

2SHB 1426 - H AMD 153

By Representative Robinson

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1 On page 2, line 16, after "clients" insert "for the purposes of
2 quality improvement, patient safety, and care coordination. The
3 information may not be used for contracting or value-based purchasing
4 decisions"

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6 On page 3, line 34, after "medical association," insert "a
7 statewide association representing advanced registered nurse
8 practitioners,"

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10 On page 5, beginning on line 10, strike all of section 2 and
11 insert the following:

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13 "NEW SECTION. Sec. 2. A new section is added to chapter 70.225
14 RCW to read as follows:

15 Beginning November 15, 2017, the department shall annually report
16 to the governor and the appropriate committees of the legislature on
17 the number of facilities, entities, or provider groups identified in
18 RCW 70.225.040(3)(1) that have integrated their federally certified
19 electronic health records with the prescription monitoring program
20 utilizing the state health information exchange."

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EFFECT: Limits the purposes for which the director of the Health Care Authority (HCA) may access Prescription Monitoring Program (PMP) data to quality improvement, patient safety, and care coordination. Prohibits the director of the HCA from using PMP data for contracting or value-based purchasing decisions. Adds a statewide association representing advanced registered nurse practitioners to the list of groups with whom the Department of Health (DOH) must consult when determining the content and format of notices of overdose events. Removes the requirement for certain

facilities, entities, and provider groups to fully integrate their electronic health records with the PMP. Requires the DOH to annually report the number of facilities, entities, and provider groups that have integrated their electronic health records with the PMP.

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