

REFERENCE TITLE: blood donations; patient notification

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Introduced by
Representatives Fink: Biasiucci, Heap, Rivero, Way; Senator Farnsworth

AN ACT

AMENDING TITLE 32, CHAPTER 32, ARTICLE 1, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES, BY
ADDING SECTION 32-3230.03; RELATING TO HEALTH PROFESSIONALS.

(TEXT OF BILL BEGINS ON NEXT PAGE)

1 Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Arizona:

2 Section 1. Title 32, chapter 32, article 1, Arizona Revised
3 Statutes, is amended by adding section 32-3230.03, to read:

4 32-3230.03. Physicians; patient notification before surgery;
5 self-donation of blood; directed blood
6 donation; definition

7 A. A PHYSICIAN SHALL NOTIFY EACH PATIENT BEFORE THE PATIENT HAS
8 SURGERY OF THE PATIENT'S OPTION TO DONATE BLOOD FOR THE PATIENT'S OWN USE
9 OR TO HAVE A COMPATIBLE FAMILY MEMBER OR FRIEND MAKE A DIRECTED BLOOD
10 DONATION FOR THE PATIENT'S USE. IF THE PATIENT WOULD LIKE TO MAKE AN
11 AUTOLOGOUS BLOOD DONATION OR HAVE A DIRECTED BLOOD DONATION MADE BEFORE
12 THE SURGERY, THE PHYSICIAN SHALL CONTACT A BLOOD BANK TO OBTAIN THE PROPER
13 PAPERWORK AND SHALL COMPLETE THE PAPERWORK IN A TIMELY MANNER.

14 B. FOR THE PURPOSES OF THIS SECTION, "PHYSICIAN" MEANS A PERSON WHO
15 IS LICENSED PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 13 OR 17 OF THIS TITLE.