

DISCUSSION AND DETERMINATION

Prescriptions for immunizations

A request has been made by a Board member for a discussion on the prohibition of a prescription written by a prescriber ordering the pharmacist to give an immunization. This situation usually arises when the immunization is being ordered outside of a protocol or manufacturer recommendation. (i.e. age limitation).

The following statutes and regulations should be reviewed prior to the discussion:

NRS 454.213 (20) - (authority to administer by a pharmacist)

NAC 639.297 – 639.2978 – (pharmacist immunization regs)