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# A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO MEDICAID.

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

1           SECTION 1. Chapter 346, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is  
2 amended by adding a new section to be appropriately designated  
3 and to read as follows:

4           "§346-           Dependent child; medicaid developmental  
5 disability services; alien eligibility. (a) The dependent  
6 child of any active duty military service member who is a  
7 resident of the State, and who has previously received medicaid  
8 developmental disability services in another state, shall be  
9 eligible for the same medicaid developmental disability services  
10 in the State as long the child remains otherwise eligible.

11           (b) Any dependent child who previously received medicaid  
12 developmental disability services while a resident of the State,  
13 and who left the State due to the military assignment of a  
14 parent or guardian who is an active duty military service  
15 member, shall be entitled to medicaid developmental disability  
16 services upon return to the State and proper request for  
17 services demonstrating continued eligibility.



1        (c) If the department of human services has a waiting list  
2 for medicaid developmental disability services, any active duty  
3 military service member, who is a parent or guardian of a  
4 dependent child who does not reside in the State, shall be  
5 authorized to place that dependent child on the department of  
6 human services' waiting list for medicaid developmental  
7 disability services if the dependent child left the State  
8 because the parent or guardian was assigned to military service  
9 out of the State; provided that any dependent child's place on  
10 the waiting list shall be forfeited if the dependent child does  
11 not become a resident of the State within three months of the  
12 parent or guardian's separation or retirement from military  
13 service.

14        (d) For purposes of this section, "medicaid developmental  
15 disability services" shall include waiver services provided by  
16 the home and community-based services programs authorized under  
17 section 1915(c) of the Social Security Act (42 U.S.C. section  
18 1396n(c)) or under any other applicable section or sections of  
19 the Social Security Act for the purposes of providing home and  
20 community-based services."

21        SECTION 2. New statutory material is underscored.



1 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

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**Report Title:**

Medicaid; Developmental Disability Services

**Description:**

Authorizes military personnel to retain medicaid developmental disability services for dependents when moving to or returning to Hawaii.

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