

Amendment No.

COMMITTEE/SUBCOMMITTEE ACTION

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1 Committee/Subcommittee hearing bill: Healthcare Regulation
 2 Subcommittee

3 Representative Campbell offered the following:

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 5 **Amendment (with title amendment)**

6 Remove lines 15-48 and insert:

7 Section 1. This act may be known as the "Sickle Cell
 8 Disease and Sickle Cell Trait Prevention, Care, and Treatment
 9 Act."

10 Section 2. Subsection (3) of section 381.815, Florida
 11 Statutes, is amended, to read:

12 381.815 Sickle cell ~~Sickle-cell~~ program; voluntary
 13 registry.—The Department of Health shall, to the extent that
 14 resources are available:

15 (3)(a)1. Establish a grant program for the prevention,
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17 care, and treatment of sickle cell disease and sickle cell trait
18 or sickle cell trait carriers and for community-based
19 educational programs concerning the disease.

20 2. The community-based educational programs shall include
21 an outreach program that provides for the dissemination of
22 information relating to the prevention, care, and treatment of
23 sickle cell disease and sickle cell trait or sickle cell trait
24 carriers.

25 (b) Develop application criteria and standards of
26 eligibility for applicants for funds under the grant program.

27 1. Groups or organizations that meet the eligibility
28 standards developed by the department may apply for funds under
29 the program.

30 2.a. Priority for grants shall be given to established
31 sickle cell disease and sickle cell trait or sickle cell trait
32 carrier community-based applicants throughout the state.

33 b. Further priority shall be given to ensuring the
34 establishment of sickle cell disease and sickle cell trait or
35 sickle cell trait carrier centers in underserved areas with a
36 higher population of sickle cell disease and sickle cell trait
37 or sickle cell trait carrier patients.

38 (c) Require that all program grant funds must be used for
39 the purpose of prevention, care, and treatment of sickle cell
40 disease or sickle cell trait or sickle cell trait carriers or
41 for educational programs concerning the disease.

