

RÉSUMÉ DIGEST

ACT 77 (HB 314)

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Prior law authorized the La. Dept. of Health (LDH) to promulgate rules to establish minimum standards for the operation and maintenance of hospitals including establishing classifications of different types of hospitals.

Prior law prohibited LDH from promulgating a rule to require a rural hospital to maintain a healthcare professional with credentials to administer obstetric anesthesia on-call 24 hours a day, seven days a week in order for the hospital to qualify for Level III, neonatal, or obstetric medical services.

New law repeals prior law.

Effective January 1, 2026.

(Amends R.S. 40:2109(B)(6))