

HB 1157 -- PARTICIPATION IN CERTAIN MEDICAL TREATMENTS

SPONSOR: Hudson

This bill prohibits any medical professional from being required to perform or participate in any medical procedures related to sex reassignment surgery or gender identity transitioning if such procedures are contrary to their moral, ethical, or religious beliefs.

No cause of action shall accrue against any medical professional that refuses to participate in such procedures based on the reasoning explained above. No person or institution shall be denied or discriminated against in the receipt of any public benefit on the grounds that the person or institution refuses to participate in such procedures.

A person who violates the provisions of this bill will be liable to the party injured in an action at law, suit in equity, or other form of redress.