

By the Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services;
the Committee on Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and
Domestic Security; and Senators Sharief, Rouson, and Jones

603-02505-26

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1 A bill to be entitled
2 An act relating to the Veterans Dental Care Grant
3 Program; amending s. 295.157, F.S.; revising the
4 purpose of the Veterans Dental Care Grant Program;
5 providing an effective date.

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7 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:
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9 Section 1. Subsection (3) of section 295.157, Florida
10 Statutes, is amended to read:

11 295.157 Veterans Dental Care Grant Program.—

12 (3) The Veterans Dental Care Grant Program is established
13 within the Department of Veterans' Affairs. The purpose of the
14 program is to provide oral health care to veterans who reside in
15 this state and who have incomes of up to 400 percent of the
16 federal poverty level.

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