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REPORTING CHILD ABUSE

House Bill 4757 Sponsor: Rep. David M. Gubow Committee: Mental Health

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A SUMMARY OF HOUSE BILL 4757 AS INTRODUCED 5-11-93

Currently, under the Child Protection Law (Public Act 238 of 1975), a number of professionals are required to report suspected child abuse or neglect. The act applies now to physicians, coroners, dentists, medical examiners, nurses, people licensed to provide emergency medical care, audiologists, psychologists, family therapists, social workers, school administrators, school counselors, teachers, law enforcement officers, and regulated child care providers. The bill would add professional counselors and marriage and family therapists to this list.

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