

1 AN ACT concerning public health.

2 **Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,**
3 **represented in the General Assembly:**

4 Section 1. Short title. This Act may be cited as the Public
5 Self-Care of Diabetes Act.

6 Section 5. Purpose. The General Assembly finds that insulin
7 injection is necessary for diabetics and their continued health
8 and longevity. The General Assembly finds that forcing
9 diabetics to administer their personal insulin injections out
10 of public view is unnecessarily restrictive.

11 Section 10. Public self-care of diabetes location. A person
12 with diabetes, or parent or legal guardian of a person with
13 diabetes, may self-administer insulin or administer insulin
14 for his or her child in any location, public or private, where
15 the person, or the person's parent or legal guardian, is
16 authorized to be, irrespective of whether the injection site is
17 uncovered during or incidental to the administration of
18 insulin.

19 Section 15. Illegal drugs. Nothing in this Act shall be
20 construed to authorize the use of any illegal drug.

1 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon
2 becoming law.