

ONE HUNDREDTH LEGISLATURE  
SECOND SESSION  
LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION 221

Introduced by Fulton, 29.

PURPOSE: To examine the implementation of a statewide stroke registry to monitor, evaluate, and provide guidance to health care quality improvement efforts for the evaluation, diagnosis, and treatment of acute strokes in hospitals statewide. The study shall include, but not be limited to, examination of:

(1) The costs associated with implementation and federal funding opportunities through the Cardiovascular Health Program of the Department of Health and Human Services;

(2) Opportunities for public and private partnership in the recording of data and dissemination of information;

(3) The ability to diagnose and treat acute strokes in Nebraska hospitals;

(4) The development and maintenance of a secure data system capable of accurate collection and storage of acute stroke information;

(5) The methods for case identification and the core data elements to be collected for cases of acute stroke and transient ischemic attack; and

(6) The best methods for transmitting the information to the hospitals and public in a timely and appropriate manner.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MEMBERS OF THE ONE

## HUNDREDTH LEGISLATURE OF NEBRASKA, SECOND SESSION:

1. That the Health and Human Services Committee of the Legislature shall be designated to conduct an interim study to carry out the purposes of this resolution.

2. That the committee shall upon the conclusion of its study make a report of its findings, together with its recommendations, to the Legislative Council or Legislature.