

One Hundred Eighth Legislature - Second Session - 2024

Introducer's Statement of Intent

LB932

Chairperson: Senator Ben Hansen

Committee: Health and Human Services

Date of Hearing: February 07, 2024

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

LB932 changes statutes related to the licensure of mental health practitioners to ensure that qualified applicants are able to receive provisional licenses without administrative delays. An applicant shall be provisionally licensed as a mental health practitioner upon application and payment of the fee. If the board finds that any provisional mental health practitioner has failed to comply with the qualifications set forth in statute for the provisional license, that license shall be rescinded. A provisional mental health practitioner license shall transfer to a mental health practitioner license upon completion of the requirements described in section 38-2122 and shall expire upon receipt of licensure as a mental health practitioner or five years after the date of issuance, whichever comes first.

Principal Introducer: _____

Senator John Fredrickson