## HB 1660 -- COVENANTS NOT TO COMPETE

SPONSOR: Frederick

This bill prohibits the enforcement of a covenant not to compete if it is ancillary to or part of an otherwise enforceable agreement with a nonprofit hospital in Missouri. A covenant not to compete must not deny a physician access to a list of his or her patients whom the physician has treated within one year of termination of employment; must provide access to the medical records of the physician's patients; must provide that any access to a list of patients or patients' records must be provided in the format that such records are maintained; and must permit the physician to provide continuing care and treatment to a specific patient or patients during the course of an acute illness.