

BILL SUMMARY
1st Session of the 58th Legislature

Bill No.:	HB1794
Version:	Introduced
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Impact:	\$48,000

Research Analysis

HB 1794 modifies the title of the Act to the “Alzheimer’s Dementia and Other Forms of Dementia Special Care Disclosure Act.” The measure defines: Special care; and Dementia.

The measure requires the State Department of Health to develop the disclosure form for certain recipients. It also requires the facility to submit the disclosure form to the Department prior to entering into any agreement to provide care or services. The State Department of Health is required to examine and review each disclosure at certain times. The measure requires certain information to be included in disclosures.

The measure creates the Alzheimer-Dementia Disclosure Act Advisory Council. The council is required to make recommendations to the State Commissioner of Health. The measure lists the membership requirements. Council members will serve without compensation. Organizational meeting dates and times will be chosen by the Commissioner as often as necessary. Staff assistance to the Council will be provided by the State Department of Health. Violations of this Act are subject to penalties. The measure requires the Department to establish a website listing the facilities that have filed a disclosure with certain information.

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Fiscal Analysis

HB 1794, per the State Department of Health:

The fiscal cost will be \$48,000 due to the cost of employees to survey and post 613s on the website.

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Other Considerations

None.