

**PUBLIC HEALTH CODE (EXCERPT)**  
**Act 368 of 1978**

**333.20722 Limitations on departmental requirements.**

Sec. 20722.

(1) The department shall not require a freestanding birth center to do any of the following:

(a) Maintain a collaborative agreement with another health facility or agency or with a health care provider who is not employed by or under contract with a freestanding birth center.

(b) Provide care other than midwifery care.

(2) Subsection (1) does not limit a freestanding birth center from maintaining a collaborative agreement or providing care other than midwifery care as described under subsection (1).

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