



## ***Summary of New Hampshire's HB 160, Therapeutic Cannabis Improvement Law***

HB 160, which was signed into law by Gov. Chris Sununu on June 28, 2017, made the following changes to New Hampshire's therapeutic cannabis law, effective on August 27, 2017:

- Adds moderate to severe post-traumatic stress disorder (PTSD) and Ehlers-Danlos syndrome to the list of qualifying conditions.
- Adds “moderate to severe chronic pain” as a qualifying symptom.
- Allows medical providers to certify patients for any medical condition that produces a qualifying symptom.
- Requires the Department of Health and Human Services to inform patients about the possibility that certain rights and privileges may be denied by federal agencies.