

Department of Planning and Budget 2020 Fiscal Impact Statement

1. Bill Number: HB42

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| House of Origin | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Introduced | <input type="checkbox"/> Substitute | <input type="checkbox"/> Engrossed |
| Second House | <input type="checkbox"/> In Committee | <input type="checkbox"/> Substitute | <input type="checkbox"/> Enrolled |

2. Patron: Samirah

3. Committee: Committee Referral Pending

4. Title: Health care providers; screening of patients for prenatal and postpartum depression, training.

5. Summary: Directs the Boards of Medicine and Nursing to adopt regulations requiring licensees who provide primary, maternity, obstetrical, or gynecological health care services to complete a training program on prenatal and postnatal depression in women. Such training program shall include information on risk factors for and signs and symptoms of prenatal and postnatal depression, resources for the treatment and management of prenatal and postnatal depression, and steps the practitioner can take to link patients to such resources. The bill also requires the Board of Medicine to adopt regulations requiring licensees who provide primary, maternity, obstetrical, or gynecological health care services to screen all patients who are pregnant or who have been pregnant within the previous five years for prenatal or postnatal depression or other depression, as appropriate.

6. Budget Amendment Necessary: No.

7. Fiscal Impact Estimates: Cannot be determined, see item #8.

8. Fiscal Implications: The provisions of the bill would require the Board of Medicine and the Board of Nursing to promulgate regulations. The new regulations could generate complaints that would have to be investigated and adjudicated, which may impact the Boards and the Department in the future. The extent of this impact cannot be determined.

9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: Department of Health Professions.

10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No.

11. Other Comments: None.