



HOUSE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

FISCAL NOTE

HOUSE BILL NO. 2283

PRINTER'S NO. 3443

PRIME SPONSOR: Khan

COST / (SAVINGS)

FUND	FY 2024/25	FY 2025/26
General Fund	\$0	\$0

SUMMARY:

Amends the Health Care Facilities Act to require hospitals and ambulatory surgical facilities to prevent exposure to surgical smoke generated during surgical procedures.

ANALYSIS:

House Bill 2283, Printer's Number 3443 amends Act 48 of 1979, known as the Health Care Facilities Act, to add requirements for hospitals and ambulatory surgical centers to implement policies to prevent exposure to surgical smoke for each procedure that generates surgical smoke.

The legislation will take effect on or before January 1, 2025, or the date that is 90 days after the effective date of this subsection, whichever is later.

FISCAL IMPACT:

This legislation has no fiscal impact to the Commonwealth funds as it requires hospitals and ambulatory surgical centers to implement policies to prevent exposure to surgical smoke.

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Estimates are calculated using the best information available. Actual costs and revenue impact incurred may vary from estimates.