

House Bill 977

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A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
AN ACT

1 To amend Article 1 of Chapter 5 of Title 49 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated,
2 relating to children and youth services, so as to require all employees of group day-care
3 homes and day-care centers to receive training in first aid and cardiopulmonary resuscitation;
4 to provide for related matters; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

6 **SECTION 1.**

7 Article 1 of Chapter 5 of Title 49 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to
8 children and youth services, is amended by striking paragraph (7) of subsection (b) of Code
9 Section 49-5-12, relating to licensing and inspection of child welfare agencies and child care
10 facilities, standards, revocation or refusal of license, penalties, and violations, and inserting
11 in its place the following:

12 "(7) Persons who operate group day-care homes and day-care centers shall be required
13 to post in a conspicuous place next to any telephone in a group day-care home or day-care
14 center the telephone numbers of the nearest or applicable providers of emergency
15 medical, police, and fire services. Every employee of a group day-care home or day-care
16 center having caregiver responsibilities shall receive training in first aid and
17 cardiopulmonary resuscitation."

18 **SECTION 2.**

19 All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed.