

1 WHEREAS, the Louisiana Department of Health possesses the institutional capacity
2 necessary to conduct or coordinate such a study in consultation with qualified medical
3 professionals, researchers, and mental health experts.

4 THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the
5 Legislature of Louisiana does hereby urge and request the Louisiana Department of Health
6 to study the potential correlation between medications prescribed for gender-affirming
7 hormone therapy and the incidence of psychosis and related psychiatric conditions in
8 individuals twenty-six years of age and younger.

9 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the study should include but not be limited to
10 all of the following:

11 (1) A review of available peer-reviewed medical and scientific literature concerning
12 psychiatric outcomes associated with estrogen and testosterone therapy, androgen blockers,
13 puberty blockers, cross-sex hormones, and related medications.

14 (2) An examination of adverse event data, where available, relating to psychosis,
15 schizophrenia-spectrum disorders, severe mood disorders, dissociative conditions, suicidal
16 ideation, and other significant psychiatric symptoms.

17 (3) Consultation with behavioral health specialists, endocrinologists,
18 obstetrician-gynecologists, psychiatrists and therapists, pediatric specialists,
19 pharmacologists, and other qualified healthcare professionals representing a diversity of
20 medical perspectives.

21 (4) Recommendations, if warranted, regarding informed consent standards, patient
22 screening practices, mental health evaluations, monitoring protocols, and areas requiring
23 additional research.

24 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Louisiana Department of Health submit a
25 written report of its findings, and if needed, recommendations to the House Committee on
26 Health and Welfare no later than February 1, 2027.

27 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to the
28 secretary of the Louisiana Department of Health.

DIGEST

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Requests the La. Dept. of Health to study the potential correlation between medications prescribed for gender-affirming hormone therapy and the incidence of psychosis conditions in individuals 26 years of age and younger, and to report its findings and recommendations to the legislature by Feb. 1, 2027.