

State of Minnesota

H. F. No. 891

(7) prescribe or administer legend drugs to aid in the diagnosis, cure, mitigation, prevention, treatment, or management of disease, deficiency, deformity, or abnormality of the human eye and adnexa included in the curricula of accredited schools or colleges of optometry, and as limited by Minnesota statute and adopted rules by the Board of Optometry, or who holds oneself out as being able to do so.

(b) In the course of treatment, nothing in this section shall allow:

~~(1) legend drugs to be administered intravenously, intramuscularly, or by injection, except for treatment of anaphylaxis;~~

~~(2) (1) invasive surgery including, but not limited to, surgery using lasers; or~~

~~(3) (2) Schedule II and III oral legend drugs and oral steroids to be administered or prescribed;~~

~~(4) oral antivirals to be prescribed or administered for more than ten days; or~~

~~(5) oral carbonic anhydrase inhibitors to be prescribed or administered for more than seven days.~~