

AMENDMENT NO. \_\_\_\_\_ Calendar No. \_\_\_\_\_

Purpose: In the nature of a substitute.

**IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES—118th Cong., 2d Sess.**

**S. 3679**

To reauthorize the Dr. Lorna Breen Health Care Provider Protection Act, and for other purposes.

Referred to the Committee on \_\_\_\_\_ and  
ordered to be printed

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AMENDMENT IN THE NATURE OF A SUBSTITUTE intended  
to be proposed by \_\_\_\_\_

Viz:

1 Strike all after the enacting clause and insert the fol-

2 lowing:

3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Dr. Lorna Breen

5 Health Care Provider Protection Reauthorization Act”.

6 **SEC. 2. DISSEMINATION OF BEST PRACTICES.**

7 Section 2 of the Dr. Lorna Breen Health Care Pro-

8 vider Protection Act (Public Law 117–105) is amended—

9 (1) by striking “of this Act” and inserting “of

10 the Dr. Lorna Breen Health Care Provider Protec-

11 tion Reauthorization Act”; and

1           (2) by inserting “and prevent substance use  
2           and misuse” after “promote their mental health”.

3 **SEC. 3. EDUCATION AND AWARENESS INITIATIVE ENCOUR-**  
4 **AGING USE OF MENTAL HEALTH AND SUB-**  
5 **STANCE USE DISORDER SERVICES BY**  
6 **HEALTH CARE PROFESSIONALS.**

7           Section 3 of the Dr. Lorna Breen Health Care Pro-  
8 vider Protection Act (Public Law 117–105) is amended—

9           (1) in subsection (b), by inserting “and annu-  
10 ally thereafter,” after “of this Act,”; and

11           (2) in subsection (c), by striking “2022 through  
12 2024” and inserting “2025 through 2029”.

13 **SEC. 4. PROGRAMS TO PROMOTE MENTAL HEALTH AMONG**  
14 **THE HEALTH PROFESSIONAL WORKFORCE.**

15           The second section 764 of the Public Health Service  
16 Act (42 U.S.C. 294t), as added by section 4 of the Dr.  
17 Lorna Breen Health Care Provider Protection Act (Public  
18 Law 117–105), is amended—

19           (1) by redesignating such section 764 as section  
20 764A;

21           (2) in subsection (a)(3)—

22                   (A) by striking “to eligible entities in” and  
23 inserting “to eligible entities that—

24                   “(A) are in”;

1 (B) by striking the period and inserting “;  
2 or”; and

3 (C) by adding at the end the following:

4 “(B) have a focus on the reduction of ad-  
5 ministrative burden on health care workers.”;

6 (3) in subsection (c), by inserting “not less  
7 than” after “period of”; and

8 (4) in subsection (f), by striking “2022 through  
9 2024” and inserting “2025 through 2029”.