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# A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1405

5 By: Representative Leding  
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## For An Act To Be Entitled

8 AN ACT TO ENSURE SMOKING TOBACCO IS PROHIBITED IN AND  
9 ON THE GROUNDS OF ALL MEDICAL FACILITIES; AND FOR  
10 OTHER PURPOSES.  
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### Subtitle

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14 TO ENSURE SMOKING TOBACCO IS PROHIBITED  
15 IN AND ON THE GROUNDS OF ALL MEDICAL  
16 FACILITIES.  
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19 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:  
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21 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 20-27-705 is amended to read as follows:  
22 20-27-705. Definitions.

23 For purposes of §§ 20-27-704 – 20-27-708:

24 (1) "Grounds" means the buildings in and on which medical  
25 facilities operate, together with all property owned by a medical facility  
26 that is contiguous to the buildings in which medical services are provided;

27 (2)(A) "Medical facilities" means hospitals, including both  
28 inpatient and outpatient services, as well as hospital-owned and operated  
29 ambulatory surgery centers and hospital-owned and operated free-standing  
30 medical clinics, and human development centers as defined in § 20-48-101,

31 ~~(B) "Medical facilities" does not include psychiatric~~  
32 ~~hospitals as defined by the Division of Health of the Department of Health~~  
33 ~~and Human Services rules for hospitals and related institutions; and~~

34 (3) "Tobacco" means cigars, cigarettes, pipes, or other tobacco-  
35 smoking devices.  
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