

Department of Planning and Budget

2022 Fiscal Impact Statement

1. Bill Number: SB580

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: McDougle

3. Committee: Education and Health

4. Title: Department of Health; triennial audit requirement for hospices and home care organizations.

5. Summary: Directs the Department of Health to remove the triennial audit requirement for hospices and home care organizations.

6. Budget Amendment Necessary: No.

7. Fiscal Impact Estimates: Minimal, see item 8.

8. Fiscal Implications: The provisions of this bill would not have a fiscal impact on the Virginia Department of Health (VDH). The triennial audit is performed by an outside source and not by VDH. Any fiscal impact to amend regulations can be handled within existing resources.

9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: None.

10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No.

11. Other Comments: VDH can absorb the cost to promulgate regulations for the provisions of a single bill with existing resources. However, if a large number of bills become law with a requirement that VDH promulgate or modify regulations, then VDH indicates it will need additional resources to handle the increase in workload.