

Amendment No. 2

COMMITTEE/SUBCOMMITTEE ACTION

ADOPTED	<u> </u>	(Y/N)
ADOPTED AS AMENDED	<u> </u>	(Y/N)
ADOPTED W/O OBJECTION	<u> </u>	(Y/N)
FAILED TO ADOPT	<u> </u>	(Y/N)
WITHDRAWN	<u> </u>	(Y/N)
OTHER	<u> </u>	

1 Committee/Subcommittee hearing bill: Health & Human Services
 2 Committee

3 Representative Gonzalez offered the following:

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 5 **Amendment (with title amendment)**

6 Between lines 15 and 16, insert:

7 Section 1. Section 395.1051, Florida Statutes, is amended
 8 to read:

9 395.1051 Duty to notify ~~patients~~.—

10 (1) An appropriately trained person designated by each
 11 licensed facility shall inform each patient, or an individual
 12 identified pursuant to s. 765.401(1), in person about adverse
 13 incidents that result in serious harm to the patient.

14 Notification of outcomes of care that result in harm to the
 15 patient under this section shall not constitute an
 16 acknowledgment or admission of liability, nor can it be
 17 introduced as evidence.

18 (2) Notice shall be provided to obstetrical physicians
 19 with privileges at a hospital at least 120 days prior to the

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20 hospital closing an obstetrics department or ceasing to provide
21 obstetrical services.

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Remove line 2 and insert:

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An act relating to health care facilities; amending s. 395.1051,

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F.S.; requiring hospitals to provide advance notice to

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obstetrical physicians with privileges at the hospital before

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closing an obstetrics department or ceasing to provide

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obstetrical services;

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