

HOUSE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE REPORT

Chair of Committee

Date

April 12, 2019

Committee on Public Health Care & Human Services.

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

HB19-1308 be amended as follows, and as so amended, be referred to the Committee on Appropriations with favorable recommendation:

- 1 Amend printed bill, page 3, line 3, strike "PLAN." and substitute "PLAN,
- 2 AND SUBJECT TO AVAILABLE GENERAL FUND APPROPRIATIONS OR FEDERAL
- 3 FUNDING."

- 4 Page 3, strike line 11.

- 5 Page 3, line 13, strike "AND".

- 6 Page 3, line 14, strike "PROGRAMS IN ORDER" and substitute "PROGRAMS,
- 7 AND OTHER PROGRAMS ELIGIBLE FOR REIMBURSEMENT UNDER THE
- 8 FEDERAL "FAMILY FIRST PREVENTION SERVICES ACT" THAT ARE
- 9 TRAUMA-INFORMED, PROMISING, SUPPORTED OR WELL-SUPPORTED, AND
- 10 PROVIDED".

- 11 Page 3, line 19, strike "DISTURBANCES," and substitute "DISTURBANCES
- 12 THAT DOCUMENTS HOW PARENTS AND FAMILY ARE INTEGRATED INTO
- 13 TREATMENT FOR A CHILD OR YOUTH WITH POST-DISCHARGE PLANNING, IF
- 14 SUCH OUTREACH AND PARTICIPATION IS IN THE CHILD'S OR YOUTH'S BEST
- 15 INTEREST,".

- 16 Page 3, lines 23 and 24, strike "AND INCLUDES SERVICES THAT ARE
- 17 PROVIDED".

- 18 Page 5, after line 5 insert:

1 **"SECTION 2.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 19-1-102, **add** (1.9)
2 as follows:

3 **19-1-102. Legislative declaration.** (1.9) THE FEDERAL "FAMILY
4 FIRST PREVENTION SERVICES ACT" WAS ENACTED ON FEBRUARY 9, 2018.
5 IN ORDER TO COMPLY WITH THE PROVISIONS OF THE FEDERAL "FAMILY
6 FIRST PREVENTION SERVICES ACT", THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FINDS THAT
7 IT IS NECESSARY TO UPDATE CURRENT STATUTES TO ENABLE COLORADO
8 TO PROVIDE ENHANCED SUPPORT TO CHILDREN, YOUTH, AND THEIR
9 FAMILIES IN ORDER TO PREVENT FOSTER CARE PLACEMENTS. THE STATE
10 DEPARTMENT SHALL IMPLEMENT THE UPDATED PROVISIONS IN SECTIONS
11 19-1-103, 19-1-115, 19-3-208, AND 19-3-308 UTILIZING FOSTER CARE
12 PREVENTION SERVICES AND QUALIFIED RESIDENTIAL TREATMENT
13 PROGRAMS WHEN THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT APPROVES COLORADO'S
14 FIVE-YEAR TITLE IV-E PREVENTION PLAN, AND SUBJECT TO AVAILABLE
15 GENERAL FUND APPROPRIATIONS OR FEDERAL FUNDING."

16 Renumber succeeding sections accordingly.

17 Page 5, strike line 11.

18 Page 5, line 13, strike "AND".

19 Page 5, line 14, strike "SERVICES" and substitute "PROGRAMS, AND OTHER
20 PROGRAMS ELIGIBLE FOR REIMBURSEMENT UNDER THE FEDERAL "FAMILY
21 FIRST PREVENTION SERVICES ACT" THAT ARE TRAUMA-INFORMED,
22 PROMISING, SUPPORTED OR WELL-SUPPORTED, AND".

23 Page 5, line 22, strike "DISTURBANCES," and substitute "DISTURBANCES
24 THAT DOCUMENTS HOW PARENTS AND FAMILY ARE INTEGRATED INTO
25 TREATMENT FOR A CHILD OR YOUTH WITH POST-DISCHARGE PLANNING, IF
26 SUCH OUTREACH AND PARTICIPATION IS IN THE CHILD'S OR YOUTH'S BEST
27 INTEREST,".

28 Page 5, lines 26 and 27, strike "AND INCLUDES SERVICES THAT ARE
29 PROVIDED".

30 Page 6, lines 10 and 11, strike "IF THERE IS NO OBJECTION FROM ANY
31 PARTY,".

32 Page 6, line 12, strike "OR" and substitute "OR, IF THERE IS NO
33 OBJECTION,".

- 1 Page 6, line 23, strike "GOALS" and substitute "GOALS, INCLUDING
2 MENTAL, BEHAVIORAL, AND PHYSICAL HEALTH GOALS,".
- 3 Page 7, line 13, strike "PLAN." and substitute "PLAN;".
- 4 Page 7, line 16, strike "SERVICES." and substitute "SERVICES; AND".
- 5 Page 9, strike lines 19 and 20 and substitute:
6 "(cc) FOSTER CARE PREVENTION SERVICES, AS DEFINED IN SECTION
7 26-5.4-102 (1) AND AUTHORIZED PURSUANT TO THE FEDERAL "FAMILY
8 FIRST PREVENTION SERVICES ACT.".
- 9 Page 9, line 22, strike "portion;" and substitute "portion and (3)(n);"
- 10 Page 10, after line 2 insert:
11 "(n) Services described in section 19-3-208; ~~C.R.S.~~; and".
- 12 Page 10, line 25, strike "DISTURBANCES," and substitute "DISTURBANCES
13 THAT DOCUMENTS HOW PARENTS AND FAMILY ARE INTEGRATED INTO
14 TREATMENT FOR A CHILD OR YOUTH WITH POST-DISCHARGE PLANNING, IF
15 SUCH OUTREACH AND PARTICIPATION IS IN THE CHILD'S OR YOUTH'S BEST
16 INTEREST,".
- 17 Page 11, strike lines 12 through 27.
- 18 Page 12, strike lines 1 through 3 and substitute:
19 "**SECTION 12.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, **add** 27-66-110 as
20 follows:
21 **27-66-110. Trauma-informed care standards of approval.** THE
22 OFFICE OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SHALL ESTABLISH CARE STANDARDS AND
23 AN APPROVAL PROCESS THAT A QUALIFIED RESIDENTIAL TREATMENT
24 PROGRAM, AS DEFINED IN SECTION 26-6-102 (30.5), MUST MEET TO ENSURE
25 THAT QUALIFIED RESIDENTIAL TREATMENT PROGRAMS HAVE A
26 TRAUMA-INFORMED TREATMENT MODEL THAT ADDRESSES THE NEEDS OF
27 CHILDREN AND YOUTH WITH SERIOUS EMOTIONAL OR BEHAVIORAL HEALTH
28 DISORDERS OR DISTURBANCES.".

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