HOUSE BILL No. 5623

February 21, 2018, Introduced by Rep. Glenn and referred to the Committee on Health Policy.

A bill to amend 1978 PA 368, entitled "Public health code,"

(MCL 333.1101 to 333.25211) by adding sections 2468, 2468a, 20195, and 20195a.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- 1 SEC. 2468. (1) A LOCAL HEALTH DEPARTMENT SHALL ESTABLISH A
- 2 VIOLENCE PREVENTION COMMITTEE. AT LEAST 50% OF THE VIOLENCE
- 3 PREVENTION COMMITTEE MEMBERS MUST BE EMPLOYEES OF THE LOCAL HEALTH
- 4 DEPARTMENT WHO PROVIDE CARE DIRECTLY TO A PATIENT. THE LOCAL HEALTH
 - DEPARTMENT SHALL ENSURE THAT THE VIOLENCE PREVENTION COMMITTEE
- 6 ESTABLISHES, MAINTAINS, AND ANNUALLY REVIEWS A WRITTEN VIOLENCE
- 7 PREVENTION PLAN THAT INCLUDES AT LEAST ALL OF THE FOLLOWING:
- 8 (A) THE IDENTIFICATION OF RISK FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO VIOLENT
- 9 ACTS AT THE LOCAL HEALTH DEPARTMENT AND ANNUAL RECOMMENDATIONS ON
- HOW TO REDUCE EACH RISK FACTOR.

- 1 (B) AN ANNUAL VIOLENT ACT RISK ASSESSMENT FOR THE LOCAL HEALTH
- 2 DEPARTMENT THAT CONSIDERS ALL OF THE FOLLOWING, AS APPLICABLE:
- 3 (i) THE LOCAL HEALTH DEPARTMENT'S LAYOUT, EQUIPMENT, ACCESS
- 4 RESTRICTIONS, AND LIGHTING.
- 5 (ii) COMMUNICATION DEVICES USED BY THE LOCAL HEALTH
- 6 DEPARTMENT, EMERGENCY RESPONSE WITHIN THE LOCAL HEALTH DEPARTMENT,
- 7 AND THE SUFFICIENCY OF THE LOCAL HEALTH DEPARTMENT'S SECURITY
- 8 SYSTEM, INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, AN ALARM SYSTEM.
- 9 (iii) THE CRIME RATE IN THE AREA SURROUNDING THE LOCAL HEALTH
- 10 DEPARTMENT.
- 11 (iv) THE IMPACT OF STAFFING AT THE LOCAL HEALTH DEPARTMENT,
- 12 INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, HEALTH PROFESSIONALS AND SECURITY
- 13 PERSONNEL.
- 14 (v) THE UNIQUE NEEDS AND CHARACTERISTICS OF THE PATIENTS OR
- 15 RESIDENTS SERVED BY THE LOCAL HEALTH DEPARTMENT.
- 16 (vi) A REVIEW OF EACH RECORD DESCRIBED IN SUBSECTION (6).
- 17 (C) A PROCEDURE FOR HOW AN EMPLOYEE OF THE LOCAL HEALTH
- 18 DEPARTMENT MAY REPORT A CONCERN OR A VIOLENT ACT TO THE LOCAL
- 19 HEALTH DEPARTMENT, HOW THE REPORT WILL BE INVESTIGATED BY THE LOCAL
- 20 HEALTH DEPARTMENT, AND HOW THE LOCAL HEALTH DEPARTMENT WILL INFORM
- 21 THE EMPLOYEE OF THE RESULT OF THE INVESTIGATION AND ANY CORRECTIVE
- 22 ACTION THAT WILL BE TAKEN BY THE LOCAL HEALTH DEPARTMENT.
- 23 (2) A LOCAL HEALTH DEPARTMENT SHALL ANNUALLY SUBMIT THE
- 24 VIOLENCE PREVENTION PLAN DEVELOPED UNDER SUBSECTION (1) TO THE
- 25 DEPARTMENT.
- 26 (3) A LOCAL HEALTH DEPARTMENT SHALL ANNUALLY PROVIDE VIOLENCE
- 27 PREVENTION TRAINING TO ALL EMPLOYEES OF THE LOCAL HEALTH DEPARTMENT

- 1 AND SHALL PROVIDE VIOLENCE PREVENTION TRAINING TO A NEW EMPLOYEE OF
- 2 THE LOCAL HEALTH DEPARTMENT WITHIN 60 DAYS AFTER THE DATE OF HIRE.
- 3 THE TRAINING MUST INCLUDE A REVIEW OF ALL OF THE FOLLOWING:
- 4 (A) THE LOCAL HEALTH DEPARTMENT'S POLICY ON WORKPLACE VIOLENCE
- 5 PREVENTION.
- 6 (B) TECHNIQUES TO DEESCALATE SITUATIONS AND MINIMIZE VIOLENT
- 7 ACTS.
- 8 (C) APPROPRIATE RESPONSES TO AGGRESSIVE BEHAVIOR, INCLUDING,
- 9 BUT NOT LIMITED TO, THE USE OF RESTRAINING TECHNIQUES.
- 10 (D) REQUIREMENTS AND PROCEDURES FOR REPORTING A VIOLENT ACT.
- 11 (E) THE LOCATION OF A SAFETY DEVICE AND HOW TO OPERATE THE
- 12 DEVICE.
- 13 (F) RESOURCES FOR COPING WITH A VIOLENT ACT.
- 14 (G) THE RIGHTS OF EMPLOYEES REGARDING A VIOLENT ACT AND AN
- 15 INJURY RESULTING FROM A VIOLENT ACT.
- 16 (4) IF AN EMPLOYEE OF A LOCAL HEALTH DEPARTMENT PROVIDES CARE
- 17 DIRECTLY TO A PATIENT, THE LOCAL HEALTH DEPARTMENT SHALL ONLY USE
- 18 THE EMPLOYEE'S FIRST NAME ON HIS OR HER IDENTIFICATION BADGE.
- 19 (5) A LOCAL HEALTH DEPARTMENT SHALL POST IN THE LOCAL HEALTH
- 20 DEPARTMENT AT LEAST 1 SIGN STATING THAT VIOLENT ACTS ARE NOT
- 21 TOLERATED. THE SIGN MUST BE POSTED IN A CONSPICUOUS LOCATION THAT
- 22 IS VISIBLE TO THE PUBLIC. THE LOCAL HEALTH DEPARTMENT SHALL ALSO
- 23 INCLUDE ON ITS ADMISSION FORMS A CONSPICUOUS STATEMENT INDICATING
- 24 THAT VIOLENT ACTS ARE NOT TOLERATED.
- 25 (6) A LOCAL HEALTH DEPARTMENT SHALL CREATE AND MAINTAIN A
- 26 RECORD OF A VIOLENT ACT, REGARDLESS OF WHETHER AN INJURY RESULTED
- 27 FROM THE VIOLENT ACT OR WHO REPORTED THE VIOLENT ACT TO THE LOCAL

- 1 HEALTH DEPARTMENT. A LOCAL HEALTH DEPARTMENT SHALL RETAIN THE
- 2 RECORD FOR A MINIMUM OF 5 YEARS FROM THE DATE THE VIOLENT ACT IS
- 3 REPORTED TO THE LOCAL HEALTH DEPARTMENT AND SHALL MAKE THE RECORD
- 4 AVAILABLE TO AN EMPLOYEE WHO WAS THE VICTIM OF THE VIOLENT ACT, THE
- 5 EMPLOYEE'S AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE, AND THE DEPARTMENT, UPON
- 6 REQUEST. EXCEPT AS OTHERWISE PROHIBITED BY LAW, THE RECORD SHALL
- 7 INCLUDE ALL OF THE FOLLOWING:
- 8 (A) THE DATE, TIME, AND LOCATION OF THE VIOLENT ACT.
- 9 (B) THE NAME AND JOB TITLE OF THE EMPLOYEE WHO WAS THE VICTIM
- 10 OF THE VIOLENT ACT, UNLESS THE EMPLOYEE INDICATES TO THE LOCAL
- 11 HEALTH DEPARTMENT THAT HE OR SHE WISHES TO KEEP HIS OR HER IDENTITY
- 12 CONFIDENTIAL.
- 13 (C) THE NAME OF THE INDIVIDUAL WHO COMMITTED THE VIOLENT ACT
- 14 AND WHETHER THE INDIVIDUAL WAS A PATIENT OF THE LOCAL HEALTH
- 15 DEPARTMENT, A VISITOR OF THE LOCAL HEALTH DEPARTMENT, OR AN
- 16 EMPLOYEE OF THE LOCAL HEALTH DEPARTMENT.
- 17 (D) THE NATURE OF THE VIOLENT ACT, INCLUDING WHETHER A WEAPON
- 18 WAS USED.
- 19 (E) IF AN INJURY DURING THE VIOLENT ACT OCCURRED, A
- 20 DESCRIPTION OF THE INJURY.
- 21 (F) THE NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES AND THE NAMES OF THE EMPLOYEES WHO
- 22 WERE IN THE VICINITY WHEN THE VIOLENT ACT OCCURRED AND THEIR
- 23 ACTIONS IN RESPONSE TO THE VIOLENT ACT, IF ANY.
- 24 (G) THE ACTIONS TAKEN BY THE LOCAL HEALTH DEPARTMENT IN
- 25 RESPONSE TO THE VIOLENT ACT.
- 26 (7) EXCEPT AS OTHERWISE PROVIDED IN SUBSECTION (8), WITHIN 24
- 27 HOURS OF RECEIVING A REPORT OF A VIOLENT ACT, A LOCAL HEALTH

- 1 DEPARTMENT SHALL REPORT THE VIOLENT ACT TO THE DEPARTMENT AND A
- 2 LOCAL LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCY WITH JURISDICTION OVER THE LOCAL
- 3 HEALTH DEPARTMENT WHERE THE VIOLENT ACT OCCURRED IF ANY OF THE
- 4 FOLLOWING ARE MET:
- 5 (A) THE VIOLENT ACT RESULTS IN AN INJURY.
- 6 (B) THE VIOLENT ACT INVOLVES THE USE OF A FIREARM OR ANOTHER
- 7 DANGEROUS WEAPON.
- 8 (C) THE VIOLENT ACT PRESENTS AN EMERGENT THREAT TO THE
- 9 WELFARE, HEALTH, OR SAFETY OF EMPLOYEES OF THE LOCAL HEALTH
- 10 DEPARTMENT.
- 11 (8) A LOCAL HEALTH DEPARTMENT MAY REPORT A VIOLENT ACT TO THE
- 12 DEPARTMENT AND A LOCAL LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCY WITH JURISDICTION
- 13 OVER THE LOCAL HEALTH DEPARTMENT WHERE THE VIOLENT ACT OCCURRED IF
- 14 THE VIOLENT ACT WAS COMMITTED BY AN INDIVIDUAL WITH A DISABILITY OR
- 15 DISEASE AND THE VIOLENT ACT WAS A CLEAR AND DIRECT MANIFESTATION OF
- 16 THE INDIVIDUAL'S DISABILITY OR DISEASE.
- 17 (9) A LOCAL HEALTH DEPARTMENT SHALL NOT PENALIZE AN EMPLOYEE
- 18 IN ANY MANNER FOR REPORTING A VIOLENT ACT TO THE LOCAL HEALTH
- 19 DEPARTMENT OR PARTICIPATING IN THE CRIMINAL PROSECUTION OF AN
- 20 INDIVIDUAL WHO COMMITS A VIOLENT ACT.
- 21 (10) AS USED IN THIS SECTION, "VIOLENT ACT" MEANS A BATTERY OR
- 22 AN ASSAULT OF AN EMPLOYEE OF A LOCAL HEALTH DEPARTMENT WHILE THE
- 23 EMPLOYEE IS AT WORK.
- 24 SEC. 2468A. (1) BEGINNING JANUARY 1, 2020, AND ANNUALLY
- 25 THEREAFTER, THE DEPARTMENT SHALL POST A REPORT ON ITS WEBSITE THAT
- 26 INCLUDES, BUT IS NOT LIMITED TO, ALL OF THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION
- 27 FOR THE PRECEDING CALENDAR YEAR:

- 1 (A) THE TOTAL NUMBER OF VIOLENT ACTS REPORTED TO THE
- 2 DEPARTMENT UNDER SECTION 2468 AND THE NAME OF EACH LOCAL HEALTH
- 3 DEPARTMENT THAT FILED A REPORT WITH THE DEPARTMENT.
- 4 (B) IF THE DEPARTMENT CONDUCTED AN INSPECTION OR INVESTIGATION
- 5 DUE TO A VIOLENT ACT REPORTED TO THE DEPARTMENT UNDER SECTION 2468,
- 6 THE OUTCOME OF THE INSPECTION OR INVESTIGATION.
- 7 (C) IF A LOCAL HEALTH DEPARTMENT VIOLATED SECTION 2468, THE
- 8 NAME OF THE LOCAL HEALTH DEPARTMENT AND THE NATURE OF THE
- 9 VIOLATION.
- 10 (2) THE DEPARTMENT SHALL ENSURE THAT THE REPORT REQUIRED UNDER
- 11 THIS SECTION PROTECTS THE CONFIDENTIALITY OF AN EMPLOYEE OF A LOCAL
- 12 HEALTH DEPARTMENT OR A PATIENT OF A LOCAL HEALTH DEPARTMENT.
- 13 (3) AS USED IN THIS SECTION, "VIOLENT ACT" MEANS THAT TERM AS
- 14 DEFINED IN SECTION 2468.
- 15 SEC. 20195. (1) A HEALTH FACILITY OR AGENCY SHALL ESTABLISH A
- 16 VIOLENCE PREVENTION COMMITTEE. AT LEAST 50% OF THE VIOLENCE
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- 18 FACILITY OR AGENCY WHO PROVIDE CARE DIRECTLY TO A PATIENT. THE
- 19 HEALTH FACILITY OR AGENCY SHALL ENSURE THAT THE VIOLENCE PREVENTION
- 20 COMMITTEE ESTABLISHES, MAINTAINS, AND ANNUALLY REVIEWS A WRITTEN
- 21 VIOLENCE PREVENTION PLAN THAT INCLUDES AT LEAST ALL OF THE
- 22 FOLLOWING:
- 23 (A) THE IDENTIFICATION OF RISK FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO VIOLENT
- 24 ACTS AT THE HEALTH FACILITY OR AGENCY AND ANNUAL RECOMMENDATIONS ON
- 25 HOW TO REDUCE EACH RISK FACTOR.
- 26 (B) AN ANNUAL VIOLENT ACT RISK ASSESSMENT FOR THE HEALTH
- 27 FACILITY OR AGENCY THAT CONSIDERS ALL OF THE FOLLOWING, AS

- 1 APPLICABLE:
- 2 (i) THE HEALTH FACILITY'S OR AGENCY'S LAYOUT, EQUIPMENT,
- 3 ACCESS RESTRICTIONS, AND LIGHTING.
- 4 (ii) COMMUNICATION DEVICES USED BY THE HEALTH FACILITY OR
- 5 AGENCY, EMERGENCY RESPONSE WITHIN THE HEALTH FACILITY OR AGENCY,
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- 7 SYSTEM, INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, AN ALARM SYSTEM.
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- 9 FACILITY OR AGENCY.
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- 11 INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, HEALTH PROFESSIONALS AND SECURITY
- 12 PERSONNEL.
- 13 (v) THE UNIQUE NEEDS AND CHARACTERISTICS OF THE PATIENTS OR
- 14 RESIDENTS SERVED BY THE HEALTH FACILITY OR AGENCY.
- 15 (vi) A REVIEW OF EACH RECORD DESCRIBED IN SUBSECTION (6).
- 16 (C) A PROCEDURE FOR HOW AN EMPLOYEE OF THE HEALTH FACILITY OR
- 17 AGENCY MAY REPORT A CONCERN OR A VIOLENT ACT TO THE HEALTH FACILITY
- 18 OR AGENCY, HOW THE REPORT WILL BE INVESTIGATED BY THE HEALTH
- 19 FACILITY OR AGENCY, AND HOW THE HEALTH FACILITY OR AGENCY WILL
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- 13 FACILITY OR AGENCY THAT HE OR SHE WISHES TO KEEP HIS OR HER
- 14 IDENTITY CONFIDENTIAL.
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- 25 ACTIONS IN RESPONSE TO THE VIOLENT ACT, IF ANY.
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- 3 AGENCY SHALL REPORT THE VIOLENT ACT TO THE DEPARTMENT AND A LOCAL
- 4 LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCY WITH JURISDICTION OVER THE HEALTH FACILITY
- 5 OR AGENCY WHERE THE VIOLENT ACT OCCURRED IF ANY OF THE FOLLOWING
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- 14 THE DEPARTMENT AND A LOCAL LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCY WITH JURISDICTION
- 15 OVER THE HEALTH FACILITY OR AGENCY WHERE THE VIOLENT ACT OCCURRED
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- 25 EMPLOYEE IS AT WORK.
- 26 SEC. 20195A. (1) BEGINNING JANUARY 1, 2020, AND ANNUALLY
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- 4 DEPARTMENT UNDER SECTION 20195 AND THE NAME OF EACH HEALTH FACILITY
- 5 OR AGENCY THAT FILED A REPORT WITH THE DEPARTMENT.
- 6 (B) IF THE DEPARTMENT CONDUCTED AN INSPECTION OR INVESTIGATION
- 7 DUE TO A VIOLENT ACT REPORTED TO THE DEPARTMENT UNDER SECTION
- 8 20195, THE OUTCOME OF THE INSPECTION OR INVESTIGATION.
- 9 (C) IF A HEALTH FACILITY OR AGENCY VIOLATED SECTION 20195, THE
- 10 NAME OF THE HEALTH FACILITY OR AGENCY AND THE NATURE OF THE
- 11 VIOLATION.
- 12 (2) THE DEPARTMENT SHALL ENSURE THAT THE REPORT REQUIRED UNDER
- 13 THIS SECTION PROTECTS THE CONFIDENTIALITY OF AN EMPLOYEE OF A
- 14 HEALTH FACILITY OR AGENCY OR A PATIENT OR RESIDENT OF A HEALTH
- 15 FACILITY OR AGENCY.
- 16 (3) AS USED IN THIS SECTION, "VIOLENT ACT" MEANS THAT TERM AS
- 17 DEFINED IN SECTION 20195.
- 18 Enacting section 1. This amendatory act takes effect 90 days
- 19 after the date it is enacted into law.