINISTRATIVE PRACTICE AND PROCEDURES

#### SUBCHAPTER A. GENERAL PROVISIONS

#### §281.2

The Texas State Board of Pharmacy adopted amendments to §281.2, concerning Definitions. The amendments correct the chapter range in the definition of the Act.

# **CHAPTER 291. PHARMACIES**

# SUBCHAPTER B. COMMUNITY PHARMACY (CLASS A)

## §291.32

The Texas State Board of Pharmacy adopted amendments to §291.32, concerning Personnel. The amendments exclude central fill pharmacies that have no patient-facing contact from the required minimum ratio of pharmacists to pharmacy technicians and pharmacy technician trainees.

# SUBCHAPTER C. NUCLEAR PHARMACY (CLASS B)

## §291.55

The Texas State Board of Pharmacy adopted amendments to §291.55, concerning Records. The amendments update a citation concerning a statutory provision that has been repealed.

## SUBCHAPTER F. NON-RESIDENT PHARMACY (CLASS E)

## §291.102

The Texas State Board of Pharmacy adopted amendments to §291.102, concerning Definitions. The amendments correct the chapter range in the definition of the Act.

#### **CHAPTER 315. CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES**

### §315.3

The Texas State Board of Pharmacy adopted amendments to §315.13, concerning Official Prescription Form - Effective September 1, 2016. The amendments remove a recordkeeping requirement concerning a statutory provision that has been repealed and the effective date from the short title.

## **PROPOSED RULES**

#### **CHAPTER 291. PHARMACIES**

#### SUBCHAPTER A. ALL CLASSES OF PHARMACIES

## §291.9

The Texas State Board of Pharmacy proposed amendments to §291.9, concerning Prescription Pick Up Locations. The amendments, if adopted, allow a pharmacist or pharmacy to deliver prescription drugs by means of a contract carrier and certain prescription drugs by use of unmanned aircraft systems.

### §291.12

The Texas State Board of Pharmacy proposed amendments to §291.12, concerning Delivery of Prescription Drugs. The amendments, if adopted, allow and specify requirements for delivery of prescription drugs by contract carriers and unmanned aircraft systems.

#### §291.17

The Texas State Board of Pharmacy proposed amendments to §291.17, concerning Inventory Requirements. The amendments, if adopted, remove inventory notarization requirements.

# **RULE REVIEW**

The Texas State Board of Pharmacy approved the FY2026-FY2029 Rule Review Plan in Accordance with Government Code, Section §2001.039, regarding Agency Review of Existing Rules