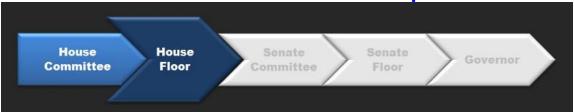


Information Alert - House Health and Welfare Committee
Supports the Exemption of Self-Direction from
Medication Administration Requirements



Thanks to all who participated in our latest action alert! The House Health and Welfare Committee has voted to pass HB 185 by Rep. Kenny Havard that would exempt direct support professionals (DSP) working for waiver recipients in self-direction from the rigorous training currently required of all DSPs to administer any medication and perform non-complex medical tasks.

The bill will now move to the Whole House for their review and vote.

## **Any Questions?**

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