

STATE EMPLOYEE HEALTH CLINIC

2015 GENERAL SESSION

STATE OF UTAH

Chief Sponsor: Stewart Barlow

Senate Sponsor: _____

LONG TITLE

General Description:

This bill amends the Public Employees' Benefit and Insurance Program Act to establish a pilot program for a state employee health clinic.

Highlighted Provisions:

This bill:

- ▶ within appropriations from the Legislature, requires the Public Employees' Benefit and Insurance Program to establish an on-site employee health clinic;
- ▶ requires the program to issue a bid for the on-site health clinic; and
- ▶ establishes some minimum criteria for the on-site health clinic.

Money Appropriated in this Bill:

None

Other Special Clauses:

None

Utah Code Sections Affected:

ENACTS:

49-20-412, Utah Code Annotated 1953

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the state of Utah:

Section 1. Section **49-20-412** is enacted to read:

49-20-412. Pilot program for on-site employee clinic.



28 (1) Within appropriations to the state risk pool from the Legislature, the program shall
29 establish a primary care clinic:

30 (a) for state employees and their dependents;

31 (b) within a state building that is accessible to a large number of state employees; and

32 (c) in accordance with Subsection (2).

33 (2) The program shall request bids from private entities to establish the on-site primary
34 care clinic in accordance with criteria established by the program, which shall include at least
35 the following:

36 (a) the entity's ability to establish a primary care clinic that is designed to:

37 (i) be convenient for employees and their dependents;

38 (ii) reduce sick leave for employees;

39 (iii) increase compliance with health care screening and management of chronic health
40 care conditions; and

41 (iv) dispense commonly used, pre-packaged drugs in a cost effective manner; and

42 (b) the entity's organizational and financial independence from any particular hospital
43 network, network of clinics, or network of health care providers.

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