

RESOLUTION 60 – 06A

Title: Public Health Ramifications of Housing Clinics in Food Stores

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House Action:

Whereas, there is a movement on the part of national retail chains, which sell food, to have urgent and/or nurse practitioner-based “primary” care, and

Whereas, people who patronize urgent care, and other primary type care sites are often ill with infectious diseases, and

Whereas, there are obvious health risks to housing health clinics in stores, which also sell food, be they grocery stores, super stores or pharmacies, which dispense foodstuffs; therefore be it

RESOLVED: That MSMS enter into discussions with the Michigan Department of Community Health and other necessary parties to develop guidelines under the Michigan Public Health Code for clinic facilities housed in retail and other locations, which also dispense foods.

WAYS AND MEANS COMMITTEE FISCAL NOTE: NONE