
A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO AGING.

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

PART I

SECTION 1. Chapter 349, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is amended by adding a new section to be appropriately designated and to read as follows:

"§349- Alzheimer's disease and related dementia services coordinator. There is established within the executive office on aging an Alzheimer's disease and related dementia services coordinator to coordinate the provision of public and private Alzheimer's disease and related dementia services. The coordinator shall be appointed by the director in accordance with chapters 76 and 89."

SECTION 2. There is appropriated out of the general revenues of the State of Hawaii the sum of \$ or so much thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year 2013-2014 and the same sum or so much thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year 2014-2015 to establish and fill an Alzheimer's disease and related dementia services coordinator position.



1 The sums appropriated shall be expended by the department
2 of health for the purposes of this section.

3 SECTION 3. There is appropriated out of the general
4 revenues of the State of Hawaii the sum of \$ or so much
5 thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year 2013-2014 and the
6 same sum or so much thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year
7 2014-2015 for the kupuna care program; provided that the sums
8 appropriated shall be in addition to the base budget of the
9 executive office on aging.

10 The sums appropriated shall be expended by the department
11 of health for the purposes of this section.

12 SECTION 4. There is appropriated out of the general
13 revenues of the State of Hawaii the sum of \$ or so much
14 thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year 2013-2014 and the
15 same sum or so much thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year
16 2014-2015 for the aging and disability resource center.

17 The sums appropriated shall be expended by the department
18 of health for the purposes of this section.

19 SECTION 5. There is appropriated out of the general
20 revenues of the State of Hawaii the sum of \$ or so much
21 thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year 2013-2014 and the
22 same sum or so much thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year



1 2014-2015 to provide funding for grants, pursuant to chapter
2 42F, Hawaii Revised Statutes, for senior centers and to be
3 distributed as follows:

- 4 (1) Catholic Charities Hawaii for the Lanakila
5 multi-purpose senior center \$;
- 6 (2) Moiliili Community Center for the Moiliili
7 senior center \$; and
- 8 (3) Waikiki Community Center \$.

9 The sums appropriated shall be expended by the department
10 of health for the purposes of this section.

11 SECTION 6. There is appropriated out of the general
12 revenues of the State of Hawaii the sum of \$ or so much
13 thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year 2013-2014 and the
14 same sum or so much thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year
15 2014-2015 for the healthy aging partnership program of the
16 department of health's executive office on aging.

17 The sums appropriated shall be expended by the department
18 of health for the purposes of this section.

19 PART II

20 SECTION 7. The legislature finds that Hawaii's residents,
21 including elders and individuals with disabilities, should be
22 able to live at home with the supports they need so that they



1 can participate in communities that value their contributions.
2 A goal of the executive office on aging is to increase access to
3 community supports and full participation, while focusing
4 attention and resources on the unique needs of older adults and
5 individuals with disabilities. For example, the executive
6 office on aging, in partnership with the county agencies on
7 aging, is transforming Hawaii's home- and community-based
8 services system through the establishment of aging and
9 disability resource centers. This is testimony to their
10 commitment to promote community living and to find new
11 mechanisms to help ensure that the supports that elders and
12 individuals with disabilities need to live in the community are
13 accessible.

14 The legislature also finds that statewide, especially in
15 rural communities, many residents are without family members
16 nearby to provide transportation and are too frail or disabled
17 to access public transit. Transportation services are often
18 fragmented, underutilized, or difficult to navigate, and can be
19 costly because of inconsistent, duplicative, and often
20 restrictive federal and state program rules and regulations.
21 Due to these circumstances, there is a need for a policy on
22 mobility management, a concept in which a single entity in a



1 geographical area is charged with knowing and deploying the
2 entire array of transportation resources available. This system
3 would focus on the individual and identify the best
4 transportation options, both public and private, for an
5 individual's travel needs.

6 The legislature further finds that mobility management
7 services help to maximize the use of intelligent transportation
8 systems and other technology to enhance mobility and create one-
9 call systems that allow greater ease-of-use for customers.
10 Consequently, the legislature believes that a task force is
11 needed to analyze and make recommendations on state-level policy
12 on mobility management.

13 The purpose of this part is to establish a task force on
14 mobility management.

15 SECTION 8. (a) There is established within the department
16 of health a task force on mobility management. The task force
17 shall make recommendations on establishing a transportation
18 framework to assist elders and individuals with disabilities
19 with transportation needs in rural communities, including
20 recommendations relating to the state budget and program
21 development.

22 (b) The task force on mobility management shall consider:



- 1 (1) Developing and establishing a program in which a
2 single entity in a geographical area is charged with
3 administering an array of transportation resources;
- 4 (2) The cost and qualifications of transportation
5 coordinators or operators and the logistics of the
6 arrangements and delivery of transportation services,
7 including cost reimbursements, insurance, and
8 liability; and
- 9 (3) Developing a mobility management master plan for each
10 county to:
- 11 (A) Address the growing demands for transportation
12 services;
- 13 (B) Encourage living at home;
- 14 (C) Improve efficiencies in the use of public and
15 private sector vehicles;
- 16 (D) Use modern technology in the management of
17 transportation services; and
- 18 (E) Include a transportation service component that
19 utilizes the transportation resources of
20 nonprofit organizations that are willing to
21 participate in a vehicle-sharing network to
22 provide on-call transportation services to elders



1 and individuals with disabilities residing in
2 rural communities.

3 (c) The task force shall consist of the following members,
4 or their designees:

5 (1) The director of the executive office on aging, who
6 shall serve as chairperson of the task force;

7 (2) The chairperson of the public utilities commission;

8 (3) The executive director of the disability and
9 communication access board;

10 (4) Two administrators of a federally qualified health
11 center or rural health clinic, of which one
12 representative shall be from a rural community and one
13 representative shall be from an urban community, to be
14 appointed by the director of the executive office on
15 aging;

16 (5) The directors of transportation services from each of
17 the four counties;

18 (6) One member of the house of representatives, to be
19 designated by the speaker of the house of
20 representatives;

21 (7) One member of the senate, to be designated by the
22 president of the senate;



1 (8) One representative from the agency on aging of each of
2 the four counties, to be appointed by the mayor of the
3 respective county; and

4 (9) The director of health.

5 (d) The department of health, through the executive office
6 on aging, shall submit an interim report of the task force's
7 findings and recommendations, including any proposed
8 legislation, to the legislature no later than twenty days prior
9 to the convening of the regular session of 2014, and a final
10 report of the task force's findings and recommendations,
11 including any proposed legislation, to the legislature no later
12 than twenty days prior to the convening of the regular session
13 of 2015.

14 (e) The members of the task force shall not be compensated
15 for their service on the task force but shall be reimbursed for
16 reasonable expenses, including travel expenses, incurred for
17 serving on the task force. No member shall be made subject to
18 chapter 84, Hawaii Revised Statutes, solely because of that
19 member's participation as a member of the task force.

20 (f) The task force shall be dissolved on June 30, 2015.

21 SECTION 9. There is appropriated out of the general
22 revenues of the State of Hawaii the sum of \$ or so much



1 thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year 2013-2014 and the
2 same sum or so much thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year
3 2014-2015 for the staffing, operations, and convening of the
4 task force on mobility management.

5 The sums appropriated shall be expended by the department
6 of health for the purposes of this part.

7 PART III

8 SECTION 10. New statutory material is underscored.

9 SECTION 11. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2050.



Report Title:

Aging; Alzheimer's Disease and Dementia Services Coordinator;
Task Force on Mobility Management; Kupuna Care Program; Aging
and Disability Resource Center; Senior Centers; Healthy Aging
Partnership; Appropriations

Description:

Establishes and funds a position for an Alzheimer's Disease and
Related Dementia Services coordinator. Appropriates funds for
programs and services that support the State's elderly
population. Establishes the Task Force on Mobility Management.
Effective July 1, 2050. (SB106 HD1)

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