



HB0143

Free speech for health care providers.

Sponsored By: Representative(s) Ottman, McCann and Smith and
Senator(s) Laursen, D

AN ACT relating to health care providers; prohibiting state agencies and boards from discriminating against health care providers based on the providers' speech and expressions; prohibiting state agencies and boards from contracting with or requiring health care providers to be licensed by specified boards and agencies; requiring health care providers to be notified of specified complaints; authorizing causes of action as specified; providing definitions; amending the Wyoming Governmental Claims Act; and providing for an effective date.

2/9/2026 Bill Number Assigned
2/10/2026 H Received for Introduction
2/11/2026 H Introduced and Referred to H10 - Labor 47-13-2-0-0

ROLL CALL

Ayes: Representative(s) Allemand, Andrew, Angelos, Banks, Bear, Brady, Bratten, Brown, G, Brown, L, Campbell, K, Clouston, Connolly, Fornstrom, Geringer, Guggenmos, Haroldson, Heiner, Hoeft, Jarvis, Johnson, Knapp, Larson, Jt, Lawley, Lien, Locke, Lucas, Mccann, Neiman, Ottman, Pendergraft, Riggins, Rodriguez-Williams, Schmid, Singh, Smith, Strock, Styvar, Tarver, Thayer, Washut, Wasserburger, Webb, Webber, Wharff, Williams, Winter, Yin

Nays: Representative(s) Byron, Campbell, E, Chestek, Davis, Erickson, Harshman, Larsen, L, Nicholas, Posey, Provenza, Sherwood, Storer, Wylie

Excused: Representative(s) Filer, Kelly

Ayes 47 **Nays** 13 **Excused** 2 **Absent** 0 **Conflicts** 0

2/19/2026 H10 - Labor:Recommend Do Pass 8-1-0-0-0

ROLL CALL

Ayes: Representative(s) Clouston, Guggenmos, Hoeft, Mccann, Ottman, Rodriguez-Williams, Thayer, Wasserburger

Nays: Representative Yin

Ayes 8 **Nays** 1 **Excused** 0 **Absent** 0 **Conflicts** 0

2/19/2026 H Placed on General File

2/23/2026 H COW:H Did not consider for COW