

SENATE FILE NO. SF0125

Defining health care and protecting the people's welfare.

Sponsored by: Senator(s) Steinmetz, Dockstader, Hutchings,
Olsen and Pearson and Representative(s)
Haroldson, Heiner, Neiman and Rodriguez-
Williams

A BILL

for

1 AN ACT relating to statutes and rules of construction;
2 providing a definition of health care generally applicable
3 to law; providing findings; specifying exceptions; and
4 providing for contingent effective dates.

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6 *Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Wyoming:*

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8 **Section 1.** W.S. 8-1-110 is created to read:

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10 **8-1-110. Definition of health care; rules of**
11 **construction; purposes.**

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13 For purposes of interpretation and construction under the
14 Wyoming constitution and all statutes of this state,

1 abortion, as defined in W.S. 35-6-122(a)(i), is not health
2 care. For purposes of this section, actions specified in
3 W.S. 35-6-124 shall be construed as health care.

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5 **Section 2.**

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7 (a) This act is effective on the earlier of:

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9 (i) March 12, 2026; or

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11 (ii) The date on which the Wyoming supreme court
12 renders a decision on the constitutionality of the Life is
13 a Human Right Act, W.S. 35-6-120 through 35-6-138. On the
14 date on which the Wyoming supreme court renders a decision
15 in the matter specified in this paragraph, the attorney
16 general shall certify this date to the secretary of state.

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18 (END)