

1 Page 2-line 5 After "35-2-911" insert ", including
2 critical access hospitals that meet the
3 requirements of the federal Centers for
4 Medicare and Medicaid Services to be
5 designated as a critical access hospital,".
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7 Page 4-line 22 After "section." insert "The department
8 shall coordinate distributions from the
9 uncompensated charity care account to assure
10 that, in any calendar year, two-thirds (2/3)
11 of distributions shall be to critical access
12 hospitals that meet the requirements of the
13 federal Centers for Medicare and Medicaid
14 Services to be designated as a critical
15 access hospital and one-third (1/3) of
16 distributions shall be to prospective
17 payment system acute care hospitals."
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