

ONE HUNDRED EIGHTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION - 2024
COMMITTEE STATEMENT
LB1172

Hearing Date: Thursday February 01, 2024
Committee On: Health and Human Services
Introducer: von Gillern
One Liner: Change provisions relating to access to health data in certain registries and databases for research purposes

Roll Call Vote - Final Committee Action:

Advanced to General File

Vote Results:

Aye: 7 Senators Ballard, Cavanaugh, M., Day, Hansen, Hardin, Riepe, Walz
Nay:
Absent:
Present Not Voting:

Testimony:

Proponents:

Senator R. Brad von Gillern
Joann Sweasy
Laura A Hansen
Don Coulter
Amanda McGill Johnson
Micheal Dwyer

Representing:

Opening Presenter
UNMC
Creighton University
UNMC
Nebraska Cares
Self

Opponents:

Representing:

Neutral:

Representing:

* ADA Accommodation Written Testimony

Summary of purpose and/or changes:

LB 1172 would require DHHS to respond to all Cancer Registry data access requests in writing within 8 weeks. If such request is denied, explanation of such denial shall be provided.

SECTION BY SECTION SUMMARY:

Sec. 1: The department shall respond to all requests for data access for research purposes in writing within eight weeks after the date the request is received. The reason for any denial shall be included in the department's written response as provided in sections 81-663 to 81-675.

Sec. 2: Added to Legislative finding language: "Included in the framework for release of data established by the department is a public timeline for the approval or denial of such requests."



Sec 3: Original sections 81-647 and 81-663, are repealed

Ben Hansen, Chairperson

