

1                   **HEALTH CARE MALPRACTICE ACT SUNSET EXTENSION**

2   2019 GENERAL SESSION

3   STATE OF UTAH

4                           **Chief Sponsor: Allen M. Christensen**

5                           House Sponsor: Stewart E. Barlow

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7   **LONG TITLE**

8   **General Description:**

9           This bill reauthorizes provisions regarding medical malpractice arbitration agreements.

10 **Highlighted Provisions:**

11       This bill:

12           ▶ extends the sunset date for provisions regarding medical malpractice arbitration  
13 agreements for 10 years.

14 **Money Appropriated in this Bill:**

15       None

16 **Other Special Clauses:**

17       None

18 **Utah Code Sections Affected:**

19 AMENDS:

20           **63I-1-278**, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2018, Chapter 25

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

23       Section 1. Section **63I-1-278** is amended to read:

24       **63I-1-278. Repeal dates, Title 78A and Title 78B.**

25       (1) Section **78B-3-421**, regarding medical malpractice arbitration agreements, is  
26 repealed July 1, [~~2019~~] 2029.

27       (2) Title 78B, Chapter 6, Part 2, Alternative Dispute Resolution Act, is repealed July 1,  
28 2026.

29       (3) Section **78B-6-802.7** is repealed on July 1, 2018.

