

1 **PSYCHIATRY MEDICAL RESIDENTS AMENDMENTS**

2 2019 GENERAL SESSION

3 STATE OF UTAH

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9 **LONG TITLE**

10 **General Description:**

11 This bill requires the University of Utah Health Sciences to select additional psychiatry
12 residents.

13 **Highlighted Provisions:**

14 This bill:
15 ▶ defines terms;
16 ▶ requires the University of Utah Health Sciences to select additional psychiatry
17 residents; and
18 ▶ enacts provisions related to money used for psychiatry residents.

19 **Money Appropriated in this Bill:**

20 None

21 **Other Special Clauses:**

22 None

23 **Utah Code Sections Affected:**

24 ENACTS:

25 **53B-17-902**, Utah Code Annotated 1953

27 *Be it enacted by the Legislature of the state of Utah:*

28 Section 1. Section **53B-17-902** is enacted to read:

29 **Part 9. Health Sciences and School of Medicine**

30 **53B-17-902. Health Sciences -- Psychiatry medical residents selection.**

31 (1) As used in this section:

32 (a) "Psychiatry resident" means a medical resident practicing in any type of psychiatry
33 specialty or subspecialty, as determined by the university.

34 (b) "University" means the University of Utah Health Sciences.

35 (2) (a) Subject to legislative appropriations, beginning with the 2020-21 academic year,
36 the university shall annually select up to four more first-year psychiatry residents than the
37 number of first-year psychiatry residents the university selected for the 2018-19 academic year.

38 (b) Nothing in this section prohibits the university from using money from a source
39 other than legislative appropriations to select more than the total number of psychiatry
40 residents described in Subsection (2)(a).

41 (3) The university may not use money appropriated for the purposes described in this
42 section to supplant existing money used for psychiatry residents.