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**Committee:** Senate Finance Committee

**Bill:** House Bill 882 – Consumer Health Information -Termination Date and Mandatory Funding for the State’s Consumer Health Information Hub - Repeal

**Hearing Date:** March 20, 2026

**Position:** Support

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The Maryland Affiliate of the American College of Nurse Midwives (ACNM) supports *House Bill 882 – Consumer Health Information -Termination Date and Mandatory Funding for the State’s Consumer Health Information Hub – Repeal*. The bill makes a permanent designation of the University of Maryland Herschel S. Horowitz Center for Health Literacy as the Maryland’s Consumer Health Information Hub. The Hub advances consumer health literacy in Maryland by providing technical support to state and local agencies. If Maryland can increase consumer health literacy, we will improve the health outcomes of individuals as well as advance population health goals.

We ask for a favorable report. If we can provide any further information, please contact Robyn Elliott at [relliott@policypartners.net](mailto:relliott@policypartners.net) or (443) 926-3443.