BILL SUMMARY

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Research Analysis

The House Committee Substitute for SB 804 specifies that resident rights include the freedom of choice regarding personal attending and other medical providers provided that the minimum standards are met by the provider.

SB 804 requires the State Commissioner of Health to promulgate rules that include minimum standards for resident care including standards pertaining to medical care and medication administration. The standards must meet minimum requirements listed in the measure. The State Commissioner must also promulgate rules that include provisions requiring execution of a plan of care and resident service contract with the resident or their representative. The measure requires each assisted living center to establish and maintain an internal quality assurance committee that meets at least quarterly.

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Fiscal Analysis

SB 804 requires assisted living centers to establish an internal quality assurance committee to monitor trends and incidents and recommend internal policies on resident care, and perform other duties as directed by the State Commissioner of Health. The duties required of the committee are assumed to be absorbed by the assisted living centers; therefore, no direct fiscal impact on the state budget is anticipated.

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Other Considerations

None.

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