

SB1791



103RD GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

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Introduced 2/9/2023, by Sen. Paul Faraci

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

20 ILCS 2310/2310-438 new

Amends the Department of Public Health Powers and Duties Law of the Civil Administrative Code of Illinois. Requires the Department of Public Health to establish women's health clinics throughout the State to provide affordable health care for women. Requires the services provided at the women's health clinics to be offered at an affordable price and to include specified services, including women's health examinations, pregnancy confirmation, prenatal care, labor and delivery services, postpartum care, family planning examinations and birth control services, and care for sexually transmitted diseases and infections.

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A BILL FOR

1 AN ACT concerning State government.

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

4 Section 5. The Department of Public Health Powers and
5 Duties Law of the Civil Administrative Code of Illinois is
6 amended by adding Section 2310-438 as follows:

7 (20 ILCS 2310/2310-438 new)

8 Sec. 2310-438. Women's health clinics. The Department
9 shall establish women's health clinics throughout the State to
10 provide affordable health care for women. The services
11 provided at the women's health clinics shall be offered at an
12 affordable price and shall include, but shall not be limited
13 to, the following:

14 (1) annual women's health examinations, including Pap
15 tests and breast examinations;

16 (2) pregnancy confirmation services;

17 (3) prenatal care, including ultrasound examinations;

18 (4) labor and delivery services provided by an
19 obstetrician;

20 (5) postpartum care and support;

21 (6) family planning examinations and birth control
22 services;

23 (7) examinations, care, and prescriptions for sexually

1 transmitted diseases and infections;
2 (8) doula and childbirth consultants, with fees set
3 on a sliding scale based on the patient's income; and
4 (9) free childbirth education and breastfeeding and
5 parenting support offered on-site.