

**Committee on Public Health
Bill Summary**

Bill No.	H2447
Title:	<i>An Act authorizing a 90-day supply of medically necessary testosterone therapy medication</i>
Sponsor:	Representative Natalie M. Higgins
Committee:	Public Health
Hearing Date:	June 11, 2025
Similar Matters:	None
Prior History:	Refile of H2194 of 2023-2024; Referred to Committee on Public Health; Favorable; Referred to Health Care Financing; Accompanied a study order.
Reporting Deadline:	August 10, 2025

Current Law:

- **M.G.L. c. 94C § 23** contains requirements and restrictions pertaining to written prescriptions. Subsection (d) provides that a Schedule II or Schedule III controlled substance may not be filled for more than a 30-day supply. This subsection includes exceptions for certain drugs that may be filled for a supply greater than 30 days.

Summary:

This bill would amend subsection (d) of section 23 of chapter 94C to add an exception to the 30-day supply rule for a prescription for medically necessary testosterone therapy medication. Such a prescription could be filled for up to a 90-day supply upon a single filling. Medical necessity would be determined by the treating clinician in consultation with the patient and noted explicitly with the written prescription and in the patient's medical record.