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HOUSE ENROLLED ACT No. 1029

AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning health.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

SECTION 1. IC 16-41-18.2 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE AS A **NEW** CHAPTER TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2026]:

Chapter 18.2. Alzheimer's Disease and Dementia Education

Sec. 1. (a) The state department shall collaborate with a national Alzheimer's disease and dementia organization in educating the public about the following concerning Alzheimer's disease and dementia:

- (1) The signs and symptoms of Alzheimer's disease and dementia.**
- (2) Personal risk factors.**
- (3) Options for diagnosing and treating Alzheimer's disease and dementia.**
- (4) Populations with elevated risk for Alzheimer's disease and dementia.**

(b) The state department shall identify additional partners to collaborate with in educating the public about Alzheimer's disease and dementia, including any of the following:

- (1) Local health departments.**
- (2) The division of aging.**
- (3) Employer wellness programs.**
- (4) Health care providers, including hospitals.**

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- (5) Health insurers.
- (6) Nonprofit organizations.
- (7) Community organizations.

Sec. 2. The state department shall partner for outreach with a national Alzheimer's disease and dementia organization that has an initiative or program to educate and train health care providers and human services providers on the following current and accurate scientific and medical information topics concerning Alzheimer's disease and dementia:

- (1) Diagnosis.
- (2) Treatment.
- (3) Research advances.
- (4) Care planning.

Sec. 3. The state department shall publish information described in section 2 of this chapter on the state department's website.

Sec. 4. The state department may accept grants, services, and property from the federal government, public entities, and private entities to provide the education described in this chapter. The state department may seek any federal waiver needed to maximize federal funds to educate the public about Alzheimer's disease and dementia.



Speaker of the House of Representatives

President of the Senate

President Pro Tempore

Governor of the State of Indiana

Date: _____ Time: _____

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