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June 8, 2016, Introduced by Reps. Barrett, Glenn, Hughes, Hooker, Outman, McBroom, Aaron Miller, Whiteford and LaGrand and referred to the Committee on Military and Veterans Affairs.

A bill to amend 1978 PA 368, entitled  
"Public health code,"  
by amending sections 20109 and 21711 (MCL 333.20109 and 333.21711),  
section 20109 as amended by 2015 PA 156.

## THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1       Sec. 20109. (1) "Nursing home" means a nursing care facility,  
2 including a county medical care facility **AND A VETERANS' FACILITY**  
3 **CREATED UNDER 1885 PA 152, MCL 36.1 TO 36.12**, that provides  
4 organized nursing care and medical treatment to 7 or more unrelated  
5 individuals suffering or recovering from illness, injury, or  
6 infirmity. As used in this subsection, "medical treatment" includes  
7 treatment by an employee or independent contractor of the nursing  
8 home who is an individual licensed or otherwise authorized to

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1 not be used to describe or refer to a health facility or agency  
2 unless the health facility or agency is licensed as a nursing home  
3 by the department under this article.

4 (3) A person shall not purport to provide formal or informal  
5 nursing care services of the kind normally provided in a nursing  
6 home without obtaining a license as provided in this article. ~~This~~  
7 ~~subsection does not apply to a hospital or a facility created by~~  
8 ~~Act No. 152 of the Public Acts of 1985, as amended, being sections~~  
9 ~~36.1 to 36.12 of the Michigan Compiled Laws.~~

10 Enacting section 1. This amendatory act takes effect 90 days  
11 after the date it is enacted into law.