

SENATE BILL 1010

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By: **Senator Hershey**

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CHAPTER _____

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Maryland Health Care Commission – Assessment of Services at the University of**
3 **Maryland Shore Medical Center in Chestertown**

4 FOR the purpose of requiring the Maryland Health Care Commission, in conjunction with
5 the Office of Health Care Quality, to conduct a certain assessment of services
6 provided at the University of Maryland Shore Medical Center in Chestertown;
7 specifying the requirements of the assessment; requiring the Commission to report,
8 on or before a certain date, to the General Assembly on the findings of the
9 assessment; and generally relating to an assessment of services at the University of
10 Maryland Shore Medical Center in Chestertown.

11 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND,
12 That:

13 (a) The Maryland Health Care Commission, in conjunction with the Office of
14 Health Care Quality, shall conduct an assessment of the types, quality, and level of services
15 provided at the University of Maryland Shore Medical Center in Chestertown.

16 (b) The assessment under subsection (a) of this section shall, at a minimum:

17 (1) compare the services currently provided to the services provided in
18 fiscal 2015; and

19 (2) identify whether, on or after July 1, 2015, any services from the

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.

Underlining indicates amendments to bill.

~~Strike out~~ indicates matter stricken from the bill by amendment or deleted from the law by amendment.



1 University of Maryland Shore Medical Center in Chestertown were reduced or transferred
2 to the University of Maryland Shore Medical Center in Easton.

3 (c) On or before January 1, 2020, the Maryland Health Care Commission shall
4 report to the General Assembly, in accordance with § 2-1246 of the State Government
5 Article, the findings of the assessment required under subsection (a) of this section.

6 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July
7 1, 2019.

Approved:

Governor.

President of the Senate.

Speaker of the House of Delegates.