
A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO DIABETES.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF HAWAII:

1 SECTION 1. Chapter 321, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
2 amended by adding a new section to part I to be appropriately
3 designated and to read as follows:

4 "§321- Diabetes reporting. (a) The department of
5 health, in collaboration with the department of human services,
6 shall identify goals and benchmarks and develop departmental
7 plans to reduce the incidence of diabetes in the State, improve
8 diabetes care, and reduce complications associated with
9 diabetes.

10 (b) The department of health, in collaboration with the
11 department of human services, shall submit an annual report to
12 the legislature no later than twenty days prior to the convening
13 of each regular session on the following:

14 (1) The health, societal, and financial impacts that
15 diabetes of all types has on the State, counties, the
16 department of health, and the department of human
17 services, including:

18 (A) The number of persons with diabetes;



1 (B) The number of participants in diabetes education
2 and treatment programs administered by the
3 department of health and the department of human
4 services;

5 (C) The costs associated with diabetes education and
6 treatment programs administered by the department
7 of health and the department of human services,
8 including medicaid; and

9 (D) The costs to the department of health and the
10 department of human services associated with
11 diabetes education and treatment as compared to
12 the costs associated with education and treatment
13 of other chronic diseases;

14 (2) An assessment of the effectiveness of diabetes
15 education and treatment activities, including the
16 amount and source of any funding appropriated by the
17 legislature for these activities;

18 (3) A description of the level of coordination between the
19 department of health and the department of human
20 services on activities to manage, treat, and prevent
21 diabetes and associated complications; and



1 (4) Any proposed legislation intended to reduce the impact
2 of diabetes, pre-diabetes, and related diabetes
3 complications in Hawaii, including recommended
4 appropriations; provided that the report shall
5 identify expected outcomes of the proposed
6 legislation."

7 SECTION 2. New statutory material is underscored.

8 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

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Report Title:

DOH; Diabetes; Reporting

Description:

Requires DOH, in collaboration with DHS, to develop departmental plans to reduce the incidence of diabetes in the State and report to the legislature annually on the effectiveness of those plans.

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