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Bill Analysis

HB 4082 creates the Mental Health Transport Revolving Fund. The measure provides that law enforcement shall transport persons determined to need medical treatment within the 30-mile radius of a treatment center. For any person that self-presents, transportation shall be arranged by the facility receiving the patient. The measure provides that transportation staff shall not be required to remain onsite with the transported individual pending initial assessment. The transportation requirements provided for in this measure shall be considered complete once a connection has been made with staff of the health care facility and it is apparent the patient is not presenting a clear or immediate threat to the safety of the staff of the receiving facility.

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