

**PROPOSED REGULATION OF THE  
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# Proposed Regulation of the Nevada State Board of Pharmacy

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## **A REGULATION relating to forwarding of information between pharmacies for new prescriptions.**

**NAC 639.\_\_\_\_ Forwarding of information between pharmacies: New prescriptions. (NRS 639.070, 639.0745)**

*1. Upon the request of the patient or the prescribing practitioner, information relating to a new prescription for a dangerous drug or controlled substance that has not been filled by any pharmacy may be forwarded between pharmacies and is subject to the following conditions:*

- (a) Information relating to a prescription may be forwarded orally, by a facsimile machine or by a computer directly between two registered pharmacists.*
- (b) The pharmacist who forwards the information relating to the prescription shall invalidate the prescription by indicating in the records of the prescription that the prescription has been “forwarded”. The record of the prescription shall also include:
  - (1) The name of the pharmacist who forwarded the information relating to the prescription;*
  - (2) The date in which the information was forwarded;*
  - (3) The name and address of the pharmacy to which the prescription was forwarded;*
  - (4) The name of the pharmacist who received the information relating to the prescription;*and
  - (5) If the prescription is for a controlled substance, the registration number issued by the Drug Enforcement Administration for the pharmacy that received the information.**
- (c) The pharmacist who receives the information relating to the prescription shall indicate in the records of the forwarded prescription that the information relating to the prescription was forwarded from another pharmacy. The record shall also include:
  - (1) The date in which the information was forwarded;*
  - (2) The name and address of the pharmacy from which the prescription was forwarded;*and
  - (3) The name of the pharmacist who forwarded the information relating to the prescription.*
  - (4) If the prescription is for a controlled substance, the registration number issued by the Drug Enforcement Administration for the pharmacy that forwarded the information.**
- (d) The original prescription and all records pertaining to the prescription must be maintained for 2 years.*