



**SOUTH CAROLINA REVENUE AND FISCAL AFFAIRS OFFICE**  
**STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT**  
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Bill Number: H. 3994  
 Author: Finlay  
 Requestor: House Medical, Military, Public, and Municipal Affairs  
 Date: April 22, 2015  
 Subject: Health Care Practitioners  
 RFA Analyst(s): Stein

**Estimate of Fiscal Impact**

	<b>FY 2015-16</b>	<b>FY 2016-17</b>
<b>State Expenditure</b>		
General Fund	\$0	N/A
Other and Federal	\$0	N/A
Full-Time Equivalent Position(s)	0.00	0.00
<b>State Revenue</b>		
General Fund	N/A	N/A
Other and Federal	N/A	N/A
<b>Local Expenditure</b>	N/A	N/A
<b>Local Revenue</b>	N/A	N/A

**Fiscal Impact Summary**

This bill would have no expenditure impact on the General Fund, Federal Funds, or Other Funds.

**Explanation of Fiscal Impact**

**State Expenditure**

House Bill 3994 amends Section 44-7-3420, et seq., relating to the Hospital Patient Safety Act, by adding definitions for the terms “health care practitioner” and “health care facility.” The bill also requires all health care practitioners in a health care facility (excluding hospitals) to wear name badges indicating name, job title, level of training, and state licensing board under which they are regulated.

**Department of Health and Environmental Control.** The department reports that this bill will have no expenditure impact on the General Fund, Federal Fund, or Other Funds.

**State Revenue**

N/A

**Local Expenditure**

N/A

**Local Revenue**

N/A

  
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 Frank A. Rainwater, Executive Director