CHAPTER 2007-169

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 430

An act relating to mental health facilities; amending s. 394.461, F.S.; requiring mental health and treatment facilities designated by the Department of Children and Family Services to report certain financial and health service data to the department; providing a definition; providing reporting deadlines; providing a report by the department; providing an effective date.

Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

- Section 1. Present subsection (4) of section 394.461, Florida Statutes, is renumbered as subsection (5), and a new subsection (4) is added to that section, to read:
- 394.461 Designation of receiving and treatment facilities.—The department is authorized to designate and monitor receiving facilities and treatment facilities and may suspend or withdraw such designation for failure to comply with this part and rules adopted under this part. Unless designated by the department, facilities are not permitted to hold or treat involuntary patients under this part.
- (4)(a) A facility designated as a public receiving or treatment facility under this section shall report to the department on an annual basis the following data, unless these data are currently being submitted to the Agency for Health Care Administration:
 - 1. Number of licensed beds.
 - 2. Number of contract days.
 - 3. Number of admissions by payer class and diagnoses.
 - 4. Number of bed days by payer class.
 - 5. Average length of stay by payer class.
 - 6. Total revenues by payer class.
- (b) For the purposes of this subsection, "payer class" means Medicare, Medicare HMO, Medicaid, Medicaid HMO, private-pay health insurance, private-pay health maintenance organization, private preferred provider organization, the Department of Children and Family Services, other government programs, self-pay patients, and charity care.
- (c) The data required under this subsection shall be submitted to the department no later than 90 days following the end of the facility's fiscal year. A facility designated as a public receiving or treatment facility shall submit its initial report for the 6-month period ending June 30, 2008.
- (d) The department shall issue an annual report based on the data required pursuant to this subsection. The report shall include individual facili-

ties' data, as well as statewide totals. The report shall be submitted to the Governor, the President of the Senate, and the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2007.

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