

1 A bill to be entitled
2 An act relating to human trafficking education for
3 initial nurse licensure; amending s. 464.008, F.S.;
4 requiring completion of a course on human trafficking
5 for the initial licensure of registered nurses or
6 licenses practical nurses, beginning on a specified
7 date; providing an effective date.
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9 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:
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11 **Section 1. Paragraph (e) is added to subsection (1) of**
12 **section 464.008, Florida Statutes, to read:**

13 464.008 Licensure by examination.—

14 (1) Any person desiring to be licensed as a registered
15 nurse or licensed practical nurse shall apply to the department
16 to take the licensure examination. The department shall examine
17 each applicant who:

18 (e) Beginning July 1, 2027, has completed a 2-hour course
19 on human trafficking. The course must include the content
20 required of the human trafficking continuing education course
21 required under s. 464.013(3)(c).

22 **Section 2.** This act shall take effect July 1, 2026.