

Page 4-after line 10 Insert the following and renumber as necessary:

"(v) Nothing in the application of the definitions and rules of construction specified in this subsection shall be construed to:

(A) Prohibit or in any way restrict the diagnosis and treatment of ectopic pregnancies;

(B) Impose civil or criminal liability on a physician for providing necessary treatment in a medical emergency, including but not limited to surgical intervention such as salpingectomy or laparoscopic removal, medical management such as methotrexate administration and the management of miscarriage or pregnancy loss;

(C) Restrict a health care provider from providing care to patients experiencing pregnancy loss or miscarriage;

(D) Classify administration of dilation and curettage (D&C), dilation and evacuation (D&E) or other medically indicated treatments as an abortion when the pregnancy is no longer viable, the fetal heartbeat has ceased or there is a significant risk of infection or hemorrhage;

(E) Prohibit or in any way restrict a health care provider from intervening in cases where continuing a pregnancy places the woman's life in immediate danger, including but not limited to severe preeclampsia/eclampsia, placental abruption, uterine rupture, amniotic fluid embolism or severe fetal anomalies incompatible with life;

(F) Impose civil or criminal liability or authorize a malpractice claim, prosecution or licensing action against a physician, nurse or health care provider for providing medical care specified in this paragraph;

(G) Restrict a hospital or medical facility from providing miscarriage management, ectopic pregnancy treatment or neonatal and pediatric care;

(H) Apply to, interfere with or limit neonatal and pediatric care, including but not limited to resuscitation efforts

1 for premature or critically ill newborns, surgery and other medical
2 interventions necessary for the survival of infants as well as
3 standard pediatric treatments for infants and children;
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5 (J) Restrict medical interventions necessary to
6 save a child's life after birth;
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8 (K) Authorize a governmental entity, law
9 enforcement agency or third party to interfere with the medical
10 judgment of licensed health care providers providing medical care
11 specified in this paragraph;
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13 (M) Require a physician to obtain additional
14 approval beyond their own professional judgment when documenting
15 and certifying a medical necessity before providing care for a
16 medical emergency;
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18 (N) Supersede or amend guidance promulgated by the
19 Wyoming Department of Health for health care providers providing
20 care specified in this paragraph.
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22 (vi) As used in this subsection:
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24 (A) "Ectopic pregnancy" means as defined in W.S.
25 35-6-122(a)(v);
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27 (B) "Miscarriage" and "spontaneous abortion" means
28 the natural loss of a pregnancy before the fetus is viable outside
29 the womb;
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31 (C) "Medical emergency" means a condition in which
32 the absence of immediate medical intervention places the life or
33 health of the pregnant patient at serious risk;
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35 (D) "Neonatal care" means medical treatment
36 provided to a newborn infant, including but not limited to
37 intensive care, resuscitation and surgical intervention;
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39 (E) "Pediatric care" means medical care provided
40 to children from birth to adolescence, including all necessary
41 treatments and procedures." CLOUSTON