IT IS A CRIME TO COMMIT A VIOLENT ACT AGAINST A HEALTH CARE PROVIDER

AN ACT relating to crimes; providing for an enhanced penalty for committing an assault or battery upon certain providers of health care; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

NRS 200.471 (1) (a) "Assault" means intentionally placing another person in reasonable apprehension of immediate bodily harm.

NRS 200.481 (2) (a) "Battery" means any willful and unlawful use of force or violence upon the person of another.

NRS 200.471 (1) (c) "Provider of health care" means a physician, a physician assistant, a practitioner of respiratory care, a homeopathic physician, an advanced practitioner of homeopathy, a homeopathic assistant, an osteopathic physician, an osteopathic physician's assistant, a podiatric physician, a podiatry hygienist, a physical therapist, a medical laboratory technician, an optometrist, a chiropractor, a chiropractor's assistant, a doctor of Oriental medicine, a nurse, a student nurse, a certified nursing assistant, a nursing assistant trainee, a dentist, a dental hygienist, a pharmacist, an intern pharmacist, an attendant on an ambulance or air ambulance, psychologist, a social worker, a marriage and family therapist and an emergency medical technician.

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