

PROPOSED AMENDMENT

HB 1358 # 1

DIGEST

Home health aides. Removes language that requires a home health aide competency evaluation program to include at least 75 hours of training and 16 hours of classroom training before supervised practical training.

- 1 Page 13, between lines 31 and 32, begin a new paragraph and insert:
2 "SECTION 1. IC 16-27.5-5-5, AS ADDED BY P.L.143-2025,
3 SECTION 24, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
4 SEPTEMBER 1, 2025 (RETROACTIVE)]: Sec. 5. ~~(a)~~ A home health
5 aide competency evaluation program must:
6 (1) operate in accordance with 42 CFR 484.80; and
7 (2) address each topic described in section 4(a) of this chapter.
8 ~~(b) A home health aide competency evaluation program must~~
9 ~~include at least seventy-five (75) hours of training. At least sixteen (16)~~
10 ~~hours of classroom training must occur before supervised practical~~
11 ~~training."~~
12 Page 35, after line 30, begin a new paragraph and insert:
13 "SECTION 64. **An emergency is declared for this act.**".
14 Renumber all SECTIONS consecutively.
 (Reference is to HB 1358 as introduced.)