

**Bill Summary**  
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**Floor Substitute (FS)**

The FS for HB 2614 requires physicians to conduct a physical examination of a patient before recommending the use of medical marijuana. The examination cannot be conducted via telemedicine. The measure also creates a penalty for possessing or using a counterfeit medical marijuana license or assuming the identity of another person. A person found to possess a counterfeit license or assuming the identity of another person and uses a medical marijuana license of another person may be fined up to \$500.00 and/or up to one year of imprisonment.

HB 2614 also prohibits medical marijuana packaging from appealing to children or resembling commercially available products and to comply with child-resistant poison packaging requirements found in the federal Poison Prevention Packaging Act of 1970. Packaging for medical marijuana must comply with certain provisions outlined in the measure and cannot appeal to children.

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