

LD2082 • Maine

An Act to Regulate the Use of Artificial Intelligence in Providing Certain Mental Health Services

Passed Both Chambers

Risk: Medium

Sector-Specific

Last Action (Apr 08, 2026): PASSED TO BE ENACTED, in concurrence.

Summary

LD2082 regulates AI in mental health services in Maine. The bill mandates transparency, data privacy, and ethical standards for AI applications.

Business Impact

If you use AI in mental health services, comply with new regulations or face legal consequences.

Key Provisions

- AI systems must adhere to transparency standards, informing patients of AI involvement.
- Strict data privacy measures are required to protect patient information.
- Ethical standards are set to prevent misuse and ensure AI enhances human judgment.

Compliance Checklist

- Ensure informed consent is obtained from patients before using AI. | Who: Mental health service providers | Penalty: Potential fines or sanctions for non-compliance
- Adhere to ethical guidelines for AI applications in therapy. | Who: Mental health service providers | Penalty: Potential fines or sanctions for non-compliance

Industries Affected

Mental Health Services

Technology

Healthcare

Topics

AI Healthcare

Comprehensive AI

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Amendments

- House: C-A (H-980) — 0000-00-00 (Adopted)

Related Bills

- LD 2082 (ME)

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