

94TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY State of Illinois 2005 and 2006 HB3024

Introduced 2/22/2005, by Rep. Tom Cross

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

740 ILCS 110/3

from Ch. 91 1/2, par. 803

Amends the Mental Health and Developmental Disabilities Confidentiality Act. Makes a technical change in a Section concerning records and communications.

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1 AN ACT concerning civil law.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois, represented in the General Assembly:

- 4 Section 5. The Mental Health and Developmental
- 5 Disabilities Confidentiality Act is amended by changing
- 6 Section 3 as follows:
- 7 (740 ILCS 110/3) (from Ch. 91 1/2, par. 803)
- 8 Sec. 3. (a) All records <u>and</u> and communications shall be
- 9 confidential and shall not be disclosed except as provided in
- 10 this Act.
- 11 (b) A therapist is not required to but may, to the extent
- 12 he determines it necessary and appropriate, keep personal notes
- 13 regarding a recipient. Such personal notes are the work product
- 14 and personal property of the therapist and shall not be subject
- 15 to discovery in any judicial, administrative or legislative
- 16 proceeding or any proceeding preliminary thereto.
- 17 (c) Psychological test material whose disclosure would
- 18 compromise the objectivity or fairness of the testing process
- 19 may not be disclosed to anyone including the subject of the
- 20 test and is not subject to disclosure in any administrative,
- judicial or legislative proceeding. However, any recipient who
- 22 has been the subject of the psychological test shall have the
- 23 right to have all records relating to that test disclosed to
- 24 any psychologist designated by the recipient. Requests for such
- 25 disclosure shall be in writing and shall comply with the
- requirements of subsection (b) of Section 5 of this Act.
- 27 (Source: P.A. 86-1417.)