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Senator Peaden moved the following amendment:

Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

On page 149, between lines 20 and 21,

insert:

Section 74. Subsection (7) of section 456.013, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

456.013 Department; general licensing provisions.--

(7) The boards, or the department when there is no board, shall require the completion of a 2-hour course relating to prevention of medical errors as part of the licensure and renewal process. The 2-hour course shall count towards the total number of continuing education hours required for the profession. The course shall be approved by the board or department, as appropriate, and shall include a study of root-cause analysis, error reduction and prevention, and patient safety. If the course is being offered by a facility licensed pursuant to chapter 395 for its employees, the board may approve up to 1 hour of the 2-hour course to be specifically related to error reduction and prevention methods

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1 used in that facility. The Board of Medicine and the Board of
 2 Osteopathic Medicine shall also require as a condition of
 3 licensure and license renewal that each physician and
 4 physician assistant complete a 2-hour board-approved
 5 continuing education course relating to the five most
 6 misdiagnosed conditions, as determined by the board, during
 7 the previous biennium. This continuing education course shall
 8 count towards the total number of continuing education hours
 9 required for those physicians and physician assistants.

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11 (Redesignate subsequent sections.)

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15 And the title is amended as follows:

16 On page 16, line 18, after the semicolon,

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18 insert:

19 amending s. 456.013, F.S.; requiring, as a
 20 condition of licensure and license renewal,
 21 that physicians and physician assistants
 22 complete a continuing education course relating
 23 to misdiagnosed conditions;

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