

SSB 5140 - S AMD 73

By Senator Fortunato

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1 On page 2, after line 19, insert the following:

2 "(4) For the purposes of this section, "accepted standard of
3 care" means safe medical care in accordance with the breadth of
4 decisions that through informed consent can be either implemented or
5 declined by patients and offered or withheld by health care
6 providers. "Accepted standard of care" does not mean any specific
7 decision when more than one possible acceptable treatment course may
8 apply."

EFFECT: Defines accepted standard of care as safe medical care in accordance with the breadth of decisions that through informed consent can be either implemented or declined by patients and offered or withheld by health care providers. Accepted standard of care does not mean any specific decision when more than one possible acceptable treatment course may apply.

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