



General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 5933

LCO No. 2647

Referred to Committee on Select Committee on Children

Introduced by:

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AN ACT CONCERNING PEDIATRIC NURSES IN INVESTIGATIONS OF INFANTS AT RISK OF ABUSE OR NEGLECT.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That the general statutes be amended to require the Department of
- 2 Children and Families to include pediatric nurses in investigations of
- 3 infants at risk of abuse or neglect prior to the infant's discharge from a
- 4 hospital.

Statement of Purpose:

To require the Department of Children and Families to include pediatric nurses in investigations of infants at risk of abuse or neglect prior to the infant's discharge from a hospital to determine if the infant can be safely discharged.