

HB 987 -- MEDICAL CARE FOR DETAINEES

SPONSOR: Wright

This bill specifies that a peace officer having custody of a person shall not release such person from custody during or immediately preceding the delivery of medical or psychiatric care in a hospital where the person is receiving treatment unless the health care provider consents to the release, the release is ordered by a court of competent jurisdiction, or the peace officer is satisfied that probable cause no longer exists to believe that the suspect committed an offense.