



104TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

2025 and 2026

HB4982

by Rep. Jackie Haas

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

225 ILCS 85/45 new

Amends the Pharmacy Practice Act. Provides that every licensed pharmacy directly serving patients at a physical location shall conspicuously post a sign provided by the Department of Human Services that contains the following: (i) a statement that the Department of Human Services runs a Suicide and Crisis Lifeline; (ii) the Lifeline number; and (iii) any other information the Department of Human Services deems appropriate. Provides that the sign shall be printed in color ink or displayed electronically in color, measure at least 8.5 x 11 inches in size, and be posted at either a cashier counter or a waiting area that is clearly visible to patients. Requires licensed pharmacies that do not maintain a physical location that directly serves patients to include a copy of the sign with any dispensed prescriptions. Provides that the sign shall also be available to download on the Department of Human Services's website.

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1 AN ACT concerning regulation.

2 **Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,**
3 **represented in the General Assembly:**

4 Section 5. The Pharmacy Practice Act is amended by adding
5 Section 45 as follows:

6 (225 ILCS 85/45 new)

7 Sec. 45. 9-8-8 Suicide and Crisis Lifeline information.

8 (a) Every licensed pharmacy directly serving patients at a
9 physical location shall conspicuously post a sign provided by
10 the Department of Human Services that contains the following:

11 (1) a statement that the Department of Human Services
12 runs a Suicide and Crisis Lifeline;

13 (2) the Lifeline number; and

14 (3) any other information the Department of Human
15 Services deems appropriate.

16 The sign required under this Section shall be printed in
17 color ink or displayed electronically in color, measure at
18 least 8.5 x 11 inches in size, and be posted at either a
19 cashier counter or a waiting area that is clearly visible to
20 patients.

21 (b) Licensed pharmacies that do not maintain a physical
22 location that directly serves patients shall include a copy of
23 the sign required under this Section with any dispensed

1 prescriptions. The sign shall also be available to download on
2 the Department of Human Services's website.