



General Assembly

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Amendment

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To: Subst. House Bill No. 6540

File No. 556

Cal. No. 338

"AN ACT CONCERNING THE PREVENTION OF THE HUMAN IMMUNODEFICIENCY VIRUS."

1 Strike everything after the enacting clause and substitute the
2 following in lieu thereof:

3 "Section 1. Section 19a-592 of the general statutes is repealed and the
4 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective July 1, 2019*):

5 (a) Any licensed physician or advanced practice registered nurse
6 may examine and provide prophylaxis or treatment for human
7 immunodeficiency virus infection, or acquired immune deficiency
8 syndrome for a minor, only with the consent of the parents or
9 guardian of the minor unless the physician or advanced practice
10 registered nurse determines that notification of the parents or guardian
11 of the minor will result in prophylaxis or treatment being denied or the
12 physician or advanced practice registered nurse determines the minor

13 will not seek, pursue or continue prophylaxis or treatment if the
 14 parents or guardian are notified and the minor requests that his or her
 15 parents or guardian not be notified. The physician or advanced
 16 practice registered nurse shall fully document the reasons for the
 17 determination to provide prophylaxis or treatment without the consent
 18 or notification of the parents or guardian of the minor and shall
 19 include such documentation, signed by the minor, in the minor's
 20 clinical record. The fact of consultation, examination and prophylaxis
 21 or treatment of a minor under the provisions of this section shall be
 22 confidential and shall not be divulged without the minor's consent,
 23 including the sending of a bill for the services to any person other than
 24 the minor until the physician or advanced practice registered nurse
 25 consults with the minor regarding the sending of a bill, except (1) for
 26 purposes of any report made pursuant to section 19a-215, or (2) if the
 27 minor is twelve years of age or younger, the physician or advanced
 28 practice registered nurse shall report the name, age and address of the
 29 minor to the Commissioner of Children and Families, or the
 30 commissioner's designee, who shall classify and evaluate such report
 31 pursuant to the provisions of section 17a-101g. As used in this
 32 subsection, "prophylaxis" means the use of medication, but does not
 33 include the administration of any vaccine, to prevent disease.

34 (b) A minor shall be personally liable for all costs and expenses for
 35 services afforded the minor at his or her request under this section."

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Section 1	July 1, 2019	19a-592