



SENATE BILL No. 962

April 18, 1996, Introduced by Senators GEAKE, VAUGHN, PETERS, A. SMITH, GOUGEON, MC MANUS, BENNETT and YOUNG and referred to the Committee on Health Policy and Senior Citizens.

A bill to amend section 21513 of Act No. 368 of the Public Acts of 1978, entitled as amended "Public health code," as amended by Act No. 79 of the Public Acts of 1993, being section 333.21513 of the Michigan Compiled Laws.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 Section 1. Section 21513 of Act No. 368 of the Public Acts
2 of 1978, as amended by Act No. 79 of the Public Acts of 1993,
3 being section 333.21513 of the Michigan Compiled Laws, is amended
4 to read as follows:

5 Sec. 21513. The owner, operator, and governing body of a
6 hospital licensed under this article:

7 (a) Are responsible for all phases of the operation of the
8 hospital, selection of the medical staff, and quality of care
9 rendered in the hospital.

1 (b) Shall cooperate with the department in the enforcement
2 of this part, and require that the physicians, dentists,
3 PSYCHOLOGISTS ADMITTED UNDER SUBDIVISION (C), and other personnel
4 working in the hospital and for whom a license or registration is
5 required be currently licensed or registered.

6 (C) EXCEPT AS OTHERWISE PROVIDED IN THIS SUBDIVISION, MAY
7 ADMIT TO PRACTICE IN THE HOSPITAL A PSYCHOLOGIST WHO IS FULLY
8 LICENSED OR OTHERWISE AUTHORIZED UNDER ARTICLE 15 BY GRANTING THE
9 PSYCHOLOGIST FULL PROFESSIONAL STAFF PRIVILEGES INCLUDING, BUT
10 NOT LIMITED TO, ADMISSION, TREATMENT, AND DISCHARGE OF PATIENTS.
11 THIS SUBDIVISION DOES NOT APPLY TO AN INDIVIDUAL WHO HOLDS A
12 LIMITED LICENSE TO ENGAGE IN THE PRACTICE OF PSYCHOLOGY UNDER
13 ARTICLE 15.

14 (D) ~~(e)~~ Shall assure that physicians and dentists admitted
15 to practice in the hospital AND PSYCHOLOGISTS ADMITTED TO PRAC-
16 TICE IN THE HOSPITAL UNDER SUBDIVISION (C) are granted hospital
17 privileges consistent with their individual training, experience,
18 and other qualifications.

19 (E) ~~(d)~~ Shall assure that physicians and dentists admitted
20 to practice in the hospital AND PSYCHOLOGISTS ADMITTED TO PRAC-
21 TICE IN THE HOSPITAL UNDER SUBDIVISION (C) are organized into a
22 medical staff to enable an effective review of the professional
23 practices in the hospital for the purpose of reducing morbidity
24 and mortality and improving the care provided in the hospital for
25 patients. ~~This~~ THE review REQUIRED UNDER THIS SUBDIVISION
26 shall include the quality and necessity of the care provided and

1 the preventability of complications and deaths occurring in the
2 hospital.

3 (F) ~~(e) After December 31, 1989, shall~~ SHALL not discrimi-
4 nate because of race, religion, color, national origin, age, or
5 sex in the operation of the hospital including employment,
6 patient admission and care, room assignment, and professional or
7 nonprofessional selection and training programs, and shall not
8 discriminate in the selection and appointment of individuals to
9 the physician staff of the hospital or its training programs on
10 the basis of licensure or registration or professional education
11 as doctors of medicine, osteopathic medicine and surgery, or
12 podiatry.

13 (G) ~~(f)~~ Shall assure that the hospital adheres to medical
14 control authority protocols according to section 20918.