

HOUSE BILL NO. 1201

Introduced by

Representatives Porter, Hofstad, Hogan, Weisz

Senators Berry, Mathern

1 A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 50-24.1-32 of the North Dakota Century Code,
2 relating to medical assistance services provided by physician assistants.

3 **BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:**

4 **SECTION 1. AMENDMENT.** Section 50-24.1-32 of the North Dakota Century Code is
5 amended and reenacted as follows:

6 **50-24.1-32. Medical assistance - Services provided by physician assistants and**
7 **advanced registered nurse practitioners.**

8 The medical assistance program must recognize physician assistants and advanced
9 registered nurse practitioners as primary care providers with the same rights and
10 responsibilities given primary care physicians under the medical assistance program. Any care
11 provided by the physician assistant or advanced registered nurse practitioner as a primary care
12 provider under the medical assistance program must be within the scope of the physician
13 assistant's or advanced registered nurse practitioner's respective license.