

HB 2104 -- ASSISTANT PHYSICIANS

SPONSOR: Morris (140)

Currently, an assistant physician must complete at least 120 hours of collaboration with a collaborating physician within a four-month period before prescribing controlled substances when the collaborating physician is not on-site.

This bill allows the collaborating physician to engage additional physicians to supervise the assistant physician while performing the 120 hours of collaboration. Once an assistant physician has completed the 120 hours of collaboration, the assistant physician does not have to repeat the requirement if he or she changes collaborating physicians.