

ACT 80

H. B. NO. 1758-72

A Bill for an Act Relating to Charges for State Mental Health Clinic Outpatient Services.

*Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Hawaii:*

SECTION 1. Chapter 334-6 (a), Hawaii Revised Statutes, is amended to read:

“(a) The director shall establish reasonable charges for outpatient professional and other personal services rendered to patients and may make collections on such charges. In making the collections on such charges the director shall take into consideration the financial circumstances of the patient and his family, and no collections shall be made where in the judgment of the director, such collections would tend to make the patient or his family a public charge or deprive the patient and his family of necessary support.”

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SECTION 2. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed. New material is underscored. In printing this Act, the revisor of statutes need not include the brackets, the bracketed material or the underscoring.\*

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

(Approved May 19, 1972.)

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\*Edited accordingly.