
A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF HAWAII:

1 SECTION 1. (a) There is established a working group to
2 review issues relating to the transition of oversight of home
3 and community-based facilities from the department of human
4 services to the department of health, including services offered
5 by or issues related to:

- 6 (1) Community care foster family homes;
7 (2) Adult residential care homes;
8 (3) Adult day care centers;
9 (4) Caregivers of persons with developmental or
10 intellectual disabilities;
11 (5) Adult foster homes;
12 (6) Licensed case management agencies; and
13 (7) Fees, rules, and regulations that affect all of these
14 care setting providers.

15 (b) The working group shall be convened by the chairs of
16 the house of representatives and senate committees on human
17 services. The working group shall consist of:



- 1 (1) The chairs of the house of representatives and senate
2 committees on human services, who shall serve as co-
3 chairs;
- 4 (2) One representative from the department of human
5 services;
- 6 (3) One representative from the department of health;
- 7 (4) Four representatives of community care foster family
8 homes, of which two representatives shall be appointed
9 by the senate president and two representatives shall
10 be appointed by the speaker of the house of
11 representatives;
- 12 (5) Four representatives of adult residential care homes,
13 of which two representatives shall be appointed by the
14 senate president and two representatives shall be
15 appointed by the speaker of the house of
16 representatives;
- 17 (6) Two representatives from adult day care centers, of
18 which one representative shall be appointed by the
19 senate president and one representative shall be
20 appointed by the speaker of the house of
21 representatives;



1 (7) Two representatives of developmental disabilities
2 domiciliary homes, of which one representative shall
3 be appointed by the senate president and one
4 representative shall be appointed by the speaker of
5 the house of representatives;

6 (8) Two representatives of adult foster homes, of which
7 one representative shall be appointed by the senate
8 president and one representative shall be appointed by
9 the speaker of the house of representatives; and

10 (9) Two representatives of licensed case management
11 agencies, of which one representative shall be
12 appointed by the senate president and one
13 representative shall be appointed by the speaker of
14 the house of representatives.

15 (c) Members shall serve without compensation and shall not
16 be considered state employees based solely upon their
17 participation in the working group.

18 (d) The working group shall submit a written report of its
19 findings and recommendations, including any proposed
20 legislation, to the legislature no later than twenty days prior
21 to the convening of the regular session of 2014.

22 (e) The working group shall terminate on June 30, 2014.



1 SECTION 2. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2013.



Report Title:

Working Group; Transition of Oversight of Home and Community-Based Facilities; Department of Health; Department of Human Services

Description:

Establishes a working group to: (1) review issues relating to the transition of oversight of home and community-based facilities from the Department of Human Services to the Department of Health; and (2) submit a report prior to the 2014 Regular Session. Effective July 1, 2013. (HB398 CD1)

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