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Title 16. Professional and Vocational Regulations
Division 17. California State Board of Pharmacy
Article 8. Prohibitions and Discipline (Refs & Annos)

16 CCR § 1761

§ 1761. Erroneous or Uncertain Prescriptions.

(a) No pharmacist shall compound or dispense any prescription which contains any significant error, omission, irregularity, uncertainty, ambiguity or alteration. Upon receipt of any such prescription, the pharmacist shall contact the prescriber to obtain the information needed to validate the prescription.

(b) Even after conferring with the prescriber, a pharmacist shall not compound or dispense a controlled substance prescription where the pharmacist knows or has objective reason to know that said prescription was not issued for a legitimate medical purpose.

Note: Authority cited: [Section 4005, Business and Professions Code](#). Reference: [Section 4005, Business and Professions Code](#); and [Section 11153, Health and Safety Code](#).

HISTORY

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