

HOUSE BILL NO. HB0216

Advanced practice registered nurses-certification.

Sponsored by: Representative(s) Trujillo, Newsome, Ottman
and Penn and Senator(s) Brennan, Ellis and
Hutchings

A BILL

for

1 AN ACT relating to professions and occupations; clarifying
2 that advanced practice registered nurses are not required
3 to have advanced certification as specified; allowing for
4 physician oversight as specified; and providing for an
5 effective date.

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7 *Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Wyoming:*

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9 **Section 1.** W.S. 33-21-159 is created to read:

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11 **33-21-159. Advanced practice registered nurses;**
12 **advanced certification not required.**

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14 The board of nursing shall not require advanced practice
15 registered nurses to obtain any advanced certification in

1 order to administer care to patients in a hospital setting.
2 Physician oversight may be determined by the medical staff
3 bylaws of a hospital.

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5 **Section 2.** This act is effective July 1, 2024.

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