

Stricken language would be deleted from and underlined language would be added to the law as it existed prior to this session of the General Assembly.

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A Bill

HOUSE BILL 2186

5 By: Representatives Milligan, M. Smith, Milum, Hathorn, J. Taylor, Nichols, Adams, Duggar, C. Taylor
6 By: Senator Gullett
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For An Act To Be Entitled

10 AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE 12-29-401 TO
11 AUTHORIZE THE DEPARTMENTS OF CORRECTION AND
12 COMMUNITY PUNISHMENT TO CHARGE INMATES A FEE FOR
13 MEDICAL SERVICE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
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Subtitle

15 TO AUTHORIZE CHARGING DEPARTMENT OF
16 CORRECTION AND DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY
17 PUNISHMENT INMATES A FEE FOR MEDICAL
18 SERVICE.
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22 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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24 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code 12-29-401(c), regarding medical care of
25 inmates, is amended to read as follows:

26 (c) The Board of Correction and Community Punishment is authorized to
27 establish and maintain facilities for health, medical, mental health, and
28 dental services for each institution in the Department of Correction and the
29 Department of Community Punishment, including preventive, diagnostic, and
30 therapeutic measures on both an outpatient and inpatient basis for all types
31 of patients, and to hire physicians and other health care professionals. The
32 board may establish a program to require inmates to pay a portion of the cost
33 of such services.
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35 /s/ Milligan, et al.
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