

BILL SUMMARY
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Research Analysis

HB 4176 modifies the statute of limitations for medical malpractice. The measure provides that for causes of action arising on or after November 1, 2026, an action for damages must be brought within 3 years of the date the plaintiff knew or should have known of the injury.

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Fiscal Analysis

This measure modifies that statute of limitations for medical malpractice. In its current form, HB4176 is not anticipated to have a material impact on state budget or appropriations.

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Other Considerations

None.