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Senator Bean moved the following:

1 **Senate Substitute for Amendment (487050) (with title**
2 **amendment)**

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4 Before line 5
5 insert:

6 Section 1. Present subsection (9) of section 395.1055,
7 Florida Statutes, is redesignated as subsection (10), and a new
8 subsection (9) is added to that section, to read:

9 395.1055 Rules and enforcement.—

10 (9) The agency shall establish a technical advisory panel
11 to develop procedures and standards for measuring outcomes of



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12 pediatric cardiac catheterization programs and pediatric open-
13 heart surgery programs.

14 (a) The panel must be composed of 3 at-large members,
15 including 1 cardiologist who is board certified in caring for
16 adults with congenital heart disease and 2 board-certified
17 pediatric cardiologists, neither of whom may be employed by any
18 of the hospitals specified in subparagraphs 1.-10. or their
19 affiliates, each of whom is appointed by the Secretary of Health
20 Care Administration, and 10 members, each of whom is a pediatric
21 cardiologist or a pediatric cardiovascular surgeon, each
22 appointed by the chief executive officer of one of the following
23 hospitals:

24 1. Johns Hopkins All Children's Hospital in St. Petersburg.
25 2. Arnold Palmer Hospital for Children in Orlando.
26 3. Joe DiMaggio Children's Hospital in Hollywood.
27 4. Nicklaus Children's Hospital in Miami.
28 5. St. Joseph's Children's Hospital in Tampa.
29 6. University of Florida Health Shands Hospital in
30 Gainesville.

31 7. University of Miami Holtz Children's Hospital in Miami.
32 8. Wolfson Children's Hospital in Jacksonville.
33 9. Florida Hospital for Children in Orlando.
34 10. Nemours Children's Hospital in Orlando.

35 (b) Based on the recommendations of the panel, the agency
36 shall develop and adopt rules for pediatric cardiac
37 catheterization programs and pediatric open-heart surgery
38 programs which include at least the following:

39 1. A risk adjustment procedure that accounts for the
40 variations in severity and case mix found in hospitals in this



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41 state;

42 2. Outcome standards specifying expected levels of
43 performance in pediatric cardiac programs. Such standards may
44 include, but are not limited to, in-hospital mortality,
45 infection rates, nonfatal myocardial infarctions, length of
46 postoperative bleeds, and returns to surgery; and

47 3. Specific steps to be taken by the agency and licensed
48 facilities that do not meet the outcome standards within a
49 specified time, including time required for detailed case
50 reviews and development and implementation of corrective action
51 plans.

52 (c) This subsection is repealed on July 1, 2022.

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54 ===== T I T L E A M E N D M E N T =====

55 And the title is amended as follows:

56 Delete lines 2160 - 2161

57 and insert:

58 An act relating to child welfare; amending s.
59 395.1055, F.S.; requiring the Agency for Health Care
60 Administration to establish a technical advisory panel
61 to develop procedures and standards for measuring
62 outcomes of pediatric cardiac catheterization programs
63 and pediatric open-heart surgery programs; providing
64 for the membership of the technical advisory panel;
65 requiring the agency to develop and adopt rules for
66 pediatric cardiac catheterization programs and
67 pediatric open-heart surgery programs based on
68 recommendations of the technical advisory panel;
69 providing for future repeal of the advisory panel;



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amending s. 39.01, F.S.;