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HOUSE BILL No. 2081

By Committee on Health and Human Services

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AN ACT concerning special hospitals; requiring the provision of 1 2 emergency services. 3 4 Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Kansas: Section 1. (a) Every special hospital shall provide emergency 5 services for not less than 24 hours of every day. 6 As used in this section: 7 (b) (1) "Emergency medical condition" means the sudden and, at the 8 time, unexpected onset of a health condition that requires immediate 9 medical attention, where failure to provide medical attention would result 10 in serious impairment to bodily functions or serious dysfunction of a 11 bodily organ or part, or would place the person's health in serious 12 13 jeopardy. (2) "Emergency services" means health care items and services 14 furnished or required to evaluate and treat an emergency medical 15 16 condition. (3) "Special hospital" shall have the meaning ascribed thereto under 17 K.S.A. 65-425, and amendments thereto. 18 Sec. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its 19 20 publication in the statute book. 21

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