

2023 Updates to Pharmacist Immunization Authority



ARIZONA

Rulemaking ([State Board of Pharmacy](#)),
Effective September 2023

- + State Board of Pharmacy updated rules regarding pharmacy technician immunization authority.

CALIFORNIA

[AB 1286](#), Effective October 8, 2023

- + Authorizes a pharmacy technician under the direct supervision and control of a pharmacist to prepare and administer influenza and COVID-19 vaccines.

COLORADO

[SB 162](#), Effective May 4, 2023

- + Authorizes a pharmacy technician to vaccinate.

CONNECTICUT

[SB 1102](#), Effective June 27, 2023

- + Authorizes pharmacists and pharmacy technicians to administer additional vaccines.
- + Pharmacists are allowed to vaccinate 12-17 years with parental/guardian consent.

FLORIDA

Rulemaking ([Florida Board of Pharmacy](#)),
Effective September 2023

- + The Florida Board of Pharmacy promulgated rules adding RSV and COVID to the list of vaccines that pharmacists can administer.

GEORGIA

[HB 416](#), Effective May 2, 2023

- + Authorize qualified pharmacy technicians to administer certain vaccines to individuals 18 years of age or older.

ILLINOIS

[HB 559](#), Effective April 27, 2023

- + Provides that a registered pharmacy technician or student pharmacist may administer COVID-19 and influenza vaccinations.

KANSAS

[SB 131](#), Effective May 9, 2023

- + Authorizes vaccine administration by pharmacy technician for influenza (6 years of age or older) and for other vaccines (12 years of age or older pursuant to a vaccination protocol).

MAINE

[HB 899](#), Effective June 22, 2023

- + Authorizes vaccine administration by pharmacy technicians.

MARYLAND

[HB 693](#), Effective April 24, 2023

- + Authorizes vaccine administration by pharmacy technicians under certain circumstances.

MASSACHUSETTS

Rulemaking ([Massachusetts Board of Pharmacy](#)),
Effective September 2023

- + Authorizing qualified pharmacy personnel to administer certain vaccines.

MICHIGAN

[SB 219](#), Effective July 18, 2023

- + Authorizes pharmacists, pharmacy interns, pharmacy technicians to vaccinate children 3 years or older.

MONTANA

[HB 710](#), Effective April 20, 2023

- + Authorizes vaccine administration by pharmacy technicians

NEBRASKA

[LB 227](#), Effective June 6, 2023

- + Authorizes vaccine administration by pharmacy technicians.

NEW HAMPSHIRE

[SB 35](#), Effective June 1, 2023

- + Authorizes pharmacists to administer the RSV vaccine.

OREGON

[HB 2486](#), Effective July 18, 2023

- + Allows certain pharmacy technicians to administer vaccines.

VERMONT

[HB 305](#), Effective June 23, 2023

- + Allows pharmacy technicians to administer immunizations (18 years or older under state protocol and 5 years of age or older for flu and Covid)

WEST VIRGINIA

[HB 2754](#), Effective March 23, 2023

- + Updates rulemaking to authorize pharmacy technicians to immunize.