

Good Samaritan Protections in the 3rd Stimulus Package

- Full immunity from liability for health professional volunteers
 - *Applies if all the following conditions are met:*
 - The act or omission involved the actual provision of healthcare services;
 - The act or omission occurred during the declared COVID-19 public health emergency;
 - The act or omission occurred while providing care to COVID-19 patients or suspected COVID-19 patients;
 - The services provided fell within the scope of licensure of the volunteer;
 - If in a state other than the state of licensure, the services fell within the scope of practice of a substantially similar health professional;
 - The volunteer was not compensated for the services provided.
 - *Excludes:*
 - Acts or omissions that constitute willful or criminal misconduct, gross negligence, reckless misconduct, or a conscious flagrant indifference to the rights or safety of the patient; or,
 - Acts or omissions that occur while the volunteer is under the influence of alcohol or an intoxicating drug.