

LEGISLATIVE DIGEST

[Health Code - Patient Rates FYs 2015-2016 and 2016-2017]

Ordinance amending the Health Code to set patient rates and other services provided by the Department of Public Health, effective July 1, 2015, through June 30, 2017.

Existing Law

San Francisco Health Code Section 128 sets forth the amounts to be charged for patient care and other services provided by the Department of Public Health. These rates are effective from July 1, 2014 – June 30, 2016.

Amendments to Current Law

This amendment increases the amounts to be charged for patient care and other services provided by the Department of Public Health.

Background Information

Consistent with the health care industry, the Department of Public Health reviews the rates charged for patient care and other services each year. This amendment will increase the rates for hospital services by ten per cent (10%). Other rates are increased based on increases in actual costs.

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