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9 IN THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
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12 To amend, on a temporary basis, the Uniform Emergency Volunteer Health Practitioners Act of
13 2010 to allow qualified volunteer health practitioners to practice in the District,
14 notwithstanding the existence of an emergency declaration, until December 31, 2021.
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16 BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, That this
17 act may be cited as the “Uniform Emergency Volunteer Health Practitioners Temporary
18 Amendment Act of 2021”.

19 Sec. 2. Section 6(a) of the Uniform Emergency Volunteer Health Practitioners Act of
20 202, effective July 1, 2010 (D.C. Law 18-184; D.C. Official Code § 7-2361.05(a)) is amended by
21 striking the phrase “were licensed in the District.” and inserting the phrase “were licensed in the
22 District; provided that a volunteer health practitioner qualified under this subsection may practice
23 in the District to the extent authorized by this act, notwithstanding whether an emergency
24 declaration is in effect, until December 31, 2021.”.

25 Sec 3. Fiscal impact statement.

26 The Council adopts the fiscal impact statement of the Budget Director as the fiscal impact
27 statement required by section 4a of the General Legislative Procedures Act of 1975, approved
28 October 16, 2006 (120 Stat. 2038; D.C. Official Code § 1-301.47a).

29 Sec. 4. Effective date.

30 (a) This act shall take effect following approval by the Mayor (or in the event of veto by
31 the Mayor, action by the Council to override the veto), a 30-day period of congressional review
32 as provided in section 602(c)(1) of the District of Columbia Home Rule Act, approved December
33 24, 1973 (87 Stat. 813; D.C. Official Code § 1-206.02(c)(1)), and the publication in the District
34 of Columbia Register.

35 (b) This act shall expire after 225 days of its having taken effect.

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