

# HB2284



## 103RD GENERAL ASSEMBLY

### State of Illinois

2023 and 2024

**HB2284**

Introduced 2/14/2023, by Rep. Anna Moeller

#### SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

New Act

Creates the Thyroid Guard Act. Provides that a health care facility that conducts x-ray imaging must have a thyroid guard available and require personnel conducting the x-ray imaging to give a patient the option of using it, unless the thyroid guard would directly interfere with the ability of the personnel to obtain the x-ray imaging that was ordered.

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A BILL FOR

1 AN ACT concerning health.

2 **Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,**  
3 **represented in the General Assembly:**

4 Section 1. Short title. This Act may be cited as the  
5 Thyroid Guard Act.

6 Section 5. Definition. In this Act, "health care facility"  
7 has the same meaning provided in Section 3 of the Health Care  
8 Right of Conscience Act.

9 Section 10. X-rays; thyroid guard. Notwithstanding any  
10 other provision of law, a health care facility that conducts  
11 x-ray imaging must have a thyroid guard available and require  
12 personnel conducting the x-ray imaging to give a patient the  
13 option of using it, unless the thyroid guard would directly  
14 interfere with the ability of the personnel to obtain the  
15 x-ray imaging that was ordered.