

SUBSTITUTE FOR  
HOUSE BILL NO. 6293

A bill to amend 1978 PA 368, entitled  
"Public health code,"  
(MCL 333.1101 to 333.25211) by adding section 2683.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1        SEC. 2683. (1) THE DEPARTMENT SHALL PROMOTE PUBLIC AWARENESS  
2        AND INCREASE KNOWLEDGE ABOUT THE STATEWIDE NETWORK OF CORD BLOOD  
3        STEM CELL BANKS, CORD BLOOD BANKING OPTIONS, AND THE BENEFITS OF  
4        CORD BLOOD STEM CELLS BY DEVELOPING AND DISSEMINATING EDUCATIONAL  
5        MATERIALS ON THE USES AND BENEFITS OF CORD BLOOD STEM CELLS,  
6        INFORMATION ON RESEARCH RESULTS UTILIZING CORD BLOOD STEM CELLS,  
7        AND ANY OTHER RELATED MATERIALS AND INFORMATION TO ENABLE THE  
8        PUBLIC TO MAKE INFORMED DECISIONS ABOUT THE UTILIZATION OF CORD  
9        BLOOD STEM CELLS.  
10        (2) THE DEPARTMENT SHALL MAKE THE MATERIALS AND INFORMATION

1 GATHERED AND DEVELOPED UNDER SUBSECTION (1) AVAILABLE TO THE PUBLIC  
2 THROUGH THE DEPARTMENT'S WEBSITE. THE DEPARTMENT SHALL PROVIDE EACH  
3 HEALTH FACILITY OR AGENCY, CORD BLOOD BANK, AND HEALTH CARE  
4 PROFESSIONAL COPIES OF THE SAME UPON REQUEST AT NO CHARGE. THE  
5 DEPARTMENT SHALL ENCOURAGE HEALTH CARE PROFESSIONALS AND HEALTH  
6 CARE FACILITIES OR AGENCIES, INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO,  
7 HOSPITALS, BIRTHING FACILITIES, LOCAL HEALTH DEPARTMENTS,  
8 PHYSICIANS, NURSE MIDWIVES, AND NURSES, TO DISSEMINATE INFORMATION  
9 TO PREGNANT WOMEN ABOUT CORD BLOOD BANK DONATION AND THE OPTIONS  
10 FOR CORD BLOOD BANKING.

11 Enacting section 1. This amendatory act does not take effect  
12 unless all of the following bills of the 93rd Legislature are  
13 enacted into law:

- 14 (a) House Bill No. 6291.  
15 (b) Senate Bill No. 1353.