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An act relating to cataloguing and aligning health care performance measures

It is hereby enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Vermont:

Sec. 1. GREEN MOUNTAIN CARE BOARD; PERFORMANCE

MEASURES

The Green Mountain Care Board, in consultation with the Agency of Human Services, shall survey and catalogue all existing performance measures required of primary care providers in Vermont, including the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services' quality measures. The Board shall develop a plan to align performance measures across programs that impact primary care. The plan's goal shall be to reduce the administrative burden of reporting requirements for providers while balancing the need to have sufficient measures to evaluate quality of and access to care adequately. The Board shall submit the plan to the Senate Committee on Health and Welfare and to the House Committee on Health Care on or before January 15, 2017.

Sec. 2. EFFECTIVE DATE

This act shall take effect on passage.