



SF0023

Outpatient examination and commitment length.

Sponsored By: Senator(s) Schuler and Crago and Representative(s) Heiner, Larsen, L, Lawley, Webb and Wharff

AN ACT relating to public health and safety; amending provisions related to the involuntary hospitalization of mentally ill persons; expanding the list of examiners qualified to perform involuntary hospitalization examinations; and providing for an effective date.

12/16/2025 Bill Number Assigned
1/5/2026 S Received for Introduction
2/10/2026 S Introduced and Referred to S10 - Labor 29-1-1-0-0

ROLL CALL

Ayes: Senator(s) Anderson, Barlow, Biteman, Boner, Brennan, Case, Cooper, Crago, Crum, Dockstader, Driskill, French, Gierau, Hicks, Hutchings, Jones, Kolb, Landen, Laursen, Love, Mckeown, Nethercott, Olsen, Pearson, Rothfuss, Salazar, Schuler, Scott, Steinmetz

Nays: Senator Ide

Excused: Senator Pappas

Ayes 29 **Nays** 1 **Excused** 1 **Absent** 0 **Conflicts** 0

2/16/2026 S10 - Labor:Recommend Amend and Do Pass 4-1-0-0-0

ROLL CALL

Ayes: Senator(s) Brennan, Crum, Hutchings, Scott

Nays: Senator Steinmetz

Ayes 4 **Nays** 1 **Excused** 0 **Absent** 0 **Conflicts** 0

2/16/2026 S Placed on General File

SF0023SS001/ADOPTED

- Page 1-line 5 Delete "amending the time limit on directed".
- Page 1-line 6 Delete "outpatient commitment;".
- Page 1-line 10 Delete "and 25-10-110.1(a) are" and insert "is".
- Page 2-lines 22 and 23 Delete entirely.
- Page 3-lines 2 through 12 Delete entirely. BRENNAN, CHAIRMAN

SF0023SW001/ADOPTED

(CORRECTED COPY)

- Page 2-line 17 After "nurse" insert "certified as a mental health professional".
- Page 2-line 18 After "assistant" insert "certified as a mental health professional". STEINMETZ

2/17/2026 S COW:Passed
2/18/2026 S 2nd Reading:Passed

SF0023S3001.01/ADOPTED

**[DIVIDED AMENDMENT]
(CORRECTED COPY)**

Delete the Steinmetz committee of the whole amendment (SF0023SW001/AC) entirely and further amend as follows:

Page 2-line 17 Delete "advanced practice registered nurse" and insert "psychiatric-mental health nurse practitioner".

Page 2-line 18 After "assistant" insert "with documented education, training and experience in psychiatric or mental health assessment and diagnosis". BRENNAN

SF0023S3001.02/FAILED [DIVIDED AMENDMENT]
(CORRECTED COPY)

Page 2-line 14 Delete "advanced practice registered nurse" and insert "psychiatric-mental health nurse practitioner".

Page 2-line 15 After "assistant" insert "with documented education, training and experience in psychiatric or mental health assessment and diagnosis". BRENNAN

2/19/2026 S 3rd Reading:Passed 31-0-0-0-0

ROLL CALL

Ayes: Senator(s) Anderson, Barlow, Biteman, Boner, Brennan, Case, Cooper, Crago, Crum, Dockstader, Driskill, French, Gierau, Hicks, Hutchings, Ide, Jones, Kolb, Landen, Laursen, Love, Mckeown, Nethercott, Olsen, Pappas, Pearson, Rothfuss, Salazar, Schuler, Scott, Steinmetz

Ayes 31 **Nays** 0 **Excused** 0 **Absent** 0 **Conflicts** 0

2/19/2026 H Received for Introduction

2/20/2026 H Introduced and Referred to H10 - Labor

2/27/2026 H10 - Labor:Recommend Amend and Do Pass 9-0-0-0-0

ROLL CALL

Ayes: Representative(s) Clouston, Guggenmos, Hoeft, Mccann, Ottman, Rodriguez-Williams, Thayer, Wasserburger, Yin

Ayes 9 **Nays** 0 **Excused** 0 **Absent** 0 **Conflicts** 0

2/27/2026 H Placed on General File

SF0023HS001/ADOPTED (TO ENGROSSED COPY)

Page 2-line 7 Strike "his" and insert "the patient's".

Page 2-line 13 After "appoint" insert "one (1) of the following persons,". RODRIGUEZ-WILLIAMS, CHAIRMAN

3/2/2026 H COW:Passed

3/3/2026 H 2nd Reading:Passed

3/4/2026 H 3rd Reading:Passed 60-0-2-0-0

ROLL CALL

Ayes: Representative(s) Allemand, Andrew, Angelos, Banks, Bear, Brady, Bratten, Brown, G, Brown, L, Byron, Campbell, E, Campbell, K, Chestek, Clouston, Connolly, Davis, Erickson, Filer, Fornstrom, Geringer, Guggenmos, Haroldson, Harshman, Heiner, Hoeft, Jarvis, Johnson, Knapp, Larsen, L, Larson, Jt, Lawley,

Lien, Locke, Lucas, Mccann, Neiman, Nicholas, Ottman, Pendergraft, Provenza, Riggins, Rodriguez-Williams, Schmid, Sherwood, Singh, Smith, Storer, Strock, Styvar, Tarver, Thayer, Washut, Wasserburger, Webb, Webber, Wharff, Williams, Winter, Wylie, Yin

Excused: Representative(s) Kelly, Posey

Ayes 60 **Nays** 0 **Excused** 2 **Absent** 0 **Conflicts** 0

3/5/2026 S Received for Concurrence

3/5/2026 S Concur:Passed 30-1-0-0-0

ROLL CALL

Ayes: Senator(s) Anderson, Barlow, Biteman, Boner, Brennan, Case, Cooper, Crago, Crum, Dockstader, Driskill, French, Gierau, Hicks, Ide, Jones, Kolb, Landen, Laursen, Love, Mckeown, Nethercott, Olsen, Pappas, Pearson, Rothfuss, Salazar, Schuler, Scott, Steinmetz

Nays: Senator Hutchings

Ayes 30 **Nays** 1 **Excused** 0 **Absent** 0 **Conflicts** 0

3/5/2026 Assigned Number SEA No. 0060

3/5/2026 S President Signed SEA No. 0060

3/5/2026 H Speaker Signed SEA No. 0060

3/7/2026 Governor Signed SEA No. 0060

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