

Stricken language would be deleted from and underlined language would be added to present law.

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A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1819

By: Representative L. Johnson

For An Act To Be Entitled

AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE STATE REGISTRAR OF VITAL RECORDS TO COORDINATE WITH THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES TO CONTACT MOTHERS FOR SUPPORT AND ASSISTANCE DURING THE POSTPARTUM PERIOD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Subtitle

TO REQUIRE THE STATE REGISTRAR OF VITAL RECORDS TO COORDINATE WITH THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES TO CONTACT MOTHERS FOR SUPPORT AND ASSISTANCE DURING THE POSTPARTUM PERIOD.

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

SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 20-18-203(b), concerning the State Registrar of Vital Records, is amended to add an additional subdivision to read as follows:

(6) The state registrar shall coordinate with the University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences to contact mothers of infants registering for a certificate of birth in this state to provide the mothers with support and assistance during the postpartum period.

