

# Hall of the House of Representatives

88th General Assembly - Regular Session, 2011

## Amendment Form

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### Subtitle of House Bill No. 1172

AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE ADVANCED PRACTICE NURSES TO ENTER INTO  
COLLABORATIVE AGREEMENTS WITH AREA HEALTH EDUCATION CENTERS.

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### Amendment No. 1 to House Bill No. 1172

Amend House Bill No. 1172 as originally introduced:

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Title 6, Chapter 64, Subchapter 4 is amended  
to add an additional section to read as follows:

6-64-419. Advanced practice nurses at area health education center.

(a) The University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences may create a  
program to:

(1) Train advanced practice nurses for programs operated through  
area health education centers; and

(2) Employ advanced practice nurses as employees of an area  
health education center.

(b) An advanced practice nurse in training in or employed by an area  
health education center shall sign a collaborative practice agreement with  
the area health education center.

(c) A collaborative practice agreement under this section shall  
specify without limitation:

(1) The relationship between the area health education center  
and the advanced practice nurse; and

(2) For an advanced practice nurse:

(A) In training, the training required to become an  
advanced practice nurse employee of the area health education center; and

(B) Employee advanced practice nurse, the location within  
the area served by the area health education center at which the advanced  
practice nurse will practice."



The Amendment was read \_\_\_\_\_

By: Representative Hall  
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Chief Clerk