

## **Treatment Facility Deemed Status License Renewal; HB 2106**

**HB 2106** authorizes the Secretary for Aging and Disability Services (Secretary) to grant a treatment facility licensed by the Secretary under the Alcohol or Other Drug Addiction Treatment Act and also accredited by the Commission on Accreditation of Rehabilitation Services, The Joint Commission, the Council on Accreditation, or another national accrediting body approved by the Kansas Department for Aging and Disability Services (KDADS), a license renewal based on such accreditation, referred to as “deemed status.” An accredited treatment facility that loses accreditation is required to notify KDADS immediately.

Additionally, the bill requires KDADS to inspect an accredited treatment facility to determine compliance with state licensing standards and rules and regulations not covered by the accrediting entity’s standards, or inspect and investigate in response to a complaint made against the accredited treatment facility.