

HOUSE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE REPORT

March 15, 2022

Chair of Committee

Date

Committee on Public & Behavioral Health & Human Services.

After consideration on the merits, the Committee recommends the following:

HB22-1267 be amended as follows, and as so amended, be referred to the Committee on Appropriations with favorable recommendation:

1 Amend printed bill, page 2, strike lines 10 through 12 and substitute:

2 "(b) "PRIORITY POPULATIONS" MEANS PEOPLE EXPERIENCING
3 HOMELESSNESS; PEOPLE INVOLVED WITH THE CRIMINAL JUSTICE SYSTEM;
4 PEOPLE OF COLOR; AMERICAN INDIANS AND ALASKA NATIVES; VETERANS;
5 PEOPLE WHO ARE LESBIAN, GAY, BISEXUAL, TRANSGENDER, QUEER, OR
6 QUESTIONING; OLDER ADULTS; CHILDREN AND FAMILIES; AND PEOPLE WITH
7 DISABILITIES, INCLUDING PEOPLE WHO ARE DEAF AND HARD OF HEARING,
8 PEOPLE WHO ARE BLIND AND DEAFBLIND, PEOPLE WITH BRAIN INJURIES,
9 PEOPLE WITH INTELLECTUAL AND DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES, AND
10 PEOPLE WITH OTHER CO-OCCURRING DISABILITIES."

11 Page 3, line 7 after "ENTITIES" insert "AND STATEWIDE ASSOCIATIONS OF
12 HEALTH-CARE PROVIDERS".

13 Page 3, line 13, after "ENTITIES" insert "AND STATEWIDE ASSOCIATIONS OF
14 HEALTH-CARE PROVIDERS".

15 Page 3, line 20, after "ENTITY" insert "AND STATEWIDE ASSOCIATIONS OF
16 HEALTH-CARE PROVIDERS".

17 Page 3, line 23, after "UNDERSTANDABLE," insert "SAFE, QUALITY,".

18 Page 4, strike lines 5 and 6 and substitute "FOR PRIORITY POPULATIONS;
19 AND".