

§ 130A-453.41. Definitions.

The following definitions apply in this Article:

- (1) DEHP. – Di(2-ethylhexyl) phthalate.
- (2) Health care practitioner. – An individual who is authorized to practice some component of the healing arts by a license, permit, certificate, or registration issued by a State licensing agency or board.
- (3) Intentionally added DEHP. – DEHP that a manufacturer has intentionally added to a product and that has a functional or technical effect on the product.
- (4) Intravenous solution container. – A container used to house medicine, fluid, or nutrition therapy that is intravenously delivered to a patient in a hospital, outpatient facility, or other health care facility.
- (5) Intravenous tubing. – Tubing used to intravenously administer fluids, medication, or nutrients directly to an adult, child, or infant.
- (6) Ortho-phthalate. – A class of chemicals that are esters of ortho-phthalic acid, including DEHP or any of the following:
 - a. Benzyl butyl phthalate (BBP).
 - b. Dibutyl phthalate (DBP).
 - c. Dicyclohexyl phthalate (DCHP).
 - d. Diethyl phthalate (DEP).
 - e. Diisobutyl phthalate (DIBP).
 - f. Diisodecyl phthalate (DIDP).
 - g. Diisononyl phthalate (DINP).
 - h. Di-n-hexyl phthalate (DnHP).
 - i. Di-n-octyl phthalate (DNOP).
 - j. Di-n-pentyl phthalate (DnPP).
 - k. Diisoheptyl phthalate (DIHP).
- (7) Unintentionally added DEHP. – DEHP in an intravenous solution container or intravenous tubing product that is not used for functional or technical effect on the product. (2025-60, s. 3(a).)