

SUBSTITUTE FOR
HOUSE BILL NO. 4219

A bill to amend 1974 PA 258, entitled
"Mental health code,"
by amending section 416 (MCL 330.1416), as amended by 2018 PA 595.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 Sec. 416. Upon **the** commencement of mental health treatment ,
2 ~~the rights that the patient has described in section 415, both of~~
3 **the following must occur:**

4 **(a) A patient's rights** during ~~the~~ mental health treatment,
5 including the right to object to ~~the~~ mental health treatment, must
6 be **communicated** orally ~~communicated~~ **and in writing** to the patient
7 and to the individual who executed the written consent. ~~In~~
8 ~~addition, a copy of the written consent~~ **A patient's rights include,**
9 **but are not limited to, the right to end voluntary mental health**

1 treatment. The oral and written communication of a patient's rights
2 must include the process by which a patient can end voluntary
3 mental health treatment.

4 (b) Both of the following must be given to the patient, and
5 the individual who executed the written consent, and ~~to~~ 1 other
6 individual designated by the patient:

7 (i) A copy of the written consent.

8 (ii) Notwithstanding any other provision under this act, a copy
9 of the form described under section 419 even if the patient or
10 other individual described in section 419 does not communicate an
11 intention to terminate the patient's mental health treatment to a
12 hospital or provider of mental health treatment.