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## **MEMORANDUM**

To: Senate Committee on Public Health and Welfare

From: Office of Revisor of Statutes

Date: March 12, 2025

Subject: Bill Brief on HB 2335

HB 2335 adds maternity centers to the definition of healthcare provider for the healthcare stabilization fund.

This bill amends K.S.A.40-3401, the definition section for the healthcare provider insurance availability act, by adding "maternity centers" to the definition of "healthcare provider" if such center has been granted and accreditation by the commission for accreditation of birth centers and is a maternity center as defined in K.S.A. 65-503, and amendments thereto.

This bill would go into effect upon publication in the statute book, July 1, 2025.

There were no committee amendments and the bill passed the house on a vote of 123-0.