

LIVE HEALTHY ACT PROVIDES KEY SUPPORTS TO HOSPITALS (SB 7016)

FHA supports these and other key provisions in Live Healthy aimed at improving health care outcomes, increasing the number of qualified providers, modernizing the health care experience, meeting community mental health needs, and saving taxpayer dollars by reducing preventable high-cost health care utilization. Live Healthy will continue to separate Florida as a destination for modern, sophisticated health care services.

✓ MEDICAID REIMBURSEMENT FOR LABOR & DELIVERY

Live Healthy appropriates **\$152 million to increase Medicaid reimbursement for labor & delivery services** in Florida's hospitals.

- Medicaid covers 46% of all births in Florida
- Currently, hospitals are reimbursed only 35% of the cost of providing labor & delivery care



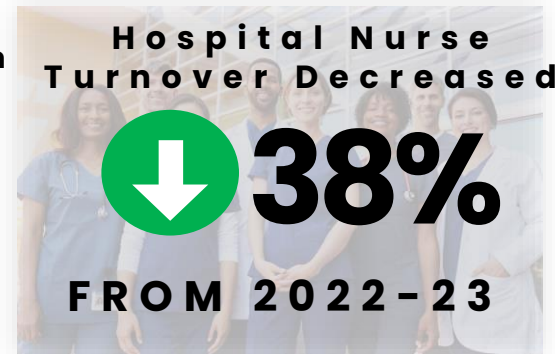
✓ APPROVAL FOR HOSPITAL AT HOME IN MEDICAID

Live Healthy ensures Medicaid patients can be treated under this innovative program. With sophisticated remote monitoring technology, centralized hospital-based command centers, and mobile clinical teams, some patients can receive hospital level of care in the comfort of their home.

25% LOWER COSTS OF STAY IN H@H
With High Quality Care

✓ CONTINUES WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT AND RETENTION

- Bolstering **Graduate Medical Education** by expanding Slots for Docs and creating the statewide GME Committee
- Modernizes and increases the award amounts for the **FRAME loan repayment program** - now includes behavioral health professions!
- **Expands LINE Program** to increase nursing development partnerships between hospitals and nursing schools
- Training, Education, and Clinicals in Health (**TEACH**) program to **expand health care professional training** into more rural and community health settings
- Extends the work of the **Florida Center For Nursing** to submit an annual data report on the previous academic year



✓ HEALTH CARE INNOVATION & COMMUNITY MENTAL HEALTH

- Expands the **Mobile Response Team** program to cover all ages that are experiencing a mental health crisis in all counties to ensure timely crisis de-escalation services that have prevented unnecessary hospitalizations. 82% of calls responded to by an MRT team did not result in a hospitalization - ending the perpetual revolving door of the emergency department.
- Creates a 10-year revolving loan program **to incentivize health care innovation**. Hospitals will be able to seek loans to implement new models of care that deliver high-quality outcomes and cost savings for Florida's health care delivery system.

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