

**Committee on Public Health  
Bill Summary**

**Bill No.** H2457  
**Title:** *An Act relative to fentanyl testing*  
**Sponsor:** Representative Bradley H. Jones, Jr.  
**Committee:** Public Health  
**Hearing Date:** June 11, 2025  
**Similar Matters:** None  
**Prior History:** New file  
**Reporting Deadline:** August 10, 2025

**Current Law:**

- **M.G.L. Chapter 111** pertains to public health.

**Summary:**

This bill introduces a new section to MGL Chapter 111, Section 245. It mandates that hospitals conducting urine drug screenings for diagnostic purposes must include fentanyl testing in these screenings. Additionally, the Department of Public Health (DPH) is required to establish regulations to implement the testing requirements set forth in this bill.