

HOUSE BILL No. 1176

DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

Citations Affected: IC 31-34-19-11.

Synopsis: CHINS dispositional hearing data. Requires the department of child services to prepare a report containing certain information for all cases in which a parent, guardian, or custodian has been ordered to participate in the plan of care for a child.

Effective: July 1, 2023.

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January 10, 2023, read first time and referred to Committee on Family, Children and Human Affairs.



First Regular Session of the 123rd General Assembly (2023)

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 2022 Regular Session of the General Assembly.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning family law and juvenile law.

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

1 SECTION 1. IC 31-34-19-11 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA
2 CODE AS A **NEW** SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS
3 [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2023]: **Sec. 11. (a) This section applies to a**
4 **case in which a parent, guardian, or custodian has been ordered to**
5 **participate in the plan of care for a child in a dispositional decree**
6 **under section 10 of this chapter.**

7 **(b) For a case to which this section applies, the department shall**
8 **prepare a report that contains the following information for each**
9 **state fiscal year, beginning on July 1, 2023:**

10 **(1) The elapsed time between the date a court finds that a**
11 **child is a child in need of services and the date that a**
12 **dispositional hearing is completed under section 1 of this**
13 **chapter.**

14 **(2) The elapsed time between the date the court finds that a**
15 **child is a child in need of services and the date that a**
16 **permanency hearing is completed under IC 31-34-21-7.**

17 **(3) The elapsed time between the date a dispositional decree**



- 1 is entered under section 6 of this chapter and the date of a
2 modification hearing held under IC 31-34-23 to modify
3 services related to the participation by the parent, guardian,
4 or custodian in the plan of care for the child in the
5 dispositional decree.
- 6 (4) The elapsed time between the date the dispositional decree
7 is entered and the date that a parent, guardian, or custodian
8 completes services that are ordered in the dispositional decree
9 or modified decree.
- 10 (5) Any other information that the department believes to be
11 relevant.
- 12 (c) The report may not disclose any personal, identifiable
13 information.
- 14 (d) The department shall submit the report to the legislative
15 council before August 1, 2024, and before August 1 of each year
16 thereafter. The report shall be submitted an electronic format
17 under IC 5-14-6.

