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**A BILL FOR**

1 An Act relating to information to be included in termination of  
2 pregnancy reporting.  
3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

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**HOUSE FILE 116**

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- 1 Amend House File 116 as follows:
- 2 1. Page 1, by striking lines 1 and 2, and
- 3 inserting the following:
- 4 "Section 1. Section 144.29A, subsection 1,
- 5 paragraph c, Code 2001, is amended to read as
- 6 follows:"
- 7 2. Page 1, by striking lines 6 and 7.
- 8 3. Page 1, line 9, by striking the word
- 9 "paragraphs" and inserting the following:
- 10 "paragraph".
- 11 4. Page 1, by striking lines 10 and 11.
- 12 5. Page 1, line 12, by striking the letter "l"
- 13 and inserting the following: "k".

**By** COMMITTEE ON HUMAN RESOURCES  
BODDICKER of Cedar, Chairperson

**H-1059** FILED FEBRUARY 21, 2001

~~of Senate~~

1 Section 1. Section 144.29A, subsection 1, paragraphs c and  
2 j, Code 2001, are amended to read as follows:

3 c. The ~~maternal-health-services-region-of-the-iowa~~  
4 department of public health, as designated as of July 1, 1997,  
5 county in which the patient resides.

6 j. The number of weeks since the patient's last menstrual  
7 period ~~and-a-clinical-estimate-of-gestation~~.

8 Sec. 2. Section 144.29A, subsection 1, Code 2001, is  
9 amended by adding the following new paragraphs:

10 NEW PARAGRAPH. k. A clinical estimate of the week of  
11 gestation in which the termination occurred.

12 NEW PARAGRAPH. l. The procedure used for an induced  
13 abortion, including but not limited to suction curettage,  
14 RU486, dilation and evacuation, or hysterotomy.

15 EXPLANATION

16 This bill amends the section of the Code relating to  
17 termination of pregnancy reporting. The bill requires a  
18 health care provider who initially identifies and diagnoses a  
19 spontaneous termination of pregnancy or who induces a  
20 termination of pregnancy to report the specific procedure used  
21 if the termination of pregnancy is induced, a clinical  
22 estimate of the week of gestation in which the termination  
23 occurred, and the county in which the patient resides. Under  
24 existing law, the procedure used to induce a termination of  
25 pregnancy is not required to be reported, only the month and  
26 year of the termination are to be reported, and the maternal  
27 health services region not the county in which the patient  
28 resides is to be reported.

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1 Amend House File 116 as follows:

2 1. Page 1, by inserting before line 1, the  
3 following:

4 "Section 1. Section 144.29A, subsection 1,  
5 unnumbered paragraph 1, Code 2001, is amended to read  
6 as follows:

7 A health care provider ~~who initially identifies and~~  
8 ~~diagnoses a spontaneous termination of pregnancy or~~  
9 who induces a termination of pregnancy shall file with  
10 the department a report for each termination within  
11 thirty days of the occurrence. The health care  
12 provider shall make a good faith effort to obtain all  
13 of the following information that is available with  
14 respect to each termination:"

15 2. Page 1, by inserting before line 8, the  
16 following:

17 "Sec. \_\_\_\_ . Section 144.29A, subsection 1,  
18 paragraph h, Code 2001, is amended to read as follows:

19 h. The number of previous pregnancies, live  
20 births, and ~~spontaneous or~~ induced terminations of  
21 pregnancies."

22 3. Page 1, by inserting after line 14, the  
23 following:

24 "Sec. \_\_\_\_ . Section 144.29A, subsection 9, Code  
25 2001, is amended by striking the subsection."

26 4. By renumbering as necessary.

By GRUNDBERG of Polk

H-1158 FILED MARCH 5, 2001

## HOUSE FILE 116

## H-1161

1 Amend House File 116 as follows:

2 1. By striking everything after the enacting  
3 clause and inserting the following:

4 "Section 1. Section 144.29A, Code 2001, is amended  
5 by striking the section and insert in lieu thereof the  
6 following:

7 1. A health care provider who initially performs  
8 medical procedures on a patient in a medical clinic  
9 shall file with the department a report for each  
10 medical procedure within thirty days of the  
11 occurrence. The report shall contain all of the  
12 following information with respect to each medical  
13 procedure:

14 a. The confidential health care provider code as  
15 assigned by the department.

16 b. The report tracking number.

17 c. The state of residence and, if this state, the  
18 county of residence of the patient.

19 d. The race of the patient.

20 e. The age of the patient.

21 f. The marital status of the patient.

22 g. The educational level of the patient.

23 h. The number of previous medical procedures  
24 performed on the patient.

25 i. The month and year in which the medical  
26 procedure occurred.

27 j. Complications, if any.

28 k. The cause of the need for the medical  
29 procedure, if known.

30 1. The type of medical procedure.

31 2. It is the intent of the general assembly that  
32 the information shall be collected, reproduced,  
33 released, and disclosed in a manner specified by rule  
34 of the department, pursuant to chapter 17A, which  
35 ensures the anonymity of the patient who experiences a  
36 medical procedure, the health care provider who  
37 performs the medical procedure, and the clinic in  
38 which the medical procedure is performed. The  
39 department may share information with federal public  
40 health officials for the purposes of securing federal  
41 funding or conduct in public health research.  
42 However, in sharing the information, the department  
43 shall not relinquish control of the information, and  
44 any agreement entered into by the department with  
45 federal public health officials to share information  
46 shall prohibit the use, reproduction, release, or  
47 disclosure of the information by federal public health  
48 officials in a manner which violates this section.  
49 The department shall publish, annually, a demographic  
50 summary of the information obtained pursuant to this

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- 1 identifying the patient.
- 2 6. To ensure proper performance of the reporting
- 3 requirements under this section, it is preferred that
- 4 a health care provider authorize one staff person to
- 5 fulfill the reporting requirements.
- 6 7. For the purpose of this section, "health care
- 7 provider" means an individual licensed under chapter
- 8 148, 148C, 148D, 150, 150A, or 152, or any individual
- 9 who provides medical services under the authorization
- 10 of the licensee."
- 11 2. Title page, lines 1 and 2, by striking the
- 12 words "termination of pregnancy reporting" and
- 13 inserting the following: "the reporting of medical
- 14 procedures performed in a medical clinic".

By GRUNDBERG of Polk

**H-1161** FILED MARCH 5, 2001

**HOUSE FILE 116****H-1162**

- 1 Amend House File 116 as follows:
- 2 1. Page 1, by striking lines 4 and 5, and
- 3 inserting the following: "~~department of public~~
- 4 ~~health, as designated as of July 1, 1997, county and~~
- 5 state in which the patient resides."

By BODDICKER of Cedar

**H-1162** FILED MARCH 5, 2001

**HOUSE FILE 116****H-1167**

- 1 Amend House File 116 as follows:
- 2 1. Page 1, line 1, by striking the words
- 3 "paragraphs c and" and inserting the following:
- 4 "paragraph".
- 5 2. Page 1, line 2, by striking the word "are" and
- 6 inserting the following: "is".
- 7 3. Page 1, by striking lines 3 through 5.
- 8 4. By renumbering as necessary.

By METCALF of Polk  
PETERSEN of Polk

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1 section, except that the department shall not  
2 reproduce, release, or disclose any information  
3 obtained pursuant to this section which reveals the  
4 identity of any patient, health care provider, or  
5 clinic, and shall ensure anonymity in the following  
6 ways:

7 a. The department shall use a report tracking  
8 number, a confidential health care provider code, and  
9 the identity of a clinic for the sole purpose of  
10 information collection and verification prior to entry  
11 of the information. Following collection and  
12 verification of the information, the department shall  
13 use, reproduce, release, and disclose any information  
14 collected only for the purpose of annually publishing  
15 the demographic summary.

16 b. The department shall enter the information,  
17 from any report submitted, within thirty days of  
18 receipt of the report, and shall immediately destroy  
19 the report following entry of the information.  
20 However, entry of the information from a report shall  
21 not include any health care provider or clinic  
22 identification information including, but not limited  
23 to, the confidential health care provider code, as  
24 assigned by the department.

25 c. To protect confidentiality, the department  
26 shall limit release of information to release in an  
27 aggregate form which avoids identification of any  
28 individual patient, health care provider, or clinic.  
29 For the purposes of this paragraph, "aggregate form"  
30 means a compilation of the information received by the  
31 department of medical procedures for each information  
32 item listed, with the exceptions of the report  
33 tracking number, the health care provider code, and  
34 any set of information for which the amount is so  
35 small that confidentiality of any person to whom the  
36 information relates may be compromised.

37 3. Except as specified in subsection 2, reports,  
38 information, and records submitted and maintained  
39 pursuant to this section are strictly confidential and  
40 shall not be released or made public upon subpoena,  
41 search warrant, discovery proceedings, or by any other  
42 means.

43 4. The department shall assign a code to any  
44 health care provider who may be required to report a  
45 medical procedure under this section. Any application  
46 procedure shall not be required for assignment of a  
47 code to a health care provider.

48 5. A health care provider shall assign a report  
49 tracking number which enables the health care provider  
50 to access the patient's medical information without

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## H-1179

1 Amend House File 116, as follows:

2 1. Page 1, by striking lines 1 through 14, and  
3 inserting the following:

4 "Section 1. Section 144.29A, Code 2001, is amended  
5 to read as follows:

6 144.29A ~~TERMINATION OF PREGNANCY~~ SURGICAL  
7 PROCEDURE REPORTING.

8 1. A health care provider who initially identifies  
9 and diagnoses a spontaneous termination of pregnancy,  
10 or who induces a termination of pregnancy, performs  
11 vasectomies, vasectomy reversals, penile implants, or  
12 cosmetic surgery shall file with the department a  
13 report for each termination, vasectomy, vasectomy  
14 reversal, penile implant, or cosmetic surgery  
15 procedure within thirty days of the occurrence. The  
16 health care provider shall make a good faith effort to  
17 obtain all of the following information that is  
18 available with respect to each termination specified  
19 procedure performed as applicable to the procedure:

20 a. The confidential health care provider code as  
21 assigned by the department.

22 b. The report tracking number.

23 c. The maternal health services region of the Iowa  
24 department of public health, as designated as of July  
25 1, 1997, in which the patient resides.

26 d. The race of the patient.

27 e. The age of the patient.

28 f. The marital status of the patient.

29 g. The educational level of the patient.

30 h. The number of previous pregnancies, live  
31 births, and spontaneous or induced terminations of  
32 pregnancies, vasectomies, penile implants, or cosmetic  
33 surgeries.

34 i. The month and year in which the termination  
35 procedure occurred.

36 j. The number of weeks since the patient's last  
37 menstrual period and a clinical estimate of gestation,  
38 if applicable.

39 k. The results of any tests performed for sexually  
40 transmitted infections prior to the performance of a  
41 vasectomy or vasectomy reversal.

42 2. It is the intent of the general assembly that  
43 the information shall be collected, reproduced,  
44 released, and disclosed in a manner specified by rule  
45 of the department, adopted pursuant to chapter 17A,  
46 which ensures the anonymity of the patient who  
47 experiences a termination of pregnancy, vasectomy,  
48 vasectomy reversal, penile implant, or cosmetic  
49 surgery procedures the health care provider who  
50 identifies and diagnoses or induces a termination of

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**H-1172**

- 1 Amend House File 116 as follows:
- 2 1. Page 1, by striking lines 3 through 5, and
- 3 inserting the following:
- 4 "c. The maternal health services region of the
- 5 Iowa department of public health, as designated as of
- 6 July 1, ~~1997~~ 2001, in which the patient resides."
- 7 2. By renumbering as necessary.

**By** FOEGE of Linn

**H-1172** FILED MARCH 5, 2001

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**H-1173**

- 1 Amend House File 116 as follows:
- 2 1. Page 1, line 9, by striking the word
- 3 "paragraphs" and inserting the following:
- 4 "paragraph".
- 5 2. Page 1, by striking lines 12 through 14.
- 6 3. By renumbering as necessary.

**By** LENSING of Johnson

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1 of the information received by the department on  
2 termination of pregnancies, vasectomies, vasectomy  
3 reversals, penile implants, and cosmetic surgery  
4 procedures for each information item listed, with the  
5 exceptions of the report tracking number, the health  
6 care provider code, and any set of information for  
7 which the amount is so small that the confidentiality  
8 of any person to whom the information relates may be  
9 compromised. The department shall establish a  
10 methodology to provide a statistically verifiable  
11 basis for any determination of the correct amount at  
12 which information may be released so that the  
13 confidentiality of any person is not compromised.

14 3. Except as specified in subsection 2, reports,  
15 information, and records submitted and maintained  
16 pursuant to this section are strictly confidential and  
17 shall not be released or made public upon subpoena,  
18 search warrant, discovery proceedings, or by any other  
19 means.

20 4. The department shall assign a code to any  
21 health care provider who may be required to report a  
22 termination, vasectomy, vasectomy reversal, penile  
23 implant, or cosmetic surgery procedure under this  
24 section. An application procedure shall not be  
25 required for assignment of a code to a health care  
26 provider.

27 5. A health care provider shall assign a report  
28 tracking number which enables the health care provider  
29 to access the patient's medical information without  
30 identifying the patient.

31 6. To ensure proper performance of the reporting  
32 requirements under this section, it is preferred that  
33 a health care provider who practices within a  
34 hospital, clinic, or other health facility authorize  
35 one staff person to fulfill the reporting  
36 requirements.

37 7. For the purposes of this section, "health care  
38 provider" means an individual licensed under chapter  
39 148, 148C, 148D, 150, 150A, or 152, or any individual  
40 who provides medical services under the authorization  
41 of the licensee.

42 8. For the purposes of this section, "inducing a  
43 termination of pregnancy" means the use of any means  
44 to terminate the pregnancy of a woman known to be  
45 pregnant with the intent other than to produce a live  
46 birth or to remove a dead fetus.

47 9. For the purposes of this section, "spontaneous  
48 termination of pregnancy" means the occurrence of an  
49 unintended termination of pregnancy at any time during  
50 the period from conception to twenty weeks gestation

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1 pregnancy, or performs the vasectomy, vasectomy  
2 reversal, penile implant, or cosmetic surgery  
3 procedure and the hospital, clinic, or other health  
4 facility in which a termination of pregnancy is  
5 identified and diagnosed or induced or in which a  
6 vasectomy, vasectomy reversal, penile implant, or  
7 cosmetic surgery procedure is performed. The  
8 department may share information with federal public  
9 health officials for the purposes of securing federal  
10 funding or conducting public health research.  
11 However, in sharing the information, the department  
12 shall not relinquish control of the information, and  
13 any agreement entered into by the department with  
14 federal public health officials to share information  
15 shall prohibit the use, reproduction, release, or  
16 disclosure of the information by federal public health  
17 officials in a manner which violates this section.  
18 The department shall publish, annually, a demographic  
19 summary of the information obtained pursuant to this  
20 section, except that the department shall not  
21 reproduce, release, or disclose any information  
22 obtained pursuant to this section which reveals the  
23 identity of any patient, health care provider,  
24 hospital, clinic, or other health facility, and shall  
25 ensure anonymity in the following ways:

26 a. The department may use information concerning  
27 the report tracking number or concerning the identity  
28 of a reporting health care provider, hospital, clinic,  
29 or other health facility only for purposes of  
30 information collection. The department shall not  
31 reproduce, release, or disclose this information for  
32 any purpose other than for use in annually publishing  
33 the demographic summary under this section.

34 b. The department shall enter the information,  
35 from any report of termination, vasectomy, vasectomy  
36 reversal, penile implant, or cosmetic surgery  
37 procedure submitted, within thirty days of receipt of  
38 the report, and shall immediately destroy the report  
39 following entry of the information. However, entry of  
40 the information from a report shall not include any  
41 health care provider, hospital, clinic, or other  
42 health facility identification information including,  
43 but not limited to, the confidential health care  
44 provider code, as assigned by the department.

45 c. To protect confidentiality, the department  
46 shall limit release of information to release in an  
47 aggregate form which prevents identification of any  
48 individual patient, health care provider, hospital,  
49 clinic, or other health facility. For the purposes of  
50 this paragraph, "aggregate form" means a compilation

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1 and which is not a spontaneous termination of  
2 pregnancy at any time during the period from twenty  
3 weeks or greater which is reported to the department  
4 as a fetal death under this chapter."

5 2. Title page, lines 1 and 2, by striking the  
6 words "termination of pregnancy" and inserting the  
7 following: "surgical procedures".

**By** MASCHER of Johnson

**H-1179** FILED MARCH 5, 2001

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- 1 Amend House File 116 as follows:
- 2 1. Page 1, by inserting after line 7, the
- 3 following:
- 4 "Sec. \_\_\_\_\_. Section 144.29A, subsection 1,
- 5 paragraph e, Code 2001, is amended by striking the
- 6 paragraph."
- 7 2. By renumbering as necessary.

By METCALF of Polk

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H-1372

- 1 Amend House File 116 as follows:
- 2 1. Page 1, by inserting after line 7, the
- 3 following:
- 4 "Sec. \_\_\_\_\_. Section 144.29A, subsection 1,
- 5 paragraph h, Code 2001, is amended by striking the
- 6 paragraph."
- 7 2. By renumbering as necessary.

By METCALF of Polk

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H-1373

- 1 Amend House File 116 as follows:
- 2 1. Page 1, line 1, by striking the words
- 3 "paragraphs c and" and inserting the following:
- 4 "paragraph c".
- 5 2. Page 1, by striking line 2, and inserting the
- 6 following: "Code 2001, is amended to read as
- 7 follows:"
- 8 3. Page 1, by striking lines 6 and 7.
- 9 4. Page 1, by inserting before line 8, the
- 10 following:
- 11 "Sec. \_\_\_\_\_. Section 144.29A, subsection 1,
- 12 paragraph j, Code 2001, is amended by striking the
- 13 paragraph."
- 14 5. By renumbering as necessary.

By METCALF of Polk

H-1373 FILED MARCH 28, 2001

**HOUSE FILE 116****H-1374**

1 Amend House File 116 as follows:

2 1. Page 1, by inserting after line 7, the  
3 following:

4 "Sec. \_\_\_\_\_. Section 144.29A, subsection 1,  
5 paragraph g, Code 2001, is amended by striking the  
6 paragraph."

7 2. By renumbering as necessary.

By METCALF of Polk

**H-1374** FILED MARCH 28, 2001

**HOUSE FILE 116****H-1375**

1 Amend House File 116 as follows:

2 1. Page 1, by inserting after line 7, the  
3 following:

4 "Sec. \_\_\_\_\_. Section 144.29A, subsection 1,  
5 paragraph i, Code 2001, is amended by striking the  
6 paragraph."

7 2. By renumbering as necessary.

By METCALF of Polk

**H-1375** FILED MARCH 28, 2001

**HOUSE FILE 116****H-1376**

1 Amend House File 116 as follows:

2 1. Page 1, by inserting before line 1, the  
3 following:

4 "Section 1. Section 144.29A, subsection 1,  
5 paragraph a, Code 2001, is amended by striking the  
6 paragraph."

7 2. By renumbering as necessary.

By METCALF of Polk

**H-1376** FILED MARCH 28, 2001

**HOUSE FILE 116****H-1377**

1 Amend House File 116 as follows:

2 1. Page 1, by inserting after line 7, the  
3 following:

4 "Sec. \_\_\_\_\_. Section 144.29A, subsection 1,  
5 paragraph f, Code 2001, is amended by striking the  
6 paragraph."

7 2. By renumbering as necessary.

By METCALF of Polk

**H-1377** FILED MARCH 28, 2001

**HOUSE FILE 116****H-1378**

1 Amend House File 116, as follows:

2 1. Page 1, by inserting before line 1, the  
3 following:

4 "Section 1. Section 144.29A, subsection 1,  
5 paragraph b, Code 2001, is amended by striking the  
6 paragraph."

7 2. By renumbering as necessary.

By METCALF of Polk

**H-1378** FILED MARCH 28, 2001

**HOUSE FILE 116****H-1379**

1 Amend House File 116 as follows:

2 1. Page 1, by inserting after line 7, the  
3 following:

4 "Sec. \_\_\_\_\_. Section 144.29A, subsection 1,  
5 paragraph d, Code 2001, is amended by striking the  
6 paragraph."

7 2. By renumbering as necessary.

By METCALF of Polk

**H-1379** FILED MARCH 28, 2001

**HOUSE FILE 116****H-1390**

1 Amend House File 116 as follows:

2 1. Page 1, by striking lines 1 through 14, and  
3 inserting the following:

4 "Section 1. Section 144.29A, Code 2001, is  
5 repealed.

6 Sec. \_\_\_\_\_. Section 144.52, subsection 7, Code 2001,  
7 is amended by striking the subsection."

8 2. Title page, line 1, by striking the words  
9 "information to be included in" and inserting the  
10 following: "the repeal of".

By WINCKLER of Scott

**H-1390** FILED MARCH 29, 2001

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1 Amend House File 116 as follows:

2 1. Page 1, by striking lines 1 through 14, and  
3 inserting the following:

4 "Section 1. Section 144.29A, Code 2001, is amended  
5 to read as follows:

6 144.29A ~~TERMINATION OF PREGNANCY~~ HEALTH-RELATED  
7 REPORTING.

8 1. A health care provider who initially identifies  
9 and diagnoses a spontaneous termination of pregnancy  
10 or who induces a termination of pregnancy or who  
11 prescribes viagra shall file with the department a  
12 report for each termination or each prescription  
13 within thirty days of the occurrence. The health care  
14 provider shall make a good faith effort to obtain all  
15 of the following information that is available with  
16 respect to each termination or prescription, as  
17 appropriate:

18 a. The confidential health care provider code as  
19 assigned by the department.

20 b. The report tracking number.

21 c. The maternal health services region of the Iowa  
22 department of public health, as designated as of July  
23 1, 1997, in which the patient resides.

24 d. The race of the patient.

25 e. The age of the patient.

26 f. The marital status of the patient.

27 g. The educational level of the patient.

28 h. The number of previous pregnancies, live  
29 births, and spontaneous or induced terminations of  
30 pregnancies or the number of previous prescriptions of  
31 viagra.

32 i. The month and year in which the termination  
33 occurred or in which viagra was prescribed.

34 j. The number of weeks since the patient's last  
35 menstrual period and a clinical estimate of gestation.

36 2. It is the intent of the general assembly that  
37 the information shall be collected, reproduced,  
38 released, and disclosed in a manner specified by rule  
39 of the department, adopted pursuant to chapter 17A,  
40 which ensures the anonymity of the patient ~~who~~  
41 ~~experiences a termination of pregnancy~~, the health  
42 care provider who identifies and diagnoses or induces  
43 a termination of pregnancy or who prescribed viagra,  
44 and the hospital, clinic, or other health facility in  
45 which a termination of pregnancy is identified and  
46 diagnosed or induced or in which the viagra  
47 prescription is provided. The department may share

48 information with federal public health officials for  
49 the purposes of securing federal funding or conducting  
50 public health research. However, in sharing the

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1 information, the department shall not relinquish  
2 control of the information, and any agreement entered  
3 into by the department with federal public health  
4 officials to share information shall prohibit the use,  
5 reproduction, release, or disclosure of the  
6 information by federal public health officials in a  
7 manner which violates this section. The department  
8 shall publish, annually, a demographic summary of the  
9 information obtained pursuant to this section, except  
10 that the department shall not reproduce, release, or  
11 disclose any information obtained pursuant to this  
12 section which reveals the identity of any patient,  
13 health care provider, hospital, clinic, or other  
14 health facility, and shall ensure anonymity in the  
15 following ways:

16 a. The department may use information concerning  
17 the report tracking number or concerning the identity  
18 of a reporting health care provider, hospital, clinic,  
19 or other health facility only for purposes of  
20 information collection. The department shall not  
21 reproduce, release, or disclose this information for  
22 any purpose other than for use in annually publishing  
23 the demographic summary under this section.

24 b. The department shall enter the information,  
25 from any report ~~of termination~~ submitted, within  
26 thirty days of receipt of the report, and shall  
27 immediately destroy the report following entry of the  
28 information. However, entry of the information from a  
29 report shall not include any health care provider,  
30 hospital, clinic, or other health facility  
31 identification information including, but not limited  
32 to, the confidential health care provider code, as  
33 assigned by the department.

34 c. To protect confidentiality, the department  
35 shall limit release of information to release in an  
36 aggregate form which prevents identification of any  
37 individual patient, health care provider, hospital,  
38 clinic, or other health facility. For the purposes of  
39 this paragraph, "aggregate form" means a compilation  
40 of the information received by the department ~~on~~  
41 ~~termination of pregnancies~~ for each information item  
42 listed, with the exceptions of the report tracking  
43 number, the health care provider code, and any set of  
44 information for which the amount is so small that the  
45 confidentiality of any person to whom the information  
46 relates may be compromised. The department shall  
47 establish a methodology to provide a statistically  
48 verifiable basis for any determination of the correct  
49 amount at which information may be released so that  
50 the confidentiality of any person is not compromised.

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1 3. Except as specified in subsection 2, reports,  
2 information, and records submitted and maintained  
3 pursuant to this section are strictly confidential and  
4 shall not be released or made public upon subpoena,  
5 search warrant, discovery proceedings, or by any other  
6 means.

7 4. The department shall assign a code to any  
8 health care provider who may be required to report a  
9 ~~termination~~ under this section. An application  
10 procedure shall not be required for assignment of a  
11 code to a health care provider.

12 5. A health care provider shall assign a report  
13 tracking number which enables the health care provider  
14 to access the patient's medical information without  
15 identifying the patient.

16 6. To ensure proper performance of the reporting  
17 requirements under this section, it is preferred that  
18 a health care provider who practices within a  
19 hospital, clinic, or other health facility authorize  
20 one staff person to fulfill the reporting  
21 requirements.

22 7. For the purposes of this section, "health care  
23 provider" means an individual licensed under chapter  
24 148, 148C, 148D, 150, 150A, or 152, or any individual  
25 who provides medical services under the authorization  
26 of the licensee.

27 8. For the purposes of this section, "inducing a  
28 termination of pregnancy" means the use of any means  
29 to terminate the pregnancy of a woman known to be  
30 pregnant with the intent other than to produce a live  
31 birth or to remove a dead fetus.

32 9. For the purposes of this section, "spontaneous  
33 termination of pregnancy" means the occurrence of an  
34 unintended termination of pregnancy at any time during  
35 the period from conception to twenty weeks gestation  
36 and which is not a spontaneous termination of  
37 pregnancy at any time during the period from twenty  
38 weeks or greater which is reported to the department  
39 as a fetal death under this chapter."

40 2. Title page, line 1, by inserting after the  
41 word "in" the following: "health-related reporting  
42 including".

By HATCH of Polk

H-1392 FILED MARCH 29, 2001

## HOUSE FILE 116

## H-1393

1 Amend House File 116 as follows:

2 1. Page 1, by striking lines 1 through 14 and  
3 inserting the following:

4 "Section 1. Section 144.29A, Code 2001, is amended  
5 to read as follows:

6 144.29A ~~TERMINATION OF PREGNANCY~~ HEALTH-RELATED  
7 REPORTING.

8 1. A health care provider who initially identifies  
9 and diagnoses a spontaneous termination of pregnancy  
10 or who induces a termination of pregnancy or who  
11 initially identifies or diagnoses an incidence of  
12 respiratory or lung disease shall file with the  
13 department a report for each ~~termination~~ incidence  
14 within thirty days of the occurrence. The health care  
15 provider shall make a good faith effort to obtain all  
16 of the following information that is available with  
17 respect to each ~~termination~~ incidence, as applicable:

18 a. The confidential health care provider code as  
19 assigned by the department.

20 b. The report tracking number.

21 c. The maternal health services region of the Iowa  
22 department of public health, as designated as of July  
23 1, 1997, in which the patient resides.

24 d. The race of the patient.

25 e. The age of the patient.

26 f. The marital status of the patient.

27 g. The educational level of the patient.

28 h. The number of previous pregnancies, live  
29 births, and spontaneous or induced terminations of  
30 pregnancies or the number of previous incidences of  
31 respiratory or lung disease identified or diagnosed.

32 i. The month and year in which the termination  
33 occurred or in which the respiratory or lung disease  
34 was identified or diagnosed.

35 j. The number of weeks since the patient's last  
36 menstrual period and a clinical estimate of gestation.

37 2. It is the intent of the general assembly that  
38 the information shall be collected, reproduced,  
39 released, and disclosed in a manner specified by rule  
40 of the department, adopted pursuant to chapter 17A,  
41 which ensures the anonymity of the patient ~~who~~  
42 ~~experiences a termination of pregnancy~~, the health  
43 care provider who identifies and diagnoses or induces  
44 a termination of pregnancy or who identifies or  
45 diagnoses an incidence of respiratory or lung disease,  
46 and the hospital, clinic, or other health facility in  
47 which a termination of pregnancy is identified and  
48 diagnosed or induced or in which the incidence of  
49 respiratory or lung disease was identified or  
50 diagnosed. The department may share information with

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1 federal public health officials for the purposes of  
2 securing federal funding or conducting public health  
3 research. However, in sharing the information, the  
4 department shall not relinquish control of the  
5 information, and any agreement entered into by the  
6 department with federal public health officials to  
7 share information shall prohibit the use,  
8 reproduction, release, or disclosure of the  
9 information by federal public health officials in a  
10 manner which violates this section. The department  
11 shall publish, annually, a demographic summary of the  
12 information obtained pursuant to this section, except  
13 that the department shall not reproduce, release, or  
14 disclose any information obtained pursuant to this  
15 section which reveals the identity of any patient,  
16 health care provider, hospital, clinic, or other  
17 health facility, and shall ensure anonymity in the  
18 following ways:

19 a. The department may use information concerning  
20 the report tracking number or concerning the identity  
21 of a reporting health care provider, hospital, clinic,  
22 or other health facility only for purposes of  
23 information collection. The department shall not  
24 reproduce, release, or disclose this information for  
25 any purpose other than for use in annually publishing  
26 the demographic summary under this section.

27 b. The department shall enter the information,  
28 from any report ~~of termination~~ submitted, within  
29 thirty days of receipt of the report, and shall  
30 immediately destroy the report following entry of the  
31 information. However, entry of the information from a  
32 report shall not include any health care provider,  
33 hospital, clinic, or other health facility  
34 identification information including, but not limited  
35 to, the confidential health care provider code, as  
36 assigned by the department.

37 c. To protect confidentiality, the department  
38 shall limit release of information to release in an  
39 aggregate form which prevents identification of any  
40 individual patient, health care provider, hospital,  
41 clinic, or other health facility. For the purposes of  
42 this paragraph, "aggregate form" means a compilation  
43 of the information received by the department ~~on~~  
44 ~~termination of pregnancies~~ for each information item  
45 listed, with the exceptions of the report tracking  
46 number, the health care provider code, and any set of  
47 information for which the amount is so small that the  
48 confidentiality of any person to whom the information  
49 relates may be compromised. The department shall  
50 establish a methodology to provide a statistically

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1 verifiable basis for any determination of the correct  
2 amount at which information may be released so that  
3 the confidentiality of any person is not compromised.

4 3. Except as specified in subsection 2, reports,  
5 information, and records submitted and maintained  
6 pursuant to this section are strictly confidential and  
7 shall not be released or made public upon subpoena,  
8 search warrant, discovery proceedings, or by any other  
9 means.

10 4. The department shall assign a code to any  
11 health care provider who may be required to report a  
12 ~~termination~~ under this section. An application  
13 procedure shall not be required for assignment of a  
14 code to a health care provider.

15 5. A health care provider shall assign a report  
16 tracking number which enables the health care provider  
17 to access the patient's medical information without  
18 identifying the patient.

19 6. To ensure proper performance of the reporting  
20 requirements under this section, it is preferred that  
21 a health care provider who practices within a  
22 hospital, clinic, or other health facility authorize  
23 one staff person to fulfill the reporting  
24 requirements.

25 7. For the purposes of this section, "health care  
26 provider" means an individual licensed under chapter  
27 148, 148C, 148D, 150, 150A, or 152, or any individual  
28 who provides medical services under the authorization  
29 of the licensee.

30 8. For the purposes of this section, "inducing a  
31 termination of pregnancy" means the use of any means  
32 to terminate the pregnancy of a woman known to be  
33 pregnant with the intent other than to produce a live  
34 birth or to remove a dead fetus.

35 9. For the purposes of this section, "spontaneous  
36 termination of pregnancy" means the occurrence of an  
37 unintended termination of pregnancy at any time during  
38 the period from conception to twenty weeks gestation  
39 and which is not a spontaneous termination of  
40 pregnancy at any time during the period from twenty  
41 weeks or greater which is reported to the department  
42 as a fetal death under this chapter."

43 2. Title page, line 1, by inserting after the  
44 word "in" the following: "health-related reporting  
45 including".

By PETERSEN of Polk

H-1393 FILED MARCH 29, 2001

## HOUSE FILE 116

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1 Amend House File 116 as follows:

2 1. Page 1, by striking lines 1 through 14, and  
3 inserting the following:

4 "Section 1. Section 144.29A, Code 2001, is amended  
5 to read as follows:

6 144.29A ~~TERMINATION OF PREGNANCY~~ HEALTH-RELATED  
7 REPORTING.

8 1. A health care provider who initially identifies  
9 and diagnoses a spontaneous termination of pregnancy  
10 or who induces a termination of pregnancy or who  
11 initially identifies or diagnoses cancer shall file  
12 with the department a report for each ~~termination~~  
13 incidence within thirty days of the occurrence. The  
14 health care provider shall make a good faith effort to  
15 obtain all of the following information that is  
16 available with respect to each ~~termination~~ incidence,  
17 as applicable:

18 a. The confidential health care provider code as  
19 assigned by the department.

20 b. The report tracking number.

21 c. The maternal health services region of the Iowa  
22 department of public health, as designated as of July  
23 1, 1997, in which the patient resides.

24 d. The race of the patient.

25 e. The age of the patient.

26 f. The marital status of the patient.

27 g. The educational level of the patient.

28 h. The number of previous pregnancies, live  
29 births, and spontaneous or induced terminations of  
30 pregnancies or the number of previous diagnoses of  
31 cancer.

32 i. The month and year in which the termination  
33 occurred or the cancer was identified or diagnosed.

34 j. The number of weeks since the patient's last  
35 menstrual period and a clinical estimate of gestation.

36 2. It is the intent of the general assembly that  
37 the information shall be collected, reproduced,  
38 released, and disclosed in a manner specified by rule  
39 of the department, adopted pursuant to chapter 17A,  
40 which ensures the anonymity of the patient ~~who~~  
41 ~~experiences a termination of pregnancy~~, the health  
42 care provider who identifies and diagnoses or induces  
43 a termination of pregnancy or who identifies or  
44 diagnoses the patient's cancer, and the hospital,  
45 clinic, or other health facility in which a  
46 termination of pregnancy is identified and diagnosed  
47 or induced or in which the patient's cancer is  
48 identified or diagnosed. The department may share  
49 information with federal public health officials for  
50 the purposes of securing federal funding or conducting

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1 public health research. However, in sharing the  
2 information, the department shall not relinquish  
3 control of the information, and any agreement entered  
4 into by the department with federal public health  
5 officials to share information shall prohibit the use,  
6 reproduction, release, or disclosure of the  
7 information by federal public health officials in a  
8 manner which violates this section. The department  
9 shall publish, annually, a demographic summary of the  
10 information obtained pursuant to this section, except  
11 that the department shall not reproduce, release, or  
12 disclose any information obtained pursuant to this  
13 section which reveals the identity of any patient,  
14 health care provider, hospital, clinic, or other  
15 health facility, and shall ensure anonymity in the  
16 following ways:

17 a. The department may use information concerning  
18 the report tracking number or concerning the identity  
19 of a reporting health care provider, hospital, clinic,  
20 or other health facility only for purposes of  
21 information collection. The department shall not  
22 reproduce, release, or disclose this information for  
23 any purpose other than for use in annually publishing  
24 the demographic summary under this section.

25 b. The department shall enter the information,  
26 from any report ~~of termination~~ submitted, within  
27 thirty days of receipt of the report, and shall  
28 immediately destroy the report following entry of the  
29 information. However, entry of the information from a  
30 report shall not include any health care provider,  
31 hospital, clinic, or other health facility  
32 identification information including, but not limited  
33 to, the confidential health care provider code, as  
34 assigned by the department.

35 c. To protect confidentiality, the department  
36 shall limit release of information to release in an  
37 aggregate form which prevents identification of any  
38 individual patient, health care provider, hospital,  
39 clinic, or other health facility. For the purposes of  
40 this paragraph, "aggregate form" means a compilation  
41 of the information received by the department ~~on~~  
42 ~~termination of pregnancies~~ for each information item  
43 listed, with the exceptions of the report tracking  
44 number, the health care provider code, and any set of  
45 information for which the amount is so small that the  
46 confidentiality of any person to whom the information  
47 relates may be compromised. The department shall  
48 establish a methodology to provide a statistically  
49 verifiable basis for any determination of the correct  
50 amount at which information may be released so that

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1 the confidentiality of any person is not compromised.  
2 3. Except as specified in subsection 2, reports,  
3 information, and records submitted and maintained  
4 pursuant to this section are strictly confidential and  
5 shall not be released or made public upon subpoena,  
6 search warrant, discovery proceedings, or by any other  
7 means.

8 4. The department shall assign a code to any  
9 health care provider who may be required to report a  
10 ~~termination~~ under this section. An application  
11 procedure shall not be required for assignment of a  
12 code to a health care provider.

13 5. A health care provider shall assign a report  
14 tracking number which enables the health care provider  
15 to access the patient's medical information without  
16 identifying the patient.

17 6. To ensure proper performance of the reporting  
18 requirements under this section, it is preferred that  
19 a health care provider who practices within a  
20 hospital, clinic, or other health facility authorize  
21 one staff person to fulfill the reporting  
22 requirements.

23 7. For the purposes of this section, "health care  
24 provider" means an individual licensed under chapter  
25 148, 148C, 148D, 150, 150A, or 152, or any individual  
26 who provides medical services under the authorization  
27 of the licensee.

28 8. For the purposes of this section, "inducing a  
29 termination of pregnancy" means the use of any means  
30 to terminate the pregnancy of a woman known to be  
31 pregnant with the intent other than to produce a live  
32 birth or to remove a dead fetus.

33 9. For the purposes of this section, "spontaneous  
34 termination of pregnancy" means the occurrence of an  
35 unintended termination of pregnancy at any time during  
36 the period from conception to twenty weeks gestation  
37 and which is not a spontaneous termination of  
38 pregnancy at any time during the period from twenty  
39 weeks or greater which is reported to the department  
40 as a fetal death under this chapter."

41 2. Title page, line 1, by inserting after the  
42 word "in" the following: "health-related reporting  
43 including".

By WINCKLER of Scott

**H-1394** FILED MARCH 29, 2001

## HOUSE FILE 116

## H-1395

1 Amend House File 116 as follows:

2 1. Page 1, line 1, by inserting after the letter  
3 "c" the following: ", d, e, f, g".

4 2. Page 1, by inserting after line 5, the  
5 following:

6 "d. The race of the patient and the race of the  
7 putative father.

8 e. The age of the patient and the age of the  
9 putative father.

10 f. The marital status of the patient and the  
11 marital status of the putative father.

12 g. The educational level of the patient and the  
13 educational level of the putative father."

14 3. Page 1, by inserting after line 14, the  
15 following:

16 "Sec. \_\_\_\_ . Section 144.29A, subsection 2,  
17 unnumbered paragraph 1, Code 2001, is amended to read  
18 as follows:

19 It is the intent of the general assembly that the  
20 information shall be collected, reproduced, released,  
21 and disclosed in a manner specified by rule of the  
22 department, adopted pursuant to chapter 17A, which  
23 ensures the anonymity of the patient who experiences a  
24 termination of pregnancy, the putative father, the  
25 health care provider who identifies and diagnoses or  
26 induces a termination of pregnancy, and the hospital,  
27 clinic, or other health facility in which a  
28 termination of pregnancy is identified and diagnosed  
29 or induced. The department may share information with  
30 federal public health officials for the purposes of  
31 securing federal funding or conducting public health  
32 research. However, in sharing the information, the  
33 department shall not relinquish control of the  
34 information, and any agreement entered into by the  
35 department with federal public health officials to  
36 share information shall prohibit the use,  
37 reproduction, release, or disclosure of the  
38 information by federal public health officials in a  
39 manner which violates this section. The department  
40 shall publish, annually, a demographic summary of the  
41 information obtained pursuant to this section, except  
42 that the department shall not reproduce, release, or  
43 disclose any information obtained pursuant to this  
44 section which reveals the identity of any patient,  
45 health care provider, hospital, clinic, or other  
46 health facility, and shall ensure anonymity in the  
47 following ways:"

48 4. By renumbering as necessary.

By MASCHER of Johnson

## HOUSE FILE 116

## H-1396

1 Amend House File 116 as follows:

2 1. Page 1, by inserting before line 1, the  
3 following:

4 "Section 1. Section 144.29A, subsection 1,  
5 unnumbered paragraph 1, Code 2001, is amended to read  
6 as follows:

7 A health care provider who initially identifies and  
8 diagnoses a ~~spontaneous termination of pregnancy~~ or  
9 who induces a termination of pregnancy shall file with  
10 the department a report for each termination within  
11 thirty days of the occurrence. The health care  
12 provider shall make a good faith effort to obtain all  
13 of the following information that is available with  
14 respect to each termination:"

15 2. Page 1, line 1, by inserting after the letter  
16 "c" the following: ", h".

17 3. Page 1, by inserting after line 5, the  
18 following:

19 "h. The number of previous pregnancies, live  
20 births, and ~~spontaneous or~~ induced terminations of  
21 pregnancies."

22 4. Page 1, by inserting after line 14, the  
23 following:

24 "Sec. \_\_\_\_\_. Section 144.29A, subsection 9, Code  
25 2001, is amended by striking the subsection."

26 5. By renumbering as necessary.

By LENSING of Johnson

H-1396 FILED MARCH 29, 2001

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1 Amend House File 116 as follows:

2 1. Page 1, by striking lines 1 through 14 and  
3 inserting the following:

4 "Section 1. Section 144.29A, Code 2001, is amended  
5 to read as follows:

6 144.29A ~~TERMINATION OF PREGNANCY~~ HEALTH-RELATED  
7 REPORTING.

8 1. A health care provider who initially identifies  
9 and diagnoses a spontaneous termination of pregnancy  
10 or who induces a termination of pregnancy or who  
11 initially identifies or diagnoses an incidence of a  
12 sports-related injury sustained during kindergarten  
13 through grade twelve curricular or extracurricular  
14 athletic activities shall file with the department a  
15 report for each ~~termination~~ incidence within thirty  
16 days of the occurrence. The health care provider  
17 shall make a good faith effort to obtain all of the  
18 following information that is available with respect  
19 to each ~~termination~~ incidence, as applicable:

20 a. The confidential health care provider code as  
21 assigned by the department.

22 b. The report tracking number.

23 c. The maternal health services region of the Iowa  
24 department of public health, as designated as of July  
25 1, 1997, in which the patient resides.

26 d. The race of the patient.

27 e. The age of the patient.

28 f. The marital status of the patient.

29 g. The educational level of the patient.

30 h. The number of previous pregnancies, live  
31 births, and spontaneous or induced terminations of  
32 pregnancies or the number of previous incidences of  
33 sports-related injuries sustained during kindergarten  
34 through grade twelve curricular or extracurricular  
35 athletic activities identified or diagnosed.

36 i. The month and year in which the termination  
37 occurred or in which the incidence of sports-related  
38 injuries sustained during kindergarten through grade  
39 twelve curricular or extracurricular athletic  
40 activities was identified or diagnosed.

41 j. The number of weeks since the patient's last  
42 menstrual period and a clinical estimate of gestation.

43 2. It is the intent of the general assembly that  
44 the information shall be collected, reproduced,  
45 released, and disclosed in a manner specified by rule  
46 of the department, adopted pursuant to chapter 17A,  
47 which ensures the anonymity of the patient ~~who~~  
48 ~~experiences a termination of pregnancy,~~ the health  
49 care provider who identifies and diagnoses or induces  
50 a termination of pregnancy or who identifies or

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1 diagnoses an incidence of sports-related injury  
2 sustained during kindergarten through grade twelve  
3 curricular or extracurricular athletic activities, and  
4 the hospital, clinic, or other health facility in  
5 which a termination of pregnancy is identified and  
6 diagnosed or induced or in which the incidence of  
7 sports-related injury sustained during kindergarten  
8 through grade twelve curricular or extracurricular  
9 athletic activities was identified or diagnosed. The  
10 department may share information with federal public  
11 health officials for the purposes of securing federal  
12 funding or conducting public health research.  
13 However, in sharing the information, the department  
14 shall not relinquish control of the information, and  
15 any agreement entered into by the department with  
16 federal public health officials to share information  
17 shall prohibit the use, reproduction, release, or  
18 disclosure of the information by federal public health  
19 officials in a manner which violates this section.  
20 The department shall publish, annually, a demographic  
21 summary of the information obtained pursuant to this  
22 section, except that the department shall not  
23 reproduce, release, or disclose any information  
24 obtained pursuant to this section which reveals the  
25 identity of any patient, health care provider,  
26 hospital, clinic, or other health facility, and shall  
27 ensure anonymity in the following ways:  
28     a. The department may use information concerning  
29 the report tracking number or concerning the identity  
30 of a reporting health care provider, hospital, clinic,  
31 or other health facility only for purposes of  
32 information collection. The department shall not  
33 reproduce, release, or disclose this information for  
34 any purpose other than for use in annually publishing  
35 the demographic summary under this section.  
36     b. The department shall enter the information,  
37 from any report ~~of termination~~ submitted, within  
38 thirty days of receipt of the report, and shall  
39 immediately destroy the report following entry of the  
40 information. However, entry of the information from a  
41 report shall not include any health care provider,  
42 hospital, clinic, or other health facility  
43 identification information including, but not limited  
44 to, the confidential health care provider code, as  
45 assigned by the department.  
46     c. To protect confidentiality, the department  
47 shall limit release of information to release in an  
48 aggregate form which prevents identification of any  
49 individual patient, health care provider, hospital,  
50 clinic, or other health facility. For the purposes of

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1 this paragraph, "aggregate form" means a compilation  
2 of the information received by the department ~~on~~  
3 ~~termination of pregnancies~~ for each information item  
4 listed, with the exceptions of the report tracking  
5 number, the health care provider code, and any set of  
6 information for which the amount is so small that the  
7 confidentiality of any person to whom the information  
8 relates may be compromised. The department shall  
9 establish a methodology to provide a statistically  
10 verifiable basis for any determination of the correct  
11 amount at which information may be released so that  
12 the confidentiality of any person is not compromised.

13 3. Except as specified in subsection 2, reports,  
14 information, and records submitted and maintained  
15 pursuant to this section are strictly confidential and  
16 shall not be released or made public upon subpoena,  
17 search warrant, discovery proceedings, or by any other  
18 means.

19 4. The department shall assign a code to any  
20 health care provider who may be required to report a  
21 ~~termination~~ under this section. An application  
22 procedure shall not be required for assignment of a  
23 code to a health care provider.

24 5. A health care provider shall assign a report  
25 tracking number which enables the health care provider  
26 to access the patient's medical information without  
27 identifying the patient.

28 6. To ensure proper performance of the reporting  
29 requirements under this section, it is preferred that  
30 a health care provider who practices within a  
31 hospital, clinic, or other health facility authorize  
32 one staff person to fulfill the reporting  
33 requirements.

34 7. For the purposes of this section, "health care  
35 provider" means an individual licensed under chapter  
36 148, 148C, 148D, 150, 150A, or 152, or any individual  
37 who provides medical services under the authorization  
38 of the licensee.

39 8. For the purposes of this section, "inducing a  
40 termination of pregnancy" means the use of any means  
41 to terminate the pregnancy of a woman known to be  
42 pregnant with the intent other than to produce a live  
43 birth or to remove a dead fetus.

44 9. For the purposes of this section, "spontaneous  
45 termination of pregnancy" means the occurrence of an  
46 unintended termination of pregnancy at any time during  
47 the period from conception to twenty weeks gestation  
48 and which is not a spontaneous termination of  
49 pregnancy at any time during the period from twenty  
50 weeks or greater which is reported to the department

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1 as a fetal death under this chapter."

2 2. Title page, line 1, by inserting after the  
3 word "in" the following: "health-related reporting  
4 including".

By ATTEBERRY of Delaware

**H-1414** FILED APRIL 2, 2001

**HOUSE FILE 116****H-1418**

1 Amend House File 116 as follows:

2 1. Page 1, by inserting before line 15, the  
3 following:

4 "NEW PARAGRAPH. \_\_\_\_\_. Any complication resulting  
5 from the induced termination of pregnancy procedure,  
6 including but not limited to death, internal bleeding,  
7 hemorrhaging, or infection."

8 2. By renumbering, redesignating, and correcting  
9 internal references as necessary.

By TREMMEL of Wapello

**H-1418** FILED APRIL 2, 2001

**HOUSE FILE 116****H-1419**

1 Amend the amendment, H-1162 to House File 116 as  
2 follows:

3 1. Page 1, by inserting after line 5, the  
4 following:

5 "\_\_\_\_\_. Page 1, line 13, by striking the word  
6 "abortion" and inserting the following: "termination  
7 of pregnancy"."

8 2. By renumbering as necessary.

By BODDICKER of Cedar

**H-1419** FILED APRIL 2, 2001

## HOUSE FILE 116

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- 1 Amend the amendment, H-1179 to House File 116 as  
2 follows:
- 3 1. Page 1, line 10, by inserting after the word  
4 "performs" the following: "circumcisions".
- 5 2. Page 1, line 13, by inserting after the word  
6 "termination," the following: "circumcision".
- 7 3. Page 1, line 26, by inserting after the word  
8 "patient" the following: "and the race of the  
9 putative father".
- 10 4. Page 1, line 27, by inserting after the word  
11 "patient" the following: "and the age of the putative  
12 father".
- 13 5. Page 1, line 28, by inserting after the word  
14 "patient" the following: "and the marital status of  
15 the putative father".
- 16 6. Page 1, line 29, by inserting after the word  
17 "patient" the following: "and the educational level  
18 of the putative father".
- 19 7. Page 1, line 47, by inserting after the word  
20 "pregnancy," the following: "circumcision".
- 21 8. Page 1, line 49, by inserting after the word  
22 "procedures" the following: ", the putative father,".
- 23 9. Page 2, line 1, by inserting after the word  
24 "the" the following: "circumcision".
- 25 10. Page 2, line 5, by inserting after the word  
26 "a" the following: "circumcision".
- 27 11. Page 2, line 35, by inserting after the word  
28 "termination," the following: "circumcision".
- 29 12. Page 3, line 2, by inserting after the word  
30 "pregnancies," the following: "circumcisions".
- 31 13. Page 3, line 22, by inserting after the word  
32 "termination," the following: "circumcision".

By FOEGE of Linn

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FISCAL NOTE**

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A fiscal note for **House File 116** is hereby submitted pursuant to Joint Rule 17. Data used in developing this fiscal note is available from the Legislative Fiscal Bureau to members of the Legislature upon request.

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House File 116 amends Section 144.29A, Code of Iowa, by requiring a health care provider who initially diagnoses a spontaneous termination of pregnancy or who induces a termination of pregnancy to report the specific procedure used if the termination of pregnancy is induced, a clinical estimate of the week of gestation which the termination occurred, and the county in which the patient resides. Under current law, only the month and year of the termination are required to be reported, and the maternal health services region, not the county in which the patient resides.

**ASSUMPTIONS**

1. There are approximately 11,000 health care providers that would need to be notified of the change in reporting requirements.
2. The Department of Public Health would notify the providers of the change by sending a packet of information to each provider.
3. The packet of information would consist of three pages of information which would include a cover letter, information and instructions detailing the new requirements, and a new form for which to record the statistical data required. Printing costs would be \$.03 per page multiplied by 11,000 providers for a total cost of approximately \$1,000.
4. The packets of information would be prepared to be mailed by two Clerk Advanced persons. The hourly wage for a Clerk Advanced position is approximately \$15 per hour. It would take two Clerk Advanced persons a total of 16 hours to prepare the mailing for a total cost of approximately \$500.
5. The Department would use bulk mailing to send out the packets. The mailing cost would be approximately \$.30 per packet multiplied by 11,000 packets for a total cost of approximately \$3,300.
6. The Department would need to revise the current computer software to include the new changes in reporting requirements. This would cost approximately \$400.
7. Additional staffing hours would be required as a result of the proposed legislation. An Executive Officer I would need to work eight additional hours at approximately \$27 per hour in order to revise the reporting forms, and outline the new requirements for reporting. The total cost for the Executive Officer I would be approximately \$216. The Department would also require an Information Technology Support Worker II at approximately \$17 per hour to work an additional 48 hours to do the additional data entry required as a result of House File 116. The total cost for the Information Technology Support Worker II would be approximately \$816.
8. The only costs incurred for FY 2003 would be related to the additional staffing hours required for the Information Technology Support Worker II (\$816). The other costs are all one-time costs that would be incurred

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only in FY 2002. As a result, the fiscal impact of House File 116 would be reduced in FY 2003 by approximately \$5,400.

**FISCAL IMPACT**

The FY 2002 General Fund cost of House File 116 would be approximately \$6,200. Annually, starting in FY 2003, the General Fund cost would be approximately \$800.

**SOURCE**

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