



# Board of Commissioners of Cook County

118 North Clark Street  
Chicago, IL

## Legislation Text

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### **PROPOSED RESOLUTION**

#### **CALLING FOR A MEETING OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE TO ADDRESS BILLING AND COLLECTION PRACTICES AT THE COOK COUNTY HEALTH AND HOSPITALS SYSTEM**

**WHEREAS**, the Cook County Health and Hospitals System (CCHHS) sees more than 300,000 patients annually, and

**WHEREAS**, many of those patients are insured, but CCHHS does most of the area's charity care for which it receives no compensation, and

**WHEREAS**, the billing and collections practices at CCHHS should be reviewed to ensure that County taxpayers are receiving maximum benefit for the funding the County provides CCHHS, and

**WHEREAS**, CCHHS administration shall appear before the Finance Committee to better clarify the state of the billing and collections practices within CCHHS.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the President and Board of Commissioners that the Finance Committee shall meet for the purposes of reviewing the billing and collections practices at the Cook County Health and Hospitals System.