

Legislature - First Session - 2015

Introducer's Statement of Intent

LB80

Chairperson: Senator Kathy Campbell

Committee: Health and Human Services

Date of Hearing:

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

LB 80 replaces the current permitting process for dentists to administer anesthesia with definitions and separate permits for minimal, moderate and deep sedation. LB 80 also updates the requirements for education and training for dentists and correlates incident reporting with the new definitions.

This change will bring Nebraska statute into alignment with the recommendations of the American Dental Association.

The operative date of July 1, 2016 allows time for rules and regulations to be adopted and the current permits to be used through their renewal date and allow time for dentists to meet the criteria for the new permits.

Principal Introducer: _____

Senator Mike Gloor