

HOUSE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE REPORT

Chairman of Committee

February 1, 2018
Date

Committee on Health, Insurance, & Environment.

After consideration on the merits, the Committee recommends the following:

HB18-1086 be amended as follows, and as so amended, be referred to the Committee of the Whole with favorable recommendation:

1 Amend printed bill, page 2, line 12, after the period add "IN ORDER TO
2 OFFER A BACHELOR OF SCIENCE DEGREE IN NURSING PURSUANT TO THIS
3 SUBSECTION (5), A COMMUNITY COLLEGE SHALL FOLLOW AND MEET THE
4 CURRENT NURSING STANDARDS FOR THE STATE OF COLORADO. A
5 COMMUNITY COLLEGE THAT OFFERS A BACHELOR OF SCIENCE DEGREE IN
6 NURSING PURSUANT TO THIS SUBSECTION (5) SHALL SUBMIT AN ANNUAL
7 REPORT TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION THAT INCLUDES THE
8 FOLLOWING INFORMATION:

9 (a) THE NUMBER OF BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN NURSING DEGREES
10 AND THE NUMBER OF ASSOCIATE NURSING DEGREES, IF ANY, AWARDED;

11 (b) THE NUMBER OF NURSING PROGRAM GRADUATES WHO PASSED
12 THE STATE NURSING LICENSURE EXAMINATION; AND

13 (c) THE TOTAL TUITION FOR A STUDENT TO COMPLETE THE
14 COMMUNITY COLLEGE'S BACHELOR OF SCIENCE DEGREE IN NURSING
15 PROGRAM.

16 **SECTION 2.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 23-1-113.7, **add** (6)
17 as follows:

18 **23-1-113.7. Commission directive - nursing programs -**
19 **employer-based gift and scholarship fund - legislative declaration -**
20 **reporting requirement.** (6) EACH STATE-SUPPORTED INSTITUTION OF
21 HIGHER EDUCATION THAT OFFERS A BACHELOR OF SCIENCE DEGREE IN
22 NURSING SHALL SUBMIT AN ANNUAL REPORT TO THE DEPARTMENT OF
23 HIGHER EDUCATION THAT INCLUDES THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION:

24 (a) THE NUMBER OF BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN NURSING DEGREES

- 1 AND THE NUMBER OF ASSOCIATE NURSING DEGREES, IF ANY, AWARDED;
2 (b) THE NUMBER OF NURSING PROGRAM GRADUATES WHO PASSED
3 THE STATE NURSING LICENSURE EXAMINATION; AND
4 (c) THE TOTAL TUITION FOR A STUDENT TO COMPLETE THE
5 STATE-SUPPORTED INSTITUTION OF HIGHER EDUCATION'S BACHELOR OF
6 SCIENCE DEGREE IN NURSING PROGRAM."
- 7 Renumber succeeding section accordingly.

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