



General Assembly

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**Proposed Bill No. 5916**

LCO No. 2176



Referred to Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH

Introduced by:

REP. CANDELORA, 86<sup>th</sup> Dist.

REP. HENNESSY, 127<sup>th</sup> Dist.

**AN ACT REQUIRING THE PROVISION OF VACCINE PACKAGE  
INSERTS AND VACCINE INFORMATION SHEETS TO A CHILD'S  
PARENT OR GUARDIAN TWENTY-FOUR HOURS PRIOR TO  
ADMINISTERING A VACCINE.**

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That the general statutes be amended to require any health care
- 2 provider administering a vaccine to a child under the age of eighteen
- 3 to (1) provide the child's parent or guardian with the vaccine package
- 4 insert and vaccine information sheet not less than twenty-four hours
- 5 prior to administering the vaccine, and (2) when a health care provider
- 6 will be administering a vaccine after the birth of a child while the child
- 7 is in the hospital, provide the vaccine package insert and vaccine
- 8 information sheet not less than twenty-four hours prior to
- 9 administering the vaccine.

**Statement of Purpose:**

To require health care providers to provide all information regarding a vaccine to a child's parent or guardian at least twenty-four hours prior to administering the vaccine.