

AB 2575 • California

Health care services: artificial intelligence.

Unknown

Risk: Medium

Comprehensive

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Summary

AB 2575 mandates disclosures for clinical decision support systems, requires disclaimers in AI communications, and expands the scope of a crime by imposing new requirements.

Business Impact

If you use AI in health care, you must provide disclosures and allow overrides or face compliance issues.

Key Provisions

- Requires written notice for clinical decision support system use to any licensed health care professional or other person using or viewing outputs, specifying time and manner, and includes notice of override authority and disclaimer in AI communications (Section 1).
- Extends existing prohibitions on AI harm defenses to include clinical decision support systems, specifically addressing the inability to claim that the failure to override a clinical decision support system output is a superseding cause (Section 1).
- Prohibits retaliation or discrimination against workers for using professional judgment in patient care (Section 2).
- Clarifies liability in cases involving clinical decision support systems (Section 3).
- Expands the scope of a crime by imposing new requirements on health facilities, clinics, physician's offices, or offices of a group practice (Section 4).
- Declares it is the policy of the state that a worker providing direct patient care be free to use their professional judgment (Section 4).
- No state reimbursement required for local agencies (Section 5).

Compliance Checklist

- Provide written notice of AI use and disclosure to staff | Who: Health facilities and clinics | Penalty: Potential expansion of criminal liability

- Ensure disclaimers are included in AI-generated communications | Who: Health facilities and clinics | Penalty: Potential expansion of criminal liability

Industries Affected

- Healthcare
- Employment
- Education
- Consumer Protection

Topics

- AI Healthcare
- AI Transparency
- Comprehensive AI
- AI in Education

Bill Sponsors

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Related Bills

- AB 1979 (CA)
- SB 903 (CA)

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