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Proposed Bill No. 5933

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Referred to Committee on Public Health

Introduced by:

REP. SAYERS, 60th Dist.

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AN ACT CONCERNING IMPROVED ACCESS TO LABORATORY TEST RESULTS FOR PATIENTS AND THEIR HEALTH CARE PROVIDERS.

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

- 1 That section 20-7c of the general statutes be amended to provide
- 2 that a patient may have direct access to laboratory test results and that
- 3 such test results shall also be made available, upon request, to any
- 4 other health care provider of the patient who is authorized to order
- 5 such testing.

Statement of Purpose:

To allow patients to directly receive copies of their laboratory test results and to permit other health care professionals who also provide care to the patient easier access to such test results.