

## Session 126 - (2025-2026)

**H\*4343 (Rat #0111, Act #0106 of 2026) General Bill, By Wetmore, Erickson, Edgerton, Terribile, Cromer, Schuessler, Crawford, Davis, Calhoun, Oremus, Holman, Pedalino, Bernstein, Cobb-Hunter, Dillard, Bauer, Henderson-Myers, Landing, McDaniel, Waters, Alexander and Spann-Wilder**

**Summary:** Human trafficking awareness and prevention training

AN ACT TO AMEND THE SOUTH CAROLINA CODE OF LAWS BY ADDING SECTION 40-33-31 SO AS TO REQUIRE CERTAIN HUMAN TRAFFICKING AWARENESS AND PREVENTION TRAINING FOR LICENSED PRACTICAL NURSES, REGISTERED NURSES, AND ADVANCED PRACTICE REGISTERED NURSES; BY ADDING SECTION 40-47-39 SO AS TO REQUIRE CERTAIN HUMAN TRAFFICKING AWARENESS AND PREVENTION TRAINING FOR PHYSICIANS WHO PRACTICE IN CERTAIN FIELDS AND CERTAIN SETTINGS; AND BY ADDING SECTION 40-47-953 SO AS TO REQUIRE CERTAIN HUMAN TRAFFICKING AWARENESS AND PREVENTION TRAINING FOR PHYSICIAN ASSISTANTS. -

RATIFIED TITLE

<b>04/09/25</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Introduced and read first time (House Journal-page 107)</b>
<b>04/09/25</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Referred to Committee on Medical, Military, Public and Municipal Affairs (House Journal-page 107)</b>
<b>05/01/25</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Committee report: Favorable with amendment Medical, Military, Public and Municipal Affairs (House Journal-page 129)</b>
<b>05/05/25</b>		<b>Scrivener's error corrected</b>
<b>05/06/25</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Member(s) request name added as sponsor: Alexander, Spann-Wilder</b>
<b>05/06/25</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Amended (House Journal-page 43)</b>
<b>05/06/25</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Read second time (House Journal-page 43)</b>
<b>05/06/25</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Roll call Yeas-111 Nays-0 (House Journal-page 45)</b>
<b>05/07/25</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Read third time and sent to Senate (House Journal-page 7)</b>
<b>05/07/25</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Introduced and read first time (Senate Journal-page 10)</b>
<b>05/07/25</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Referred to Committee on Medical Affairs (Senate Journal-page 10)</b>
<b>02/19/26</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Committee report: Favorable with amendment Medical Affairs (Senate Journal-page 6)</b>
<b>02/25/26</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Committee Amendment Adopted (Senate Journal-page 27)</b>
<b>02/25/26</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Amended (Senate Journal-page 27)</b>
<b>02/25/26</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Read second time (Senate Journal-page 27)</b>
<b>02/25/26</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Roll call Ayes-42 Nays-0 (Senate Journal-page 27)</b>
<b>02/26/26</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Read third time and returned to House with amendments</b>
<b>03/04/26</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Concurred in Senate amendment and enrolled (House Journal-page 21)</b>
<b>03/04/26</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Roll call Yeas-113 Nays-0 (House Journal-page 22)</b>
<b>03/05/26</b>		<b>Ratified R 111</b>
<b>03/09/26</b>		<b>Signed By Governor</b>
<b>03/12/26</b>		<b>Effective date 03/09/26</b>
<b>03/12/26</b>		<b>Act No. 106</b>