

OFFICE OF LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH
PUBLIC ACT SUMMARY



PA 21-134—sSB 102
Public Health Committee

**AN ACT CONCERNING THE CERTIFICATION OF MENTAL HEALTH
FIRST AID TRAINING PROGRAMS**

SUMMARY: Prior law required applicants for paramedic licensure to have successfully completed mental health first aid training provided by a National Council for Behavioral Health-certified instructor. This act additionally allows applicants to have completed this training provided by other organizations with substantially similar certification requirements, as determined by the public health commissioner.

EFFECTIVE DATE: Upon passage