

HOUSE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE AMENDMENT

Committee on Health & Human Services.

HB25-1097 be amended as follows:

- 1 Amend printed bill, page 3, strike line 14 and substitute "CHILD.".
- 2 Page 3, strike lines 18 through 27 and substitute "FROM ONE PLACEMENT TO ANOTHER AND THAT COUNTY DEPARTMENTS WILL USE TO DEVELOP INDIVIDUALIZED PLACEMENT TRANSITION PLANS. AN INDIVIDUALIZED PLACEMENT TRANSITION PLAN MUST PRIORITIZE THE MENTAL, EMOTIONAL, AND PHYSICAL NEEDS OF THE CHILD WHILE CONSIDERING THE NEEDS OF".
- 7 Page 4, line 1, strike "PROVIDERS." and substitute "PROVIDERS, AS THE NEEDS OF THE PARENTS, CURRENT PROVIDERS, AND FUTURE PROVIDERS RELATE TO THE CARE OF THE CHILD.".
- 10 Page 4, line 2, strike "A" and substitute "ABSENT AN EMERGENCY PLACEMENT CHANGE, A" and after "DEPARTMENT" insert "CHILD WELFARE".
- 13 Page 4, line 3, strike "INDIVIDUAL" and substitute "INDIVIDUALIZED".
- 14 Page 4, line 6, after "HOME." add "THE COUNTY DEPARTMENT CHILD WELFARE CASEWORKER SHALL DOCUMENT THE INDIVIDUALIZED PLACEMENT TRANSITION PLAN IN THE STATE AUTOMATED CASE MANAGEMENT SYSTEM.".
- 18 Page 4, after line 6 insert:
  - 19 "(II) THE INDIVIDUALIZED PLACEMENT TRANSITION PLAN MUST BE DEVELOPED IN A MEETING WITH ALL PARTIES TO THE CASE, THE CURRENT AND PROSPECTIVE PROVIDERS, AND THE CHILD IF IT IS APPROPRIATE TO THE CHILD'S AGE OR DEVELOPMENTAL LEVEL. IF A PARTY OR PROVIDER DOES NOT AGREE TO PARTICIPATE IN THE MEETING, THE PARTY OR PROVIDER WAIVES THEIR RIGHT TO WEIGH IN ON THE PLACEMENT TRANSITION PLAN. IF ALL PARTIES AND PROVIDERS AGREE THAT A MEETING IS NOT REQUIRED, THE MEETING MAY BE WAIVED.
  - 27 "(III) IF A SIBLING GROUP IS MOVED FROM A PLACEMENT TOGETHER, THE COUNTY DEPARTMENT CHILD WELFARE CASEWORKER MAY DEVELOP ONE INDIVIDUALIZED PLACEMENT TRANSITION PLAN FOR THE SIBLING GROUP AS LONG AS THE PLAN TAKES INTO ACCOUNT THE INDIVIDUALIZED NEEDS OF EACH CHILD.".
- 32 Rerumber succeeding subparagraph accordingly.

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