

**IC 16-28-6**

**Chapter 6. Emergency Relocations of Patients**

**IC 16-28-6-1**

**Relocation orders**

Sec. 1. In an emergency, the director may, with the approval of the commissioner, order the relocation of a patient from a health facility under IC 4-21.5-4.

*As added by P.L.2-1993, SEC.11.*

**IC 16-28-6-2**

**Relocation rules**

Sec. 2. The state department shall adopt rules governing the emergency relocation of patients that provide for the following:

(1) Notice to the patient, the patient's next of kin, guardian, and physician of the emergency transfer and the reasons for the relocation.

(2) Protections designed to ensure the welfare and desires of the patient.

*As added by P.L.2-1993, SEC.11. Amended by P.L.156-2011, SEC.26; P.L.197-2011, SEC.68.*