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5 On page 30, after line 34 of the amendment, insert the following:

6 "NEW SECTION. **Sec. 27.** A new section is added to chapter 43.70  
7 RCW to read as follows:

8 All health care facilities, health carriers overseeing health care  
9 delivery, and providers must develop and disclose a staffing plan to  
10 include professional and nonprofessional staff, including direct  
11 registered nurse to patient ratios for each treatment setting and  
12 shift. This section does not require a health carrier, health care  
13 facility, or health provider to adhere to any particular standard that  
14 may not be otherwise provided by law. The department shall set in rule  
15 the forms, frequency of disclosure, and posting requirements for such  
16 information."

17 Renumber the remaining sections consecutively and correct internal  
18 references accordingly.

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22 On page 33, line 26 of the title amendment, after "48.21 RCW;"  
23 insert "adding a new section to chapter 70.41 RCW;"

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