

HB 1898 -- Women's Heart Health Program

Sponsor: Zerr

Subject to appropriations, this bill establishes the Women's Heart Health Program within the Department of Health and Senior Services to provide heart disease risk screenings for women who are between 40 and 64 years of age, receive breast and cervical cancer screenings under the Missouri Show Me Healthy Women Program, are uninsured or underinsured, and have a gross family income at or below 250% of the federal poverty level. The department must contract with providers who currently provide services under the Missouri Show Me Healthy Women Program. Any woman whose screening indicated an increased risk for heart disease must receive the appropriate follow-up health care services.