
THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

No. 197 Session of
2019

INTRODUCED BY ROTHMAN, KAUFFMAN, GROVE, BERNSTINE, KEEFER,
SIMMONS, DeLUCA, IRVIN, KAUFER, LAWRENCE, B. MILLER, JONES
AND REESE, JANUARY 28, 2019

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON HEALTH, JANUARY 28, 2019

AN ACT

1 Providing for the duty of health care providers to publish the
2 cost of health care procedures.

3 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
4 hereby enacts as follows:

5 Section 1. Short title.

6 This act shall be known and may be cited as the Health Care
7 Cost Transparency Act.

8 Section 2. Duties of health care providers.

9 A health care provider operating in this Commonwealth shall
10 publish the cost of health care procedures.

11 Section 3. Effective date.

12 This act shall take effect in 60 days.