

2005 ASSEMBLY BILL 1071

1 AN ACT *to amend* 893.56 of the statutes; **relating to:** the time limit for a person
2 under the age of 18 to bring action against a health care provider.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

3 SECTION 1. 893.56 of the statutes is amended to read:

4 **893.56 Health care providers; minors actions.** Any person under the age
5 of 18, ~~who is not under disability by reason of insanity, developmental disability or~~
6 ~~imprisonment,~~ shall bring an action to recover damages for injuries to the person
7 arising from any treatment or operation performed by, or for any omission by a health
8 care provider within the time limitation under s. 893.55 or by the time that person
9 reaches the age of 10 years, whichever is later. That action shall be brought by the
10 parent, guardian or other person having custody of the minor within the time limit
11 set forth in this section.

