

SECOND REGULAR SESSION

# HOUSE BILL NO. 2679

99TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

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INTRODUCED BY REPRESENTATIVE WALKER (74).

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D. ADAM CRUMBLISS, Chief Clerk

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## AN ACT

To amend chapter 208, RSMo, by adding thereto one new section relating to the adverse childhood experience questionnaire.

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*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the state of Missouri, as follows:*

Section A. Chapter 208, RSMo, is amended by adding thereto one new section, to be  
2 known as section 208.825, to read as follows:

**208.825. Primary care providers shall be encouraged to use the Adverse Childhood  
2 Experience Questionnaire for the purpose of assessing a MO HealthNet participant’s  
3 health risks. As used in this section, “primary care” means health services provided by  
4 health care professionals to identify and treat asymptomatic individuals who have risk  
5 factors or a preclinical disease, but in whom the disease is not clinically apparent, including  
6 immunizations and screening, counseling, treatment, and medication determined by  
7 scientific evidence to be effective in preventing or detecting a condition.**

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EXPLANATION — Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets [thus] in the above bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted from the law. Matter in **bold-face** type in the above bill is proposed language.