

**SB15 ENROLLED**



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3 By Senator Beasley  
4 RFD: Healthcare  
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6 PFD: 11-Jan-24



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1 Enrolled, An Act,

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4 Relating to the Board of Pharmacy and compounding  
5 pharmacies; to further provide for the number of pharmacy  
6 technicians while compounding to comply with the ratios for  
7 supervision as provided by rule of the board.

8 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:

9 Section 1. Section 34-23-151 of the Code of Alabama  
10 1975, is amended to read as follows:

11 "§34-23-151

12 (a) Any pharmacist who engages in drug compounding  
13 shall be proficient in compounding and shall continually  
14 expand his or her compounding knowledge by participating in  
15 seminars or studying appropriate literature, or both.

16 (b) Pharmacy technicians may assist pharmacists in the  
17 preparation of compounds. When a written procedure for a  
18 compound is not on file at the pharmacy, a pharmacist must  
19 direct the preparation of the compound. At all times, a  
20 pharmacist shall verify the weight or volume of all active  
21 ingredients of a compound. While compounding, ~~there shall be~~  
22 ~~no more than three technicians per pharmacist~~ the number of  
23 pharmacy technicians shall comply with the ratios for  
24 supervision as provided by rule of the board.

25 (c) A pharmacist shall have responsibility to do all of  
26 the following:

27 (1) Verify all prescriptions.

28 (2) Approve or reject all components of the compounded



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29 product, drug product containers, closures, and labeling.

30 (3) Prepare and review all compounding records to  
31 assure that no errors have occurred in the compounding  
32 process.

33 (4) Assure the proper maintenance, cleanliness, and use  
34 of all equipment used in a prescription compounding practice.

35 (5) Assure that only personnel authorized by the  
36 supervising pharmacist shall be in the immediate vicinity of  
37 the drug compounding operation."

38 Section 2. This act shall become effective on June 1,  
39 2024.



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President and Presiding Officer of the Senate

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Speaker of the House of Representatives

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Senate 27-Feb-24

I hereby certify that the within Act originated in and passed the Senate.

Patrick Harris,  
Secretary.

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House of Representatives

Passed: 19-Mar-24

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