



General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 5998

LCO No. 2418



Referred to Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH

Introduced by:
REP. COOK, 65th Dist.

AN ACT ESTABLISHING AN ESSENTIAL CAREGIVER PROGRAM.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That the general statutes be amended to establish an essential
- 2 caregiver program that requires the same infection control practices and
- 3 testing standards for essential caregivers of a resident in a nursing home
- 4 that are required for nursing home staff.

Statement of Purpose:

To improve the quality of care by requiring the same infection control practices and testing standards for essential caregivers of a resident in nursing home that are required for nursing home staff.