

## 1 VIRGINIA ACTS OF ASSEMBLY — CHAPTER

2 *An Act to allow the Department of Veterans Services to contract with any hyperbaric clinic or any*  
3 *hospital in the Commonwealth that furnishes a comprehensive treatment program to any veteran who*  
4 *has been certified by the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs or any branch of the United States*  
5 *Armed Forces as having post-traumatic stress disorder or traumatic brain injury.*

6 [S 1082]

7 Approved

8 **Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia:**

9 1. § 1. *That the Department of Veterans Services may contract with any hyperbaric clinic providing*  
10 *medical-grade 100 percent oxygen in U.S. Food and Drug Administration-approved chambers in the*  
11 *Commonwealth or any hospital that furnishes a comprehensive treatment program that may include*  
12 *medication, psychotherapy, and hyperbaric oxygen therapy, from an accredited program, to any veteran*  
13 *in the Commonwealth who has been certified by the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs or any branch*  
14 *of the United States Armed Forces as having post-traumatic stress disorder or traumatic brain injury.*  
15 *The Department of Veterans Services shall include in any contract with such clinic or hospital the*  
16 *requirement that data be collected to assess the efficacy of such treatments for such veterans and any*  
17 *other information deemed relevant by the Department of Veterans Services.*

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