

HOUSE SUMMARY OF SENATE AMENDMENTS

HB 592

2024 Regular Session

Miller

HEALTH CARE/PROVIDERS: Provides relative to workplace violence in healthcare settings

Synopsis of Senate Amendments

1. Makes technical changes.

Digest of Bill as Finally Passed by Senate

Present law requires a regulated entity, defined as a licensed healthcare facility, federally 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, federally qualified health center, pharmacy, or healthcare provider's office with five or more licensed medical providers.

Proposed law requires a regulated entity to implement programs to mitigate and raise awareness of workplace violence; however no healthcare entity with five or fewer licensed medical 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))