HOUSE BILL 2530

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By Representatives Patterson, Cooke, Carrell, Boldt, Lambert, Ogden and Chopp

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1 AN ACT Relating to continuing education in the recognition of 2 symptoms of drug and alcohol dependency in patients; and adding a new 3 section to chapter 18.130 RCW.

4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

5 <u>NEW SECTION.</u> Sec. 1. A new section is added to chapter 18.130 RCW 6 to read as follows:

7 The disciplinary authority shall provide a program in continuing 8 education in the recognition of symptoms of drug and alcohol dependency 9 in patients in clinical settings, in accordance with uniform recognized 10 standards developed in consultation with the secretary and the 11 department of social and health services.

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