

AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL NO. 86

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1 Amend Bill, page 1, lines 7 and 8, by striking out ", for
2 health care providers accepting newborns, for police officers
3 accepting newborns," and inserting
4 and for incubators for newborns, providing for health care
5 providers at urgent care centers accepting newborns and
6 further providing

7 Amend Bill, page 2, line 14, by striking out "or urgent care
8 center"

9 Amend Bill, page 2, line 16, by inserting a bracket before
10 "or"

11 Amend Bill, page 2, line 16, by inserting a bracket after
12 "or"

13 Amend Bill, page 2, line 19, by inserting a bracket before
14 the period after "65"

15 Amend Bill, page 2, line 19, by inserting after "65."

16]; or
17 (4) at an urgent care center.

18 Amend Bill, page 3, line 26, by striking out "6315(a)(3)" and
19 inserting

20 6315(a)

21 Amend Bill, page 3, line 26, by inserting after "amended"
22 by adding a paragraph

23 Amend Bill, page 4, lines 2 through 6, by striking out all of
24 said lines and inserting

1 (7) By a health care provider at an urgent care center
2 under Chapter 65.

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4 Amend Bill, page 4, line 7, by striking out "definition of"
5 and inserting

6 definitions of "department" and

7 Amend Bill, page 4, line 8, by striking out "is" where it
8 occurs the first time and inserting

9 are

10 Amend Bill, page 4, by inserting between lines 14 and 15

11 "Department." The Department of [Public Welfare] Human
12 Services of the Commonwealth.

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14 Amend Bill, page 4, lines 28 through 30; page 5, lines 1
15 through 14; by striking out all of said lines on said pages and
16 inserting

17 Section 5. Section 6504.3(a) and (b)(4)(i), (v) and (vi) and
18 (5) of Title 23 are amended to read:

19 § 6504.3. Incubators for newborns.

20 (a) Provision optional.--A hospital, police station, urgent
21 care center or [other] entity employing or otherwise providing
22 access to an emergency services provider may provide an
23 incubator for the care of a newborn accepted under this chapter.

24 (b) Regulations.--The Department of Health shall promulgate
25 regulations for providing an incubator under subsection (a). The
26 regulations shall include all of the following:

27 * * *

28 (4) Design and function requirements for an incubator
29 which shall include all of the following:

30 (i) Installation of an incubator at a hospital,
31 police station, urgent care center or [other] entity
32 which employs or otherwise provides access to an
33 emergency services provider.

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35 (v) Providing notice to the personnel of a hospital,
36 police station, urgent care center or [other] entity
37 which employs or otherwise provides access to an
38 emergency services provider within 30 seconds of the
39 infant being placed by the parent in the incubator.

40 (vi) Triggering a 911 call if the personnel of a
41 hospital, police station, urgent care center or [other]
42 entity which employs or otherwise provides access to an
43 emergency services provider does not respond within a

1 reasonable amount of time under subparagraph (v).
2 (5) Operating policy, supervision and maintenance
3 requirements for an incubator, including that only an
4 emergency services provider at an entity that employs or
5 otherwise provides access to the emergency services provider,
6 a health care provider at a hospital [or], police officer at
7 a police station or a health care provider at an urgent care
8 center may take an infant into protective custody in
9 accordance with Chapter 63 (relating to child protective
10 services).

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12 Section 6. Title 23 is amended by adding a section to read:
13 § 6504.4. Health care providers at urgent care centers
14 accepting newborns.

15 (a) Duties.--A health care provider at an urgent care center
16 shall do all of the following relating to a newborn accepted
17 under this chapter:

18 (1) Take the newborn into protective custody under
19 section 6315(a)(7) (relating to taking child into protective
20 custody).

21 (2) Ensure the newborn is transported to a hospital and
22 placed into the care of a health care provider under section
23 6504 (relating to health care providers accepting newborns).

24 (b) Medical history.--When a health care provider at an
25 urgent care center accepts a newborn under this chapter, a
26 parent may provide the health care provider with information
27 about the newborn's medical history and identifying information.

28 (c) Signage.--An urgent care center accepting newborns under
29 this chapter shall ensure the urgent care center's grounds and
30 building display signs that specify the operating hours the
31 urgent care center accepts newborns under section 6315(a)(7) and
32 18 Pa.C.S. § 4306 (relating to newborn protection).

33 Amend Bill, page 5, line 15, by striking out "6" and
34 inserting

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36 Amend Bill, page 5, line 18, by striking out "or urgent care
37 center"

38 Amend Bill, page 5, line 22, by striking out the bracket
39 before "a"

40 Amend Bill, page 5, line 22, by striking out "] the"

41 Amend Bill, page 5, lines 22 and 23, by striking out "or
42 urgent care center"

1 Amend Bill, page 5, line 27, by striking out "or urgent care
2 center"

3 Amend Bill, page 5, line 29, by inserting a bracket before
4 "and"

5 Amend Bill, page 5, line 29, by inserting after "and"
6 **1.**

7 Amend Bill, page 5, line 30, by inserting after "newborns)"
8 and 6504.4(a)(2) (relating to health care providers at
9 urgent care centers accepting newborns)

10 Amend Bill, page 7, line 11, by striking out "7" and
11 inserting

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