

1 AN ACT concerning health.

2 **Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,**  
3 **represented in the General Assembly:**

4 Section 5. The University of Illinois Hospital Act is  
5 amended by adding Section 8b as follows:

6 (110 ILCS 330/8b new)

7 Sec. 8b. Instruments for taking a pregnant woman's blood  
8 pressure. The University of Illinois Hospital shall ensure that  
9 it has the proper instruments available for taking a pregnant  
10 woman's blood pressure. The Department of Public Health shall  
11 adopt rules for the implementation of this Section.

12 Section 10. The Hospital Licensing Act is amended by adding  
13 Section 11.1a as follows:

14 (210 ILCS 85/11.1a new)

15 Sec. 11.1a. Instruments for taking a pregnant woman's blood  
16 pressure. Every hospital shall ensure that it has the proper  
17 instruments available for taking a pregnant woman's blood  
18 pressure. The Department shall adopt rules for the  
19 implementation of this Section.