

# HB0207



## 102ND GENERAL ASSEMBLY

### State of Illinois

2021 and 2022

HB0207

Introduced 1/22/2021, by Rep. LaToya Greenwood

#### SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

210 ILCS 85/6.28 new

Amends the Hospital Licensing Act. Requires hospitals that receive a property tax exemption under a provision of the Property Tax Code concerning exemptions related to access to hospital and health care services by low-income and underserved individuals to post the hospital's charity care policy and the contact information of a financial counselor in a reasonably viewable area in the hospital's emergency room.

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A BILL FOR

1 AN ACT concerning health.

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

4 Section 5. The Hospital Licensing Act is amended by adding  
5 Section 6.28 as follows:

6 (210 ILCS 85/6.28 new)

7 Sec. 6.28. Posting charity care policy, financial  
8 counselor. A hospital that receives a property tax exemption  
9 under Section 15-86 of the Property Tax Code must post the  
10 hospital's charity care policy and the contact information of  
11 a financial counselor in a reasonably viewable area in the  
12 hospital's emergency room.