

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

2025 Regular Session

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Health and Welfare to Original House Bill  
No. 559 by Representative Echols

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, delete lines 2 through 9 in their entirety and insert the following:

"To enact R.S. 28:914(E), relative to human services districts and authorities; to require district and authority boards to report progress toward achieve statewide health goals; to task the Louisiana Department of Health with developing reporting standards; and to provide for related matters"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, delete lines 11 and 19 and insert the following:

"Section 1. R.S. 28:914(E) is hereby enacted to read as follows:

§914. Requirements for districts and authorities; board education and awareness

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E.(1) All boards shall prepare an annual report summarizing each board's progress toward achieving the statewide health goals as established by the department.

(2) The report shall include but not be limited to all of the following:

(a) An overview of programs and initiatives undertaken in the preceding year.

(b) Metrics indicating performance and outcomes relative to the statewide health goals.

(c) Identified challenges and barriers to progress.

(d) Plans for improvement or adjustment in the upcoming year.

(3) The department shall develop and publish uniform reporting standards, metrics, and evaluation criteria by which district and authority boards shall assess and report their progress.

(4)The department shall compile the reports required by this Subsection and prepare a statewide summary for submission to the House Committee on Health and Welfare and the Senate Committee on Health and Welfare by February 1 of each year."

AMENDMENT NO. 3

Delete pages 2 through 7 in their entirety