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Act No. 34 (H.184). Health; mental health

An act relating to evaluation of suicide profiles

This act requires the Secretary of Human Services to present to the Senate Committee on Health and Welfare and to the House Committee on Health Care by January 15, 2018, a summary of the Agency's internal Public Health Suicide Stat process results and any report or analyses completed pursuant to the Agency's participation in the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention's National Violent Death Reporting System grant. It also requires the Secretary to present plans to the Senate Committee on Health and Welfare, the House Committee on Health Care, and the Green Mountain Care Board by January 15, 2019 describing how certain data shall be collected after the expiration of the National Violent Death Reporting System grant. The act requires that by January 15, 2020, the Secretary submit a report to the Senate Committee on Health and Welfare, the House Committee on Health Care, and the Green Mountain Care Board summarizing information from the Agency's final National Violent Death Reporting System analysis and the Agency's recommendations and action plans.

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