



**Substitute Senate Bill No. 457**

**Public Act No. 22-93**

***AN ACT CONCERNING CLINICAL MEDICAL ASSISTANTS.***

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

Section 1. Subsection (a) of section 47 of public act 22-58, as amended by section 25 of public act 22-92, is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective October 1, 2022*):

(a) For purposes of this section, "clinical medical assistant" means a person who (1) (A) is certified by the American Association of Medical Assistants, the National Healthcareer Association, the National Center for Competency Testing or the American Medical Technologists, and (B) has graduated from a postsecondary medical assisting program (i) [on and after January 1, 2023,] that is accredited by the Commission on Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs, the Accrediting Bureau of Health Education Schools or another accrediting organization recognized by the United States Department of Education, or (ii) offered by an institution of higher education accredited by an accrediting organization recognized by the United States Department of Education and that includes a total of seven hundred twenty hours, including one hundred sixty hours of clinical practice skills, including, but not limited to, administering injections, or (2) has completed relevant medical assistant training provided by any branch of the armed forces of the United States.

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