

House File 648 - Introduced

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BY COMMITTEE ON HEALTH AND HUMAN
SERVICES

(SUCCESSOR TO HF 339)

A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to a licensed sedation provider host permit for a
2 dentist.

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

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1 Section 1. NEW SECTION. **153.25 Licensed sedation provider**
2 **host permit.**

3 1. The board may issue a licensed sedation provider host
4 permit to a dentist who does all of the following:

5 a. Completes a course approved by the board as described in
6 subsection 3. If the dentist completed the course more than
7 twelve months before the submission of the application, the
8 dentist must also hold a substantially similar permit issued in
9 another state.

10 b. Meets the facility and equipment requirements as
11 determined by the board by rule.

12 c. Receives certification in administering advanced
13 cardiovascular life support from the American heart association
14 or an equivalent certification as determined by the board by
15 rule.

16 d. Submits an application in a form prescribed by the board.

17 2. A dentist who holds a licensed sedation provider host
18 permit may do all of the following:

19 a. Employ a licensed sedation provider to administer moderate
20 sedation on an outpatient basis to a patient who is at least
21 thirteen years of age on whom the dentist is performing a dental
22 procedure.

23 b. Monitor a patient who is at least thirteen years of age
24 who is under moderate sedation.

25 3. a. The board shall only approve a course for licensure as
26 a licensed sedation provider host that provides instruction and
27 an assessment of knowledge and skill in the following areas:

28 (1) Preoperative patient assessment.

29 (2) Emergency scenarios and rescue.

30 (3) Respiratory complication.

31 (4) Patient safety and monitoring.

32 (5) Airway assessment and management.

33 (6) Anesthetic drugs.

34 (7) Recovery.

35 b. A course described in paragraph "a" shall ensure that a

1 course participant can do all of the following at the conclusion
2 of the course:

- 3 (1) Identify a high-risk patient.
- 4 (2) Differentiate between levels of sedation.
- 5 (3) Monitor a patient receiving moderate sedation.
- 6 (4) Rescue a patient from a deeper-than-intended level of
7 sedation.

8 c. The board shall review courses for approval on an annual
9 basis and shall only approve a course for which the director of
10 the course has submitted documentation indicating that the course
11 meets the requirements of this subsection. The board may require
12 the director of a course to participate in an interview as part
13 of the approval process.

14 4. For the purposes of this section, "*licensed sedation*
15 *provider*" means a physician and surgeon or osteopathic physician
16 and surgeon anesthesiologist or a certified registered nurse
17 anesthetist licensed in this state.

18 5. The board shall adopt rules pursuant to chapter 17A to
19 implement this section, including rules for the expiration and
20 renewal of a licensed sedation provider host permit.

21 EXPLANATION

22 The inclusion of this explanation does not constitute agreement with
23 the explanation's substance by the members of the general assembly.

24 This bill relates to the hosting of a licensed sedation
25 provider by a dentist. The bill allows the dental board
26 (board) to issue a licensed sedation provider host permit
27 (permit) to a dentist who completes a course approved by the
28 board, meets facility and equipment requirements as determined
29 by the board by rule, receives certification in administering
30 advanced cardiovascular life support from the American heart
31 association or an equivalent certification as determined by the
32 board by rule, and submits an application in a form prescribed
33 by the board. A dentist with a permit may employ a licensed
34 sedation provider, defined in the bill as a physician and
35 surgeon or osteopathic physician and surgeon anesthesiologist or

1 a certified registered nurse anesthetist licensed in this state,
2 to administer moderate sedation on an outpatient basis to a
3 patient who is at least 13 years of age on whom the dentist is
4 performing a dental procedure, and to monitor a patient who is at
5 least 13 years of age who is under moderate sedation.

6 The bill allows the board to approve a course for a permit
7 only if the course meets certain education requirements listed
8 in the bill. The bill requires the board to review courses for
9 approval on an annual basis and allows the board to approve a
10 course only if the course director has submitted documentation
11 indicating that the course meets the requirements of the bill.
12 The bill allows the board to require the director of a course
13 to participate in an interview as part of the approval process.
14 The bill requires the board to adopt rules for the implementation
15 of the bill, including rules for the expiration and renewal of a
16 permit.