

LEGISLATURE OF NEBRASKA  
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SECOND SESSION

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 1350**

Introduced by DeBoer, 10.

Read first time January 17, 2024

Committee:

- 1 A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to public health and welfare; to amend
- 2 sections 71-401 and 71-403, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2023; to
- 3 define terms within the Health Care Facilities Licensure Act; to
- 4 harmonize provisions; and to repeal the original sections.
- 5 Be it enacted by the people of the State of Nebraska,

1 Section 1. Section 71-401, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2023, is  
2 amended to read:

3 71-401 Sections 71-401 to 71-479 and sections 3 and 4 of this act  
4 shall be known and may be cited as the Health Care Facility Licensure  
5 Act.

6 Sec. 2. Section 71-403, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2023, is  
7 amended to read:

8 71-403 For purposes of the Health Care Facility Licensure Act,  
9 unless the context otherwise requires, the definitions found in sections  
10 71-404 to 71-431 and sections 3 and 4 of this act shall apply.

11 Sec. 3. Emergency shelter means:

12 (1) An emergency shelter as defined in 24 C.F.R. 576.2 as such  
13 regulation existed on January 1, 2024; or

14 (2) Any facility, the primary purpose of which is to provide a  
15 temporary shelter for individuals who have experienced domestic violence,  
16 human trafficking, sexual assault, or stalking and which provides a safe  
17 and nonthreatening living environment for such victims and their family  
18 and household members.

19 Sec. 4. Transitional housing means:

20 (1) Transitional housing as defined in 24 C.F.R. 578.3 as such  
21 regulation existed on January 1, 2024; or

22 (2) Temporary housing, the purpose of which is to facilitate the  
23 movement of individuals experiencing domestic violence, human  
24 trafficking, sexual assault, or stalking and their family and household  
25 members into permanent housing within twenty-four months or such longer  
26 period as the administrator or operator of the temporary housing deems  
27 necessary.

28 Sec. 5. Original sections 71-401 and 71-403, Revised Statutes  
29 Supplement, 2023, are repealed.