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Amendment to SB 120

1 Amend the bill by replacing section 1 with the following:

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3 1 Physician Assistants; Manchester Veterans Administration Medical Center. Amend RSA 328-  
4 D:2-a to read as follows:

5 328-D:2-a Licensure Requirements Suspended; Manchester Veterans Administration Medical  
6 Center.

7 I. New Hampshire state licensure laws, rules, and regulations for physician assistants are  
8 hereby suspended for those physician assistants ~~[from other states or countries]~~ **licensed by**  
9 **another state or territory of the United States or another country** who are employed by the  
10 United States Department of Veterans Affairs and who are offering medical services to patients ~~[of~~  
11 ~~the Manchester]~~ **offered through the** Veterans Administration Medical Center (VAMC) ~~[at licensed~~  
12 ~~medical facilities outside of the Manchester VAMC]~~, provided that such physician assistants are  
13 acting within the scope of their employment at the VAMC and possess a current license in good  
14 standing in their respective state, **territory**, or country of licensure. **Physician assistants who**  
15 **are employed by the United States Department of Veterans Affairs and who are offering**  
16 **medical services to patients of the Veterans Administration Medical Center (VAMC) and**  
17 **requesting licensure in New Hampshire may be supervised by physicians licensed in any**  
18 **state or territory of the United States provided the supervising physician possesses a**  
19 **current license in good standing in their respective state or territory of the United States.**

20 II. The acting director of the Manchester VAMC shall submit to the executive director of the  
21 New Hampshire office of professional licensure and certification, or designee, a list of all out-of-state  
22 or out-of-country **licensed** physician assistants offering services in the state of New Hampshire **and**  
23 **out-of-state licensed physicians accepting supervisory responsibility of physician**  
24 **assistants.**

25 III. Nothing in this section shall be construed to preempt or supplant an individual licensed  
26 medical facility's policies regarding the emergency credentialing of physician assistants or any other  
27 medical personnel.