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## Substitute Bill Comparative Synopsis

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This table summarizes how the latest substitute version of the bill differs from the immediately preceding version. It addresses only the topics on which the two versions differ substantively. It does not list topics on which the two bills are substantively the same.

Previous Version (As Introduced)	Latest Version (I_136_1457-1)
<b>Consultation vs. collaboration</b>	
Requires a CRNA to practice in <b>consultation</b> with a physician, podiatrist, or dentist, meaning that one of those practitioners has requested the CRNA to perform certain activities.	Instead requires a CRNA to practice in <b>collaboration</b> with a physician, podiatrist, or dentist, which, like consultation, means that the practitioner has requested the CRNA to perform certain activities.
Describes the activities that may be requested as <b>nursing care activities</b> for a patient.	Instead describes the activities that may be requested as <b>patient care activities</b> .
(R.C. 4723.01(M) and 4723.43(D).)	(R.C. 4723.01(L) and 4723.43(D).)

Previous Version (As Introduced)	Latest Version (I_136_1457-1)
<b>Setting vs. health care facility; policies and privileges</b>	
<p>When exercising CRNA authority to perform requested activities, requires a CRNA to do so in accordance with <b><i>policies established by the setting</i></b> where the CRNA and consulting physician, podiatrist, or dentist practice (<i>R.C. 4723.01(M) and 4723.43(D)</i>).</p> <p>No provision.</p>	<p>Same, but refers instead to <b><i>policies established and privileges delineated by the health care facility</i></b> where the CRNA and collaborating physician, podiatrist, or dentist practice (<i>R.C. 4723.01(L) and 4723.43(D)</i>).</p> <p>Defines a <b><i>health care facility</i></b> to mean an ambulatory surgical facility, cardiovascular or vascular center, freestanding birthing center, hospital, or office of a physician, podiatrist, or dentist (<i>R.C. 4723.01(L)</i>).</p>
<b>Physician presence</b>	
<p>No provision.</p>	<p>Establishes the following condition on CRNA authority to perform general anesthesia's induction, maintenance, and emergence – that the collaborating physician, podiatrist, or dentist be present at the health care facility during induction, maintenance, and emergence (<i>R.C. 4723.43(D)</i>).</p>
<b>Patient notice regarding anesthesia administration</b>	
<p>No provision.</p>	<p>Prior to administering anesthesia to a patient or performing an epidural or spinal anesthetic procedure for a patient in a health care facility, requires the health care facility to notify the patient or patient's representative, both verbally and in writing, that a CRNA, physician, podiatrist, or dentist will administer the anesthesia or perform the patient's epidural or spinal anesthetic procedure (<i>R.C. 4723.434(A)</i>).</p>

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No provision.	<p>Specifies that the bill's notice provision does not authorize either of the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ A dentist to administer anesthesia in a manner that exceeds the dentist's authority under a conscious sedation or general anesthesia permit;</li><li>▪ A podiatrist to administer anesthesia in a manner that exceeds the podiatrist's scope of practice (<i>R.C. 4723.434(B)</i>; <i>see also R.C. 4715.03 and 4731.51, neither in the bill</i>).</li></ul>