

SENATE BILL 531

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By: **Senator Klausmeier**

Introduced and read first time: February 4, 2019

Assigned to: Finance

A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Public Health – Overdose Response – Storage Warehouses**

3 FOR the purpose of requiring the owner or operator of a storage warehouse, in accordance
4 with certain provisions of law, to obtain and store naloxone and certain related
5 paraphernalia on the premises and to make naloxone available to individuals to
6 administer to certain individuals under certain circumstances; and generally
7 relating to naloxone and storage warehouses.

8 BY adding to

9 Article – Health – General

10 Section 13–3110

11 Annotated Code of Maryland

12 (2015 Replacement Volume and 2018 Supplement)

13 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND,
14 That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

15 **Article – Health – General**

16 **13–3110.**

17 **IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROVISIONS OF THIS SUBTITLE, THE OWNER OR**
18 **OPERATOR OF A STORAGE WAREHOUSE SHALL:**

19 **(1) OBTAIN AND STORE NALOXONE AND THE NECESSARY**
20 **PARAPHERNALIA FOR THE ADMINISTRATION OF NALOXONE ON THE PREMISES; AND**

21 **(2) MAKE NALOXONE AVAILABLE TO INDIVIDUALS TO ADMINISTER TO**
22 **AN INDIVIDUAL WHO IS OR IN GOOD FAITH IS BELIEVED TO BE EXPERIENCING AN**
23 **OPIOID OVERDOSE.**

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.



1 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect
2 October 1, 2019.