

**Department of Planning and Budget
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State Fiscal Impact Statement**

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ORIGINAL

Bill Number: HB75ER

Patron: Keys-Gamarra

Bill Title: Medical care facilities; expanded access to medical cannabis for terminally ill patients

Bill Summary: The enrolled bill permits hospital staff members who are authorized to possess, distribute, or administer medications to residents to store, dispense, or administer cannabis oil to a patient or resident who has been issued a valid written certification for the use of medical cannabis oil. Such staff are exempted from criminal penalties for possession of cannabis oil. The bill directs the Department of Health to convene a work group to discuss the implementation process for providing cannabis products to patients within medical care facilities and report on its discussion to the Chairs of the House Committee on Health and Human Services and the Senate Committee on Education and Health by November 1, 2026.

Budget Amendment Necessary: No

Items Impacted: None

Fiscal Summary: No fiscal impact.

Fiscal Analysis: The proposed legislation is not expected to have any fiscal impact.

Other: None