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STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 2026

AN ACT

RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- USE OF ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE BY HEALTHCARE PROVIDERS NOTIFICATION ACT

Introduced By: Representatives Tanzi, McGaw, Felix, Hull, J. Lombardi, Stewart, Giraldo, Edwards, Bennett, and Diaz
Date Introduced: Feb 26, 2026

Date Introduced: February 06, 2026

Referred To: House Health & Human Services

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:

1 SECTION 1. Title 23 of the General Laws entitled "HEALTH AND SAFETY" is hereby
2 amended by adding thereto the following chapter:

CHAPTER 106

USE OF ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE BY HEALTHCARE PROVIDERS NOTIFICATION

5 ACT

23-106-1. Short title and purpose.

9 (b) The purpose of this chapter is to

11 **23-106-2. Definitions.**

12 As used in this chapter, the following terms shall have the following meanings:

(1) "Artificial Intelligence"

14 intelligence including, but not limited to, natural language processing, training language

15 reinforcement learning from human feedback and machine learning systems.

16 (2) "Healthcare facility" shall have the same meaning as § 23-17-2.

17. Healthcare provider means physician, physician assistant

18 nurses, licensed practical nurses, advanced practice registered nurses, nursing assistants, or any

1 [other healthcare professional licensed by the director of the department of health.](#)

2 **23-106-3. Notifications required.**

3 [Any and all healthcare providers and healthcare facilities that employ artificial intelligence](#)
4 [\("AI"\) to document in-person or telehealth visits shall notify patients of the use of AI for that sole](#)
5 [purpose.](#)

6 SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage.

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EXPLANATION
BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
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RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- USE OF ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE BY
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- 1 This act would require healthcare providers and healthcare facilities to inform patients of
- 2 the use of artificial intelligence to memorialize patient visits.
- 3 This act would take effect upon passage.

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