

1st Sub. H.B. 195

IDENTIFYING WASTEFUL HEALTH CARE SPENDING

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

AMENDMENT 1

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Representative **Raymond P. Ward** proposes the following amendments:

1. *Page 1, Lines 12 through 15:*

12 This bill:

13 ▶ requires the Department of Health to contract with an organization ~~{in-order}~~ for an
analysis to

14 identify potential overuse of non-evidence-based health care; ~~{and}~~

▶ requires the Health Data Committee to:

• review the results from the analysis;

• review scientific literature and solicit input on duplication in health care; and

• solicit input on instances of non-alignment in health care metrics; and

15 ▶ requires the Department of Health to annually report on the ~~{results of the~~
analysis} findings of the Health Data Committee .

2. *Page 2, Lines 39 through 54:*

39 (3) The department, or a third party organization that the department contracts with in
40 accordance with Title 63G, Chapter 6a, Utah Procurement Code, shall:

41 (a) analyze the data described in Subsection (2)(b);

42 (b) review current scientific literature about medical services that are best practice;

43 (c) review current scientific literature about eliminating duplication in health care;

(d) solicit input from Utah health care providers, health systems, insurers, and other stakeholders
regarding duplicative health care quality initiatives and instances of non-alignment in metrics used to
measure health care quality that are required by different health systems;

44 ~~{(d)}~~ (e) solicit input from Utah health care providers, health systems, insurers, and other
45 stakeholders on methods to avoid overuse of non-evidence-based health care; and

46 ~~{(e)}~~ (f) present the results of the analysis, research, and input described in Subsections
47 (3)(a) through ~~{(d)}~~ (e) to the committee.

48 (4) The committee shall:

49 (a) make recommendations for action and opportunities for improvement based on the
50 results described in Subsection (3) ~~{(e); and}~~ (f);

(b) make recommendations on methods to bring into alignment the various health care quality metrics
different entities in the state use; and

51 ~~{(b)}~~ (c) identify priority issues and recommendations to include in an annual report.

52 (5) The department, or the third party organization described in Subsection (3) shall:

- 53 (a) compile the report described in Subsection (4) ~~{(b)}~~ (c) ; and
54 (b) submit the report to the committee for approval.