

The Florida Senate  
**HOUSE MESSAGE SUMMARY**

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BILL: SB 992  
INTRODUCER: Health Regulation Committee  
SUBJECT: Health Care Providers Licensure  
PREPARED BY: Senate Committee on Health Regulation  
DATE: May 4, 2007

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**I. Amendments Contained in Message:**

**House Amendment 1 – 561649 substitute amendment to House amendment 290947** (body with title)

**II. Summary of Amendments Contained in Message:**

**House Amendment 1** expands an exemption from clinic licensure for entities that provide health care services by licensed practitioners solely within a hospital. The amendment provides an exemption from clinic licensure under the Health Care Clinic Act for orthotic and prosthetic clinical facilities that are wholly owned, directly or indirectly, by a publicly traded corporation. The amendment defines a publicly traded corporation to mean one that issues securities traded on an exchange registered with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission as a national securities exchange.