

HB 826 -- CHILD-CARE FACILITIES

SPONSOR: Hicks

This bill allows the Department of Health and Senior Services to deny an application for a child-care facility license if the facility will be located within 1,000 feet of a place where a registered sexual offender resides or receives treatment. It also provides that a patient of a medical treatment, or long-term care facility, is not considered a resident for purposes of locating child care facilities near the residence of a registered sexual offender.