

HB 2280 -- PRACTICE OF DENTISTRY

SPONSOR: Veit

COMMITTEE ACTION: Voted "Do Pass by Consent" by the Standing Committee on Professional Registration and Licensing by a vote of 13 to 0. Voted "Do Pass- Consent" by the Standing Committee on Consent and House Procedure by a vote of 6 to 0.

Currently, corporations cannot practice dentistry unless that corporation is a nonprofit corporation or a professional corporation under Missouri law. This bill exempts entities contracted with the state to provide care in correctional centers.

This bill is similar to SB 1287 (2024).

PROPOSERS: Supporters say that this would allow correction centers to have more access to dental care.

Testifying in person for the bill were Representative Veit; and Centurion.

OPPOSERS: There was no opposition voiced to the committee.

Written testimony has been submitted for this bill. The full written testimony and witnesses testifying online can be found under Testimony on the bill page on the House website.