



# HOUSE BILL No. 4902

May 25, 1995, Introduced by Reps. Gagliardi, Bodem, Pitoniak, DeMars, Prusi, Willard, Kaza, Tesanovich, Anthony, Bobier, Alley, Jamian and Green and referred to the Committee on Health Policy.

A bill to amend section 22205 of Act No. 368 of the Public Acts of 1978, entitled as amended

"Public health code,"

as amended by Act No. 88 of the Public Acts of 1993, being section 333.22205 of the Michigan Compiled Laws.

## THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 Section 1. Section 22205 of Act No. 368 of the Public Acts  
2 of 1978, as amended by Act No. 88 of the Public Acts of 1993,  
3 being section 333.22205 of the Michigan Compiled Laws, is amended  
4 to read as follows:

5 Sec. 22205. (1) "Health facility", except as otherwise pro-  
6 vided in subsection (2), means:

7 (a) A hospital licensed under part 215.

8 (b) A psychiatric hospital, psychiatric unit, or partial  
9 hospitalization psychiatric program licensed under the mental

1 health code, Act No. 258 of the Public Acts of 1974, being  
2 sections 330.1001 to 330.2106 of the Michigan Compiled Laws.

3 (c) A nursing home licensed under part 217 or a hospital  
4 long-term care unit as defined in section 20106(6).

5 (d) A freestanding surgical outpatient facility licensed  
6 under part 208.

7 (e) A health maintenance organization licensed under part  
8 210.

9 (2) "Health facility" does not include the following:

10 (a) An institution conducted by and for the adherents of a  
11 church or religious denomination for the purpose of providing  
12 facilities for the care and treatment of the sick who depend  
13 solely upon spiritual means through prayer for healing.

14 (b) A health facility or agency located in a correctional  
15 institution.

16 (c) A veterans facility operated by the state or federal  
17 government.

18 (d) A facility owned and operated by the department of  
19 mental health.

20 (E) A HOSPITAL LOCATED IN A COUNTY WITH A POPULATION OF  
21 FEWER THAN 50,000.

22 (3) "Initiate" means the initiation of a covered clinical  
23 service by a person if the covered clinical service has not been  
24 offered in compliance with this part or former part 221 on a reg-  
25 ular basis by that person at the location where the covered clin-  
26 ical service is to be offered within the 12-month period

1 immediately preceding the date the covered clinical service will  
2 be offered.

3       (4) "Medical equipment" means a single equipment component  
4 or a related system of components that is used for clinical  
5 purposes.