

98TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY State of Illinois 2013 and 2014 SB1623

Introduced 2/13/2013, by Sen. Andy Manar

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

410 ILCS 235/4

from Ch. 111 1/2, par. 7504

Amends the Pertussis Vaccine Act. Provides that parents or guardians and immediate family members of a newborn child in a neonatal intensive care unit shall be offered an opportunity to receive the pertussis vaccine to minimize the chances that the disease will be communicated to the newborn child. Effective immediately.

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1 AN ACT concerning health.

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

- Section 5. The Pertussis Vaccine Act is amended by changing
- 5 Section 4 as follows:
- 6 (410 ILCS 235/4) (from Ch. 111 1/2, par. 7504)
- 7 Sec. 4. Every hospital in this State licensed under the
- 8 Hospital Licensing Act or an Act in relation to the founding
- 9 and operation of the University of Illinois Hospital, shall
- 10 provide the parents or guardians of each newborn child the
- 11 pamphlet pursuant to Section 3 of this Act. Parents or
- 12 guardians and immediate family members of a newborn child in a
- neonatal intensive care unit shall be offered an opportunity to
- 14 receive the pertussis vaccine to minimize the chances that the
- disease will be communicated to the newborn child.
- 16 (Source: P.A. 85-898.)
- 17 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon
- 18 becoming law.