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AN ACT to amend 146.30 (1) (a) of the statutes, relating to the extension of nursing home licensing requirements to certain county institutions.

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

146.30 (1) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:

146.30 (1) (a) A "nursing home" means any building, structure, institution, boarding home, convalescent home, agency or other place, not limited by enumeration, for the reception and care or treatment for not less than 72 hours in any week of 3 or more unrelated individuals hereinafter designated patients, who by reason of disability, whether physical or mental, including mental retardation and mental illness, are in need of nursing home services but "nursing. To the extent that a county institution provides "nursing home" services as described in this paragraph, it shall be deemed a nursing home under this section. "Nursing home" shall does not otherwise include institutions under the jurisdiction of or subject to the supervision of the department, including but not limited to county institutions, child care institutions, child care centers, day care centers, day nurseries, nursery schools, foster homes, child welfare agencies, child placing agencies, mental health clinics, tuberculosis sanatoria, maternity homes, maternity hospitals, hotels, and general and special purpose hospitals, except any part thereof which comes within the definition of a "nursing home". A "nursing home" shall not include the offices of persons licensed by the state to treat the sick. The reception and care or treatment in a household or family of a person related by blood to the head of such household or family, or to his or her

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spouse, within the degree of consanguinity of first cousin, shall not constitute the premises to be a "nursing home".
