DRAFTER'S NOTE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU

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To Representative Wasserman:

I have made numerous statutory changes in this bill, to clarify s. 252.15, stats., and to eliminate redundancies.

In drafting, I noticed what seems to be an inconsistency about HIV test disclosure between s. 252.15 (2) (a) 7. c. and 7m., stats.; the first provision states that a health care provider may not disclose test results to an individual, and the second allows disclosure. Would you be interested in resolving this inconsistency? If so, it might be helpful to contact DHFS to see what the interpretation of the state epidemiologist is with respect to these provisions.

Please let me know if I may provide further assistance with this bill.

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