

RÉSUMÉ DIGEST

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New law requires a healthcare professional licensed in accordance with existing law to disclose to a patient, prior to an appointment or treatment, the use of any recording device, software, or service that utilizes artificial intelligence to transcribe communications between the healthcare professional and the patient.

New law further provides that a professional licensing board may discipline a healthcare professional who violates new law.

New law provides that a healthcare professional who violates new law is immune from civil liability in the absence of gross negligence or willful misconduct.

Effective August 1, 2026.

(Adds R.S. 37:22.1)