A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO INFECTIOUS DISEASE.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF HAWAII:

1	SECTION 1. Chapter 325, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
2	amended by adding a new section to be appropriately designated
3	and to read as follows:
4	"§325- Required services to homeless population. (a)
5	The department of health shall provide vaccination, treatment,
6	and health education, as appropriate, to the homeless as defined
7	in section 201G-451, for infectious and communicable diseases
8	under this chapter.
9	(b) All state and county agencies providing services to
10	the homeless shall:
11	(1) Give priority to the homeless in providing services
12	under subsection (a); and
13	(2) Cooperate with the department of health for purposes
14	of this section."
15	SECTION 2. New statutory material is underscored.
16	SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.
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SB. NO. 2602

Report Title:

Infectious Diseases

Description:

Requires the department of health to provide vaccination, treatment, and education to the homeless for hepatitis, tuberculosis, and other infectious diseases.