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**FISCAL NOTE**

**L.R. No.:** 5740-04

**Type:** Original

**Bill No.:** SCS for SB 973

**Date:** February 26, 2016

**Subject:** Drugs and Controlled Substances; Pharmacy; Physicians; Nurses; Health Care Professionals

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**Bill Summary:** This proposal provides that a pharmacist may dispense varying quantities of maintenance medication.

State Fiscal Highlights

- No direct fiscal impact on the state is anticipated.

Local Fiscal Highlights

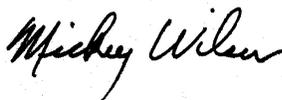
- No direct fiscal impact on local political subdivisions is anticipated.

Fiscal Analysis

Officials from the **Department of Health and Senior Services**, the **Department of Insurance, Financial Institutions and Professional Registration**, the **Department of Mental Health**, the **Department of Social Services**, **MO HealthNet Division** and **Division of Legal Services**, the **Missouri Consolidated Health Care Plan**, the **Missouri Department of Conservation** and the **Missouri Department of Transportation** each assume the proposal would not fiscally impact their respective agencies.

Officials from the **Department of Public Safety, Missouri State Highway Patrol** defer to the Missouri Department of Transportation (MoDOT), Employee Benefits Section for response on behalf of the Highway Patrol. Please see MoDOT's fiscal note response for the potential fiscal impact of this proposal.

No direct fiscal impact to small businesses would be expected as a result of this proposal. Also, this legislation is not federally mandated, would not duplicate any other program and would not require additional capital improvements or rental space.



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