

File Number: H.F. 1341
Version: As introduced

Date: February 17, 2017

Authors: Knoblach

Subject: Nursing facility rate adjustment effective dates

Analyst: Danyell A. Punelli

This publication can be made available in alternative formats upon request. Please call 651-296-6753 (voice); or the Minnesota State Relay Service at 1-800-627-3529 (TTY) for assistance. Summaries are also available on our website at: www.house.mn/hrd/.

Overview

This bill consolidates various nursing facility rate adjustment effective dates to coincide with the annual operating payment rate adjustment on January 1 and one mid-year adjustment on July 1 and modifies certain notice requirements.

Section

- 1 Consolidation of nursing facilities.** Amends § 144A.071, subd. 4d. Updates cross-references and modifies the effective date of the rate adjustment for consolidation of nursing facilities. Makes this section effective for consolidations occurring after July 1, 2017.
- 2 Property rate adjustments and construction projects.** Amends § 256B.431, subd. 10. Modifies the effective date of rate adjustments for construction projects. Makes this section effective for projects completed after January 1, 2018.
- 3 Major additions and replacements; equity incentive.** Amends § 256B.431, subd. 16. Modifies the effective date of rate adjustments for additions or replacements. Makes this section effective for additions or replacements completed after January 1, 2018.
- 4 Bed layaway and delicensure.** Amends § 256B.431, subd. 30. Updates cross-references. Modifies the effective date of rate adjustments for bed layaways. Makes this section effective for layaways occurring after July 1, 2017.
- 5 Construction project rate adjustments effective October 1, 2006.** Amends § 256B.434, subd. 4f. Modifies the effective date of property rate adjustments for certain construction projects. Makes this section effective for projects completed after January 1, 2018.

Section

- 6** **Notice to residents.** Amends § 256R.06, subd. 5. Expands nursing facility notice requirements for private paying residents to include notice of rate decreases (not just increases). Requires the notice to include the amount of the rate adjustment, the new payment rate, and the date the rate adjustment takes effect.
- 7** **Planned closure rate adjustment.** Amends § 256R.40, subd. 5. Modifies the effective date of the rate adjustment for planned closures. Makes this section effective for closures occurring after July 1, 2017.
- 8** **Single-bed room incentive.** Amends § 256R.41. Modifies the effective date of the single-bed room rate adjustment. Makes this section effective for closures occurring after July 1, 2017.