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A bill to be entitled

An act relating to the Public Health Institute of the Miami-Dade County Health Department, Inc.; providing authority for the Miami-Dade County Health Department to establish a private, not-for-profit corporation to assist the Miami-Dade County Health Department in providing coordinated county health department services; providing for funding; providing an effective date.

Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

Section 1. Public Health Institute of the Miami-Dade County Health Department, Inc.--

(1) This section may be cited as the "Public Health Institute of the Miami-Dade County Health Department Act."

(2) It is the intent of the Legislature to enhance the delivery of public health services in Miami-Dade County through public-private initiatives.

(3) The Miami-Dade County Health Department, a county health department established pursuant to section 154.01, Florida Statutes, using available funding, is authorized to establish the Public Health Institute of the Miami-Dade County Health Department, Inc., a not-for-profit corporation pursuant to chapter 617, Florida Statutes.

(4) The Public Health Institute of the Miami-Dade County Health Department, Inc., shall promote the public's health by assisting the Miami-Dade County Health Department in providing coordinated county health department services.

