

HOUSE BILL No. 1095

DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

Citations Affected: IC 16-18-2-106.5; IC 16-18-2-277.8; IC 16-35-2-10.

Synopsis: Children's special health care services. Requires the state department of health to extend all care, services, and materials to an individual with a pervasive developmental disorder who meets certain criteria as are provided to children with special health care needs. Defines "pervasive developmental disorder".

Effective: July 1, 1999.

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January 6, 1999, read first time and referred to Committee on Public Health.

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First Regular Session 111th General Assembly (1999)

PRINTING CODE. Amendments: Whenever an existing statute (or a section of the Indiana Constitution) is being amended, the text of the existing provision will appear in this style type, additions will appear in **this style type**, and deletions will appear in ~~this style type~~.

Additions: Whenever a new statutory provision is being enacted (or a new constitutional provision adopted), the text of the new provision will appear in **this style type**. Also, the word **NEW** will appear in that style type in the introductory clause of each SECTION that adds a new provision to the Indiana Code or the Indiana Constitution.

Conflict reconciliation: Text in a statute in *this style type* or ~~this style type~~ reconciles conflicts between statutes enacted by the 1998 General Assembly.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning health.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

1 SECTION 1. IC 16-18-2-106.5 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA
2 CODE AS A **NEW** SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS
3 [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 1999]: **Sec. 106.5. "Eligible medical**
4 **condition" means a condition for which an individual is eligible for**
5 **assistance under IC 16-35-2.**

6 SECTION 2. IC 16-18-2-277.8 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA
7 CODE AS A **NEW** SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS
8 [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 1999]: **Sec. 277.8. "Pervasive developmental**
9 **disorder" means a neurological condition, including Asperger's**
10 **syndrome and autism, as defined in the most recent edition of the**
11 **Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of the American Psychological**
12 **Association.**

13 SECTION 3. IC 16-35-2-10 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE
14 AS A **NEW** SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY
15 1, 1999]: **Sec. 10. (a) An individual with a pervasive developmental**
16 **disorder has an eligible medical condition under this chapter.**

17 **(b) The state department shall extend all care, services, and**



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1 **materials provided under this chapter to an individual described**
2 **in subsection (a) who meets any additional eligibility criteria**
3 **established by the state department under this chapter.**

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