

1 AN ACT relating to healthcare.

2 *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky:*

3 ➔SECTION 1. A NEW SECTION OF KRS CHAPTER 216 IS CREATED TO  
4 READ AS FOLLOWS:

5 *(1) Unless otherwise required by law, a health facility as defined in KRS 216B.015,*  
6 *or a health care provider enrolled in the Kentucky Medicaid program, may*  
7 *submit a current or prospective employee to a check of the:*

8 *(a) Child abuse and neglect; or*

9 *(b) Adult abuse;*

10 *registries maintained by the Cabinet for Health and Family Services.*

11 *(2) The Cabinet for Health and Family Services shall promulgate administrative*  
12 *regulations in accordance with KRS Chapter 13A as necessary to implement this*  
13 *section.*