

General Assembly

Proposed Bill No. 6131

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Referred to Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH

Introduced by:

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AN ACT REQUIRING TRANSPORTATION TO A TREATMENT FACILITY WHICH PROVIDES MEDICAL TRIAGE OR TO A HOSPITAL AFTER ADMINISTRATION OF AN OPIOID ANTAGONIST.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That the general statutes be amended to require emergency medical
- 2 services providers to transport any individual to a treatment facility
- 3 which provides medical triage in accordance with regulations adopted
- 4 pursuant to section 19a-495 of the general statutes or to a hospital after
- 5 the administration of an opioid antagonist on such individual.

Statement of Purpose:

To require that any individual who receives an opioid antagonist by an emergency medical services provider be transported to a treatment facility which provides medical triage or to a hospital.

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