



# Ohio Legislative Service Commission

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## Synopsis of Senate Committee Amendments\*

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### **Sub. H.B. 232**

130th General Assembly  
(S. Medicaid, Health and Human Services)

Adds the following provisions to the House-passed version:

(1) Expands the list of health care professionals whose mental health services must be covered by certain health insurance policies by including independent marriage and family therapists, independent chemical dependency counselors, and certified nurse practitioners.

(2) Expands the list of mental health professionals whose alcoholism services must be covered by a policy of group sickness and accident insurance by including licensed professional clinical counselors, licensed professional counselors, independent social workers, independent marriage and family therapists, independent chemical dependency counselors, clinical nurse specialists, and certified nurse practitioners.

(3) Updates statutory references to state agencies and national organizations that certify and accredit health facilities and services.