

# HOUSE BILL NO. 1861

## 101ST GENERAL ASSEMBLY

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INTRODUCED BY REPRESENTATIVE EGGLESTON.

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DANA RADEMAN MILLER, Chief Clerk

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### AN ACT

To amend chapter 194, RSMo, by adding thereto one new section relating to COVID-19 vaccination status.

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*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the state of Missouri, as follows:*

Section A. Chapter 194, RSMo, is amended by adding thereto one new section, to be known as section 194.321, to read as follows:

**194.321. 1. For purposes of this section, the following terms mean:**

(1) "COVID-19 vaccination status", an indication of whether a person has received a vaccination against COVID-19;

(2) "Hospital", the same meaning given to the term in section 197.020;

(3) "Procurement organization", the same meaning given to the term in section 194.210.

2. No hospital, physician, procurement organization, or other person shall consider the COVID-19 vaccination status of a potential organ transplant recipient or potential organ donor in any part of the organ transplant process including, but not limited to:

(1) The referral of a patient to be considered for a transplant;

(2) The evaluation of a patient for a transplant;

(3) The consideration of a patient for placement on a waiting list;

(4) A patient's particular position on a waiting list; and

(5) The evaluation of a potential donor to determine his or her suitability as an organ donor.

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EXPLANATION — Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets [thus] in the above bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted from the law. Matter in bold-face type in the above bill is proposed language.