



One Hundred First Legislature - Second Session - 2010  
**Introducer's Statement of Intent**  
**LB 903**

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**Chairperson:** Tim Gay  
**Committee:** Health and Human Services  
**Date of Hearing:** January 28, 2010

The following constitutes the reasons for this bill and the purposes which are sought to be accomplished thereby:

The purpose of LB 903 is to make sure that Alzheimer's special care units have facilities and programs available to serve persons with dementia.

LB 903 would require the Department of Health and Human Services to develop criteria to evaluate the adequacy of disclosed practices of Alzheimer's special care units to determine if those practices are adequate to warrant designation as an Alzheimer's special care unit.

**Principal Introducer:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Senator Gwen Howard**