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## BILL ANALYSIS



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Senate Bill 360 (as introduced 5-3-17)  
Sponsor: Senator Margaret E. O'Brien  
Committee: Health Policy

Date Completed: 5-22-17

**CONTENT**

**The bill would amend the Public Health Code to allow a pharmacist to dispense additional quantities of a prescription drug up to the amount authorized on an original prescription.**

Specifically, a pharmacist could dispense, at one time, additional quantities of a prescription drug up to the total number of dosage units authorized by the prescriber on the original prescription and any refills on the prescription, not exceeding a 90-day supply. Except for a Schedule 5 controlled substance that did not contain an opioid, this provision would not apply to a prescription for a controlled substance.

The bill would take effect 90 days after its enactment.

MCL 333.17751

Legislative Analyst: Stephen Jackson

**FISCAL IMPACT**

The bill would have no fiscal impact on State or local government.

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