

## AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL NO. 572

Sponsor: REPRESENTATIVE HERSHEY

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1 Amend Bill, page 1, by inserting after line 18

2 "Acute pain." The sudden onset of pain in response to a  
3 specific injury that responds to medical treatment.

4 Amend Bill, page 2, line 5, by striking out "confirm" and  
5 inserting

6 assess

7 Amend Bill, page 2, by inserting between lines 6 and 7

8 "Chronic pain." Pain that persists or progresses over a  
9 period of time that may be related to another medical condition  
10 and is resistant to medical treatment. The term does not include  
11 acute pain.

12 Amend Bill, page 2, line 19, by inserting after "person."

13 The term includes treatment received in an emergency  
14 department or urgent care center under the act of November 2,  
15 2016 (P.L.976, No.122), known as the Safe Emergency Prescribing  
16 Act.

17 Amend Bill, page 2, line 27, by striking out "random"

18 Amend Bill, page 2, line 28, by striking out "random"

19 Amend Bill, page 3, line 7, by striking out "clinician" where  
20 it occurs the first time and inserting

21 prescriber

22 Amend Bill, page 3, line 7, by striking out "clinician" where  
23 it occurs the second time and inserting

24 prescriber

25 Amend Bill, page 4, lines 22 through 24, by striking out all  
26 of said lines and inserting

1                   Pennsylvania Opioid Prescribing Guidelines.

2       Amend Bill, page 5, by inserting between lines 5 and 6

3                   (vi) Appropriate disposal methods for opioids that  
4                   are no longer being used by the individual as specified  
5                   in a consultation with the prescriber.

6       Amend Bill, page 5, line 7, by inserting after "individual."

7                   The prescriber may utilize electronic methods to obtain  
8                   the written consent of the individual.

9       Amend Bill, page 5, line 24, by inserting after "signing."

10                   The prescriber may utilize electronic methods to obtain  
11                   the signature of the individual and the date of signing.

12       Amend Bill, page 6, lines 5 through 10, by striking out all  
13 of lines 5 through 9 and "(4)" in line 10 and inserting

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