HB 1620 -- Prescriptive Authority for Advanced Practice Registered Nurses

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This bill authorizes advanced practice registered nurses who hold a certificate of controlled substance prescriptive authority from the State Board of Nursing to enter into collaborative agreements with physicians to administer and dispense Schedule II, III, IV, and V control substances. However, they are prohibited, under any circumstance, from prescribing a controlled substance for themself or any family member.

Guidelines are established for controlled substance collaborative agreements and the documentation required for the state board to grant a certificate for prescriptive authority.