

# State of South Dakota

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## HOUSE BILL NO. 1241

Introduced by: Representatives Brown (Jarvis), Bartling, Broderick, Davis, Hargens, McCaulley, Murschel, Peterson (Jim), Van Etten, and Van Gerpen and Senators Drake, Moore, and Putnam

1 FOR AN ACT ENTITLED, An Act to provide a time limit for filing an application for county  
2 welfare assistance for hospital expenses by or on behalf of a medically indigent person.

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA:

4 Section 1. That § 28-13-32.3 be amended to read as follows:

5 28-13-32.3. To receive assistance under this chapter for the costs of hospitalization, a person  
6 must be medically indigent as defined in § 28-13-1.3. The person or someone acting on behalf  
7 of the person shall apply to the person's county of residence for assistance within one year of the  
8 date of the hospital's discharge of the person.

