

By: Representatives Currie, Hale

To: Public Health and Human
Services

HOUSE BILL NO. 1430

1 AN ACT TO PROHIBIT THE STATE BOARD OF MEDICAL LICENSURE AND
2 THE MISSISSIPPI BOARD OF NURSING FROM ADOPTING ANY RULE OR POLICY
3 OR TAKING ANY OTHER ACTION THAT PROHIBITS PHYSICIANS OR ADVANCED
4 PRACTICE REGISTERED NURSES FROM PRESCRIBING DRUGS OR MEDICATIONS
5 FOR OFF-LABEL USE; TO PROHIBIT THE STATE BOARD OF PHARMACY FROM
6 ADOPTING ANY RULE OR POLICY OR TAKING ANY OTHER ACTION THAT
7 PROHIBITS PHARMACISTS FROM FILLING PRESCRIPTIONS WRITTEN BY
8 LICENSED PRACTITIONERS FOR OFF-LABEL USE; TO PROHIBIT THE
9 MISSISSIPPI BOARD OF NURSING FROM ADOPTING ANY RULE OR POLICY OR
10 TAKING ANY OTHER ACTION THAT PROHIBITS ADVANCED PRACTICE
11 REGISTERED NURSES FROM PRESCRIBING SEMAGLUTIDE; AND FOR RELATED
12 PURPOSES.

13 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI:

14 **SECTION 1.** (1) As used in this section, the term "off-label
15 use" means prescribing drugs or medications for indications, or
16 using a dosage or dosage form, that have not been approved by the
17 United States Food and Drug Administration. The term
18 "medications" in this definition includes compounding medications.

19 (2) The State Board of Medical Licensure shall not adopt any
20 rule or policy or take any other action that prohibits physicians
21 from prescribing drugs or medications for off-label use.

22 (3) The Mississippi Board of Nursing shall not adopt any
23 rule or policy or take any other action that prohibits advanced



24 practice registered nurses from prescribing drugs or medications
25 for off-label use.

26 (4) The State Board of Pharmacy shall not adopt any rule or
27 policy or take any other action that prohibits pharmacists from
28 filling prescriptions written by licensed practitioners for
29 off-label use.

30 **SECTION 2.** The Mississippi Board of Nursing shall not adopt
31 any rule or policy or take away other action that prohibits
32 advanced practice registered nurses from prescribing semaglutide
33 under any brand name or in a generic formula.

34 **SECTION 3.** This act shall take effect and be in force from
35 and after July 1, 2024.

