
THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

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OCTOBER 24, 2023

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY, OCTOBER 24, 2023

AN ACT

1 Amending Title 63 (Professions and Occupations (State Licensed))
2 of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in powers and
3 duties, providing for limitations on discipline.

4 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
5 hereby enacts as follows:

6 Section 1. Title 63 of the Pennsylvania Consolidated
7 Statutes is amended by adding a section to read:

8 § 3119. Limitations on discipline.

9 (a) Limitations.--No person shall be disqualified from
10 licensure or subject to discipline by a licensing board or
11 licensing commission due to any of the following:

12 (1) The applicant or license, certificate, registration
13 or permit holder provided or assisted in the provision of
14 reproductive health care services.

15 (2) As consequence of a judgment, discipline or other
16 sanction intended to be imposed or imposed under the laws of
17 another state on the applicant or license, certificate,

1 registration or permit holder who assisted in the provision
2 of reproductive health care services if the services would
3 have been lawful and consistent with standards for good
4 professional practice in this Commonwealth.

5 (b) Definitions.--As used in this section, the term
6 "reproductive health care services" means medical, surgical,
7 counseling or referral services relating to the human
8 reproductive system, including services relating to pregnancy,
9 contraception or the termination of pregnancy.

10 Section 2. This act shall take effect in 60 days.