

**Louisiana Administrative Code**

**Title 46 – Professional and Occupational Standards**

**Part LIII: Pharmacists**

**Chapter 25. Prescriptions, Drugs, and Devices**

**§2513. Prescription Receipt and Verification**

**A. Receipt of a Prescription**

1. ~~Written. A pharmacist may receive and dispense a prescription that has been written and/or signed by the practitioner.~~
2. ~~Oral. A pharmacist may receive and dispense a prescription that has been orally communicated by the practitioner when the prescription has been reduced to hard copy.~~
3. ~~Electronic Transmission. A pharmacist may receive a prescription via electronic or other means, and then reduce to hard copy, if necessary.~~

**B. Verification. Verification of the accuracy and authenticity of any prescription is the responsibility of the pharmacist.**

A. The receiving pharmacist is responsible for verification of the authenticity of the prescription.

B. The dispensing pharmacist is responsible for the accuracy of the medications or devices dispensed.

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