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## Overview

This bill allows orientation for home care provider staff and supervisors and training for home care provider staff to include training on providing services to clients with hearing loss.

### Section

- 1** **Content.** Amends § 144A.4796, subdivision 2. Amends a subdivision specifying orientation content for home care provider staff and supervisors to allow orientation to also contain training on serving clients with hearing loss. Requires the training to be high quality and research-based, requires the training to address one or more of the listed topics, and allows the training to be conducted online. This section is effective January 1, 2018.
- 2** **Required annual training.** Amends § 144A.4796, subdivision 6. Amends a subdivision specifying annual training content for home care provider staff to allow the training to also contain training on serving clients with hearing loss. Requires the training to be high quality and research-based, requires the training to address one or more of the listed topics, and allows the training to be conducted online. This section is effective January 1, 2018.