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## DIGEST

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**Abstract:** Creates an exemption to the workplace violence education and mitigation requirements for a healthcare entity with five or fewer primary healthcare providers.

Present law requires a regulated entity, defined as a licensed healthcare facility, federal qualified health center, pharmacy, or healthcare provider's office with five or more healthcare professionals, to implement programs to mitigate and raise awareness of workplace violence.

Proposed law modifies the definition of regulated entity to include any healthcare entity such as a licensed healthcare facility, federal qualified health center, pharmacy, or healthcare provider's office with five or more healthcare professionals shall implement programs to mitigate and raise awareness of workplace violence however no healthcare entity with five or fewer primary care providers, such as a physician, physician assistant, advanced practice registered nurse, pharmacist, or dentist, shall be considered a regulated entity.

(Amends R.S. 40:2199.12(3))