

**COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
COMMITTEE ON HEALTH
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
1350 PENNSYLVANIA AVE., N.W., WASHINGTON, D.C. 20004**

**COUNCILMEMBER VINCENT C. GRAY, CHAIRPERSON
THE COMMITTEE ON HEALTH**

ANNOUNCES A PUBLIC HEARING ON

BILL 22-0959, "EAST END HEALTH EQUITY ACT OF 2018"

**BILL 22-0924, "PROGRAM OF ALL-INCLUSIVE FOR THE ELDERLY ESTABLISHMENT
ACT OF 2018"**

BILL 22-0960, "BREAST DENSITY SCREENING AND NOTIFICATION ACT OF 2018"

**BILL 22-0972, "CONVERSION THERAPY FOR CONSUMERS UNDER A
CONSERVATORSHIP OR GUARDIANSHIP AMENDMENT ACT OF 2018"**

**FRIDAY, OCTOBER 26, 2018
10 A.M., ROOM 500, JOHN A. WILSON BUILDING
1350 PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE, N.W.
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20004**

Councilmember Vincent C. Gray, Chairperson of the Committee on Health, announces a Public Hearing on Bill 22-0959, the "East End Health Equity Act Of 2018", Bill 22-0924, the "Program Of All-Inclusive For The Elderly Establishment Act Of 2018", Bill 22-0960, the "Breast Density Screening and Notification Act of 2018", and Bill 22-0972, the "Conversion Therapy for Consumers Under a Conservatorship or Guardianship Amendment Act of 2018". The hearing will be held on Friday, October 26, 2018, at 10 a.m., in Room 500 of the John A. Wilson Building.

Bill 22-0959, the "East End Health Equity Act Of 2018" would exempt certain health care projects of the District of Columbia and District Hospital Partners, LP, doing business as George Washington University Hospital ("GWU Hospital") from the Certificate of Need process to expeditiously move forward with creating a comprehensive, integrated health care system that equitably serves all residents in the District of Columbia.

Bill 22-0924, the "Program Of All-Inclusive For The Elderly Establishment Act Of 2018" would establish a Program of All-Inclusive Care for the Elderly program in the District.

Bill 22-0960, the "Breast Density Screening and Notification Act of 2018" would require health care facilities to notify patients of mammogram results tending to show high breast density, amend the District of Columbia Cancer Prevention Act of 1990 to include certain preventative screening procedures, and amend the Defending Access to Women's Health Care Services Amendment Act of

2000 to require insurers to cover certain health-care services without cost-sharing and to require insurers to provide information regarding coverage to enrollees and potential enrollees.

Bill 22-0972, the “Conversion Therapy for Consumers Under a Conservatorship or Guardianship Amendment Act of 2018” would amend the Mental Health Service Delivery Reform Act of 2001 to prohibit a provider from engaging in sexual orientation change efforts for a consumer for whom a conservator or guardian has been appointed.

The Committee invites the public to testify at the hearing. Those who wish to testify should contact Malcolm Cameron, Committee Legislative Analyst at (202) 654-6179 or mcameron@dccouncil.us, and provide your name, organizational affiliation (if any), and title with the organization, preferably by 5:00 p.m. on Wednesday, October 24, 2018.

Witnesses should bring 15 copies of their written testimony to the hearing. The Committee allows individuals 3 minutes to provide oral testimony in order to permit each witness an opportunity to be heard. Additional written statements are encouraged and will be made part of the official record. Written statements may be submitted by e-mail to mcameron@dccouncil.us or mailed to: Council of the District of Columbia, 1350 Pennsylvania Ave., N.W., Suite 113, Washington D.C. 20004.