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House Bill 5089 (Substitute S-2 as reported)

Sponsor: Representative Ann Bollin House Committee: Health Policy

Senate Committee: Health Policy and Human Services

## **CONTENT**

The bill would amend Part 219 (Nurse Aide Training and Registration Program) of the Public Health Code to do the following:

- -- Modify the requirements an applicant must meet to be granted registration as a nurse aide by the Department of Licensing and Regulatory Affairs (LARA).
- -- Require LARA to allow an applicant to complete a nurse aide competency examination online or through remote means, or at a nursing care facility that proctored the examination.
- -- Require LARA to allow a testing vendor to contract with the staff of a nursing care facility to proctor a nurse aide competency examination.
- -- Prohibit LARA from denying a person a permit as a nurse aide training program because the program allowed individuals to complete curricula online or through remote means, or counted the time and individual had worked performing skills necessary of a nurse aide as time in training.
- -- Specify that the online competency examination and the line curricula would not apply to training or testing required under Federal regulations.

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## **FISCAL IMPACT**

The bill would have no fiscal impact on State or local government.

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