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# A Bill

SENATE BILL 984

By: Senator D. Sanders

## For An Act To Be Entitled

AN ACT TO PROHIBIT SEX OFFENDERS FROM PROVIDING  
SERVICES THROUGH THE ARKANSAS MEDICAID PROGRAM; AND  
FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

### Subtitle

TO PROHIBIT SEX OFFENDERS FROM PROVIDING  
SERVICES THROUGH THE ARKANSAS MEDICAID  
PROGRAM.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 12-12-913(a), concerning disclosure of registration records of sex offenders, is amended to add an additional subdivision to read as follows:

(3) Registration records shall be open to the Division of Medical Services of the Department of Human Services for Medicaid provider applicants under § 12-12-925.

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code Title 12, Chapter 12, Subchapter 9, is amended to add an additional section to read as follows:

12-12-925. Medicaid services by sex offender prohibited.

If a court has entered an order requiring a person to register as a sex offender or if the person is listed in the Federal Bureau of Investigation's National Sex Offender Registry, the United States Department of Justice Dru Sjodin National Sex Offender Public Website, or both, the person shall not provide goods or services under the Arkansas Medicaid Program.

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