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A BILL

To enact sections 4715.43, 4723.94, 4725.62, 1
4729.88, 4730.55, 4731.97, 4732.35, 4734.58, 2
4745.04, 4753.17, 4755.72, 4757.47, 4758.73, 3
4759.13, 4760.23, 4761.19, 4762.24, 4765.60, 4
4773.10, 4774.23, 4778.26, and 4779.35 of the 5
Revised Code to require that a health care 6
professional wear identification when providing 7
care or treatment in the presence of a patient. 8

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF OHIO:

Section 1. That sections 4715.43, 4723.94, 4725.62, 9
4729.88, 4730.55, 4731.97, 4732.35, 4734.58, 4745.04, 4753.17, 10
4755.72, 4757.47, 4758.73, 4759.13, 4760.23, 4761.19, 4762.24, 11
4765.60, 4773.10, 4774.23, 4778.26, and 4779.35 of the Revised 12
Code be enacted to read as follows: 13

Sec. 4715.43. An individual who is licensed or otherwise 14
authorized to practice under this chapter shall comply with 15
section 4745.04 of the Revised Code. 16

Sec. 4723.94. An individual who is licensed or otherwise 17
authorized to practice under this chapter shall comply with 18
section 4745.04 of the Revised Code. 19

Sec. 4725.62. An individual who is licensed or otherwise authorized to practice under this chapter shall comply with section 4745.04 of the Revised Code. 20
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Sec. 4729.88. An individual who is licensed or otherwise authorized to practice under this chapter shall comply with section 4745.04 of the Revised Code. 23
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Sec. 4730.55. An individual who is licensed or otherwise authorized to practice under this chapter shall comply with section 4745.04 of the Revised Code. 26
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Sec. 4731.97. An individual who is licensed or otherwise authorized to practice under this chapter shall comply with section 4745.04 of the Revised Code. 29
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Sec. 4732.35. An individual who is licensed or otherwise authorized to practice under this chapter shall comply with section 4745.04 of the Revised Code. 32
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Sec. 4734.58. An individual who is licensed or otherwise authorized to practice under this chapter shall comply with section 4745.04 of the Revised Code. 35
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Sec. 4745.04. (A) As used in this section, 38

(1) "Health care professional" means an individual who is licensed or otherwise authorized to practice under Chapter 4715., 4723., 4725., 4729., 4730., 4731., 4732., 4734., 4753., 4755., 4757., 4758., 4759., 4760., 4761., 4762., 4765., 4773., 4774., 4778., or 4779. of the Revised Code. 39
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(2) "State board" means any of the following: 44

(a) The state dental board; 45

(b) The board of nursing; 46

<u>(c) The state board of optometry;</u>	47
<u>(d) The Ohio optical dispensers board;</u>	48
<u>(e) The state board of pharmacy;</u>	49
<u>(f) The state medical board;</u>	50
<u>(g) The state board of psychology;</u>	51
<u>(h) The state chiropractic board;</u>	52
<u>(i) The board of speech-language pathology and audiology;</u>	53
<u>(j) The Ohio occupational therapy, physical therapy, and athletic trainers board;</u>	54 55
<u>(k) The counselor, social worker, and marriage and family therapist board;</u>	56 57
<u>(l) The chemical dependency professionals board;</u>	58
<u>(m) The Ohio board of dietetics;</u>	59
<u>(n) The Ohio respiratory care board;</u>	60
<u>(o) The state board of emergency medical, fire, and transportation services;</u>	61 62
<u>(p) The department of health;</u>	63
<u>(q) The state board of orthotics, prosthetics, and pedorthics.</u>	64 65
<u>(B) (1) Except as provided in division (C) of this section, when providing care or treatment in the presence of a patient or patient's representative, a health care professional shall wear an identification card or equivalent that includes all of the following:</u>	66 67 68 69 70
<u>(a) The professional's first and last name;</u>	71

<u>(b) A recent photograph of the professional;</u>	72
<u>(c) A description of the type of license or authority held by the professional;</u>	73 74
<u>(d) The date the professional's license or authority expires;</u>	75 76
<u>(e) Unless the professional is self-employed, the name of the health care facility or provider that employs the professional.</u>	77 78 79
<u>(2) The identification card or equivalent shall be of sufficient size and shall be worn in a place that is visible to patients and other individuals.</u>	80 81 82
<u>(C) A health care professional is not required to comply with division (B) of this section if any of the following is the case:</u>	83 84 85
<u>(1) The professional practices at a location where care or treatment is not provided in the presence of a patient;</u>	86 87
<u>(2) Wearing the identification card or equivalent presents a health or safety risk to the professional or patient;</u>	88 89
<u>(3) Wearing the identification card or equivalent is not appropriate for the clinical setting.</u>	90 91
<u>(D) A state board may take disciplinary action against a health care professional it licenses or otherwise regulates who fails to comply with this section.</u>	92 93 94
<u>Sec. 4753.17. An individual who is licensed or otherwise authorized to practice under this chapter shall comply with section 4745.04 of the Revised Code.</u>	95 96 97
<u>Sec. 4755.72. An individual who is licensed or otherwise</u>	98

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<u>section 4745.04 of the Revised Code.</u>	100
<u>Sec. 4757.47. An individual who is licensed or otherwise</u>	101
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<u>section 4745.04 of the Revised Code.</u>	103
<u>Sec. 4758.73. An individual who is licensed or otherwise</u>	104
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<u>Sec. 4759.13. An individual who is licensed or otherwise</u>	107
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<u>Sec. 4760.23. An individual who is licensed or otherwise</u>	110
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<u>section 4745.04 of the Revised Code.</u>	112
<u>Sec. 4761.19. An individual who is licensed or otherwise</u>	113
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<u>section 4745.04 of the Revised Code.</u>	115
<u>Sec. 4762.24. An individual who is licensed or otherwise</u>	116
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<u>section 4745.04 of the Revised Code.</u>	118
<u>Sec. 4765.60. An individual who is licensed or otherwise</u>	119
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<u>section 4745.04 of the Revised Code.</u>	121
<u>Sec. 4773.10. An individual who is licensed or otherwise</u>	122
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<u>section 4745.04 of the Revised Code.</u>	124
<u>Sec. 4774.23. An individual who is licensed or otherwise</u>	125
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Sec. 4778.26. An individual who is licensed or otherwise
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Sec. 4779.35. An individual who is licensed or otherwise
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