

House _____ Amendment NO. _____

Offered By

1 AMEND House Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 2125, Page 1, in the Title, Line 2, by
2 deleting the words "diabetes prevention" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "public health"; and
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4 Further amend said bill and page, Section 191.990, Lines 12 and 13, by deleting the words
5 "American Diabetes Association"; and
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7 Further amend said bill and section, Page 2, Line 33, by inserting after all of said section and line the
8 following:
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10 "191.1140. 1. Subject to appropriations, the University of Missouri shall manage the
11 "Show-Me Extension for Community Health Care Outcomes (ECHO) Program". The department of
12 health and senior services shall collaborate with the University of Missouri in utilizing the program
13 to expand the capacity to safely and effectively treat chronic, common, and complex diseases in rural
14 and underserved areas of the state and to monitor outcomes of such treatment.

15 2. The program is designed to utilize current telehealth technology to disseminate knowledge
16 of best practices for the treatment of chronic, common, and complex diseases from a
17 multidisciplinary team of medical experts to local primary care providers who will deliver the
18 treatment protocol to patients, which will alleviate the need of many patients to travel to see
19 specialists and will allow patients to receive treatment more quickly.

20 3. The program shall utilize local community health care workers with knowledge of local
21 social determinants as a force multiplier to obtain better patient compliance and improved health
22 outcomes."; and
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24 Further amend said bill by amending the title, enacting clause, and intersectional references
25 accordingly.
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Action Taken _____ Date _____