



General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 457

LCO No. 107



Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY

Introduced by:
SEN. ANWAR, 3rd Dist.

**AN ACT REQUIRING THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION TO
PROVIDE A PERSON WHO IS INCARCERATED WITH A FORM
AUTHORIZING ANOTHER PERSON ACCESS TO THE MEDICAL
RECORDS OF THE PERSON WHO IS INCARCERATED.**

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General
Assembly convened:

- 1 That chapter 325 of the general statutes be amended to require the
- 2 Department of Correction to provide a person who is incarcerated with
- 3 a form authorizing another person, including next of kin or another
- 4 trusted individual, to access the medical records of the person who is
- 5 incarcerated, which records are otherwise subject to nondisclosure
- 6 under the federal Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act
- 7 of 1996, P.L. 104-191, as amended from time to time.

Statement of Purpose:

To require the Department of Correction to provide a person who is
incarcerated with a form authorizing another person to access the
medical records of the person who is incarcerated.