



Ohio Revised Code

Section 3796.23 Rights of caregiver.

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(A) Notwithstanding any conflicting provision of the Revised Code, a caregiver registered under this chapter who obtains medical marijuana from a retail dispensary licensed under this chapter may do both of the following:

- (1) Possess medical marijuana on behalf of a registered patient under the caregiver's care, subject to division (B) of this section;
- (2) Assist a registered patient under the caregiver's care in the use or administration of medical marijuana;
- (3) Possess any paraphernalia or accessories specified in rules adopted under section 3796.03 of the Revised Code.

(B) The amount of medical marijuana possessed by a registered caregiver on behalf of a registered patient shall not exceed a ninety-day supply, as specified in rules adopted under section 3796.03 of the Revised Code. If a caregiver provides care to more than one registered patient, the caregiver shall maintain separate inventories of medical marijuana for each patient.

(C) A registered caregiver shall not be subject to arrest or criminal prosecution for doing any of following in accordance with this chapter:

- (1) Obtaining or possessing medical marijuana on behalf of a registered patient;
- (2) Assisting a registered patient in the use or administration of medical marijuana;
- (3) Possessing any paraphernalia or accessories specified in rules adopted under section 3796.03 of the Revised Code.



(D) This section does not permit a registered caregiver to personally use medical marijuana, unless the caregiver is also a registered patient.
