



Bill Number: S.B. 1309

Barto Floor Amendment

Reference to: printed bill

Amendment drafted by: Leg Council

FLOOR AMENDMENT EXPLANATION

1. Extends the date, from July 1, 2023 to October 31, 2023, by which the Department of Economic Security (DES) must provide an annual incident report.
2. Requires the incident report to include:
 - a) the number of incident reports received from group homes in the preceding two years;
 - b) required staff training mandated by the Division of Developmental Disabilities (DDD) after review of the incident report;
 - c) the annual amount the DDD paid the service provider for group home services;
 - d) the number of contract sanctions, broken down by reason;
 - e) the number of service providers from whom the division recouped service payments for Medicaid fraud; and
 - f) the total number of times medication was distributed to clients.
3. Requires the DES incident report to be categorized by severity level;
4. Prohibits the report from identifying the name or location of any group home.
5. Requires the Program designated entity, by January 1, 2023, to monitor group homes that provide services to clients with complex needs to make outlined determinations.
6. Clarifies quality of care complaints are received by the designated entity.
7. Requires DES to ensure quality of care complaints are forward, rather than transferred, to the designated entity for investigations.
8. Requires DES to provide education to service providers on the requirements of the group home monitoring program and the role of the designated entity.

Amendment explanation prepared by Maelinn Chow

BARTO FLOOR AMENDMENT
SENATE AMENDMENTS TO S.B. 1309
(Reference to printed bill)

- 1 Page 1, line 5, strike "JULY 1" insert "OCTOBER 31"
- 2 Line 14, after "REPORTS" insert "THAT WERE RECEIVED FROM GROUP HOMES IN THE
3 PRECEDING TWO YEARS"
- 4 Strike line 15, insert:
5 "(a) CATEGORIZED BY LEVEL OF SEVERITY."
- 6 Line 17, after the period insert "THE REPORT SHALL INCLUDE THE TOTAL NUMBER OF
7 TIMES MEDICATION WAS DISTRIBUTED TO CLIENTS."
- 8 Line 19, after "TRAINING" insert "MANDATED BY THE DIVISION AFTER REVIEW OF THE
9 INCIDENT REPORT"
- 10 Line 21, after "HOME" insert "WITHOUT IDENTIFYING THE SPECIFIC LOCATION OR
11 NAME OF THE HOME"
- 12 Line 25, after "PROVIDER" insert "FOR THE GROUP HOME SERVICES PROVIDED"
- 13 Line 27, after "SANCTION" insert "BROKEN DOWN BY REASON FOR THE SANCTION"
- 14 Line 29, after "YEAR" insert "FOR MEDICAID FRAUD"
- 15 Page 2, line 2, after "FOLLOWING" insert "BEGINNING JANUARY 1, 2023"
- 16 Line 17, after "COMPLAINTS" insert "RECEIVED BY THE DESIGNATED ENTITY PURSUANT
17 TO SUBSECTION C OF THIS SECTION"
- 18 Line 32, after "THAT" insert "COPIES OF"
- 19 Line 33, strike "TRANSFERRED" insert "FORWARDED"

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1 Page 2, between lines 37 and 38, insert:

2 "D. THE DEPARTMENT SHALL PROVIDE EDUCATION TO SERVICE PROVIDERS ON
3 THE REQUIREMENTS OF THE GROUP HOME MONITORING PROGRAM AND THE ROLE OF THE
4 DESIGNATED ENTITY."

5 Reletter to conform

6 Amend title to conform

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