

SENATE BILL 2553

By Jackson

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 33;
Title 56; Title 63; Title 68 and Title 71, relative to
medical assisted treatment programs.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. The department of health is urged to study the effectiveness of medical assisted treatment programs in this state, including whether such treatment should be required to be provided onsite or through referral in intensive outpatient, partial hospitalization, and residential levels of care. If such study is conducted, the department must report its findings and recommendations to the health and welfare committee of the senate and the health committee of the house of representatives on or before February 15, 2021.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.