CHAPTER 2024-222

Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 1259

An act relating to providers of cardiovascular services; amending s. 395.1055, F.S.; requiring the Agency for Health Care Administration to adopt rules that allow a Level I Adult Cardiovascular Services program to use certain tools and treatments; providing an effective date.

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

Section 1. Paragraph (a) of subsection (18) of section 395.1055, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

395.1055 Rules and enforcement.-

(18) In establishing rules for adult cardiovascular services, the agency shall include provisions that allow for:

(a) The establishment of two hospital program licensure levels, a Level I program that authorizes the performance of adult percutaneous cardiac intervention without onsite cardiac surgery, including rotational or other atherectomy devices, electrophysiology, and treatment of chronic total occlusions, and a Level II program that authorizes the performance of percutaneous cardiac intervention with onsite cardiac surgery.

Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2024.

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