



DIGEST OF SB 2(ss) (Updated July 28, 2022 7:20 pm - DI 104)

Citations Affected: IC 4-12; IC 6-3; IC 12-8.

Synopsis: Fiscal matters. Establishes the Hoosier Families First Fund (fund) to be administered by the budget agency. Appropriates \$45,000,000 from the state general fund to the fund for state fiscal year 2023. Authorizes the budget agency to allot money from the fund to the department of child services, the family and social services administration, the Indiana department of health, and the Indiana department of homeland security to provide additional funding for existing programs and new programs for certain specified purposes. Requires the budget committee to review the allotments from the fund at the next regularly scheduled meeting of the budget committee following the release of the funds. Increases the amount of the adjusted gross income tax credit to which an individual who is eligible to claim the federal adoption tax credit is entitled. Before December 1, 2022, requires the office of Medicaid policy and planning (office) to research and compile, Medicaid reimbursement rates, by Medicaid provider type, in states bordering Indiana for certain prenatal, pregnancy, postnatal, and pediatric wellness services. Requires the office to prepare a report of the office's findings and submit the report to the general assembly before December 31, 2022.

Effective: Upon passage; January 1, 2023.

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July 25, 2022, read first time and referred to Committee on Appropriations. July 27, 2022, reported favorably — Do Pass. July 28, 2022, read second time, amended, ordered engrossed.



Special Session of the 122nd General Assembly (2022)(ss)

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.

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SENATE BILL No. 2(ss)

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning state offices and administration and to make an appropriation.

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

SECTION 1. IC 4-12-1-17.2 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE
AS A NEW SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
UPON PASSAGE]: Sec. 17.2. (a) As used in this section, "fund"
refers to the Hoosier Families First Fund established by subsection
(b).

- (b) The Hoosier Families First Fund is established for the purposes of this section. The fund shall be administered by the budget agency.
- (c) Forty-five million dollars (\$45,000,000) is appropriated from the state general fund to the fund for the state fiscal year beginning July 1, 2022, and ending June 30, 2023, for allotment as set forth in subsection (d).
- (d) The budget agency may allot money from the fund to the department of child services, the family and social services administration, the Indiana department of health, and the department of homeland security to provide additional funding for existing programs and new programs with the following purposes:



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1	(1) To support the health of pregnant women, postpartum
2	mothers, and infants.
3	(2) To support pregnancy planning, including addressing
4	barriers to long acting reversible contraception.
5	(3) To support the needs of families with children less than
6	four (4) years of age who are low income or lack access to
7	resources.
8	(4) To increase the number of families served under the Child
9	Care Development Fund.
10	(5) To support Indiana's foster families and adoptive families.
11	(6) To support prevention based programming that would
12	prevent children from entering the department of child
13	services system.
14	(7) To support funding for newborn safety devices as
15	described in IC 31-34-2.5-1.
16	(8) To provide funding to providers of maternal support
17	services and services to help pregnant women and their
18	families bring their pregnancy to term. To be eligible for
19	funding under this subdivision, providers may not be
20	affiliated with any abortion clinic (as defined in
21	IC 16-18-2-1.5).
22	(e) A provider of services described in subsection (d)(8) that
23	wishes to receive money from the fund must apply to, and in the
24	manner prescribed by, the budget agency or the agency
25	administering the program. Any funds awarded to providers under
26	subsection (d)(8) must be awarded on a competitive basis following
27	receipt and review of providers' applications.
28	(f) Money in the fund at the end of a state fiscal year does not
29	revert to the state general fund.
30	(g) The budget committee shall review the money allotted under
31	this section at the next regularly scheduled meeting of the budget
32	committee following the release of the funds.
33	SECTION 2. IC 6-3-3-13, AS ADDED BY P.L.132-2014,
34	SECTION 1, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
35	JANUARY 1, 2023]: Sec. 13. (a) This section applies only to taxable
36	years beginning after December 31, 2014.
37	(b) Each taxable year, an individual who is eligible to claim the
38	credit provided by Section 23 of the Internal Revenue Code on the
39	individual's federal return for the taxable year is entitled to a credit
40	against the individual's adjusted gross income tax liability for the



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taxable year equal to the lesser of:

(1) the amount of the credit allowable under Section 23 of the

1	Internal Revenue Code for each eligible child on the individual's
2	federal return for the taxable year; multiplied by ten percent
3	(10%); or
4	(2) one thousand dollars (\$1,000) ten thousand dollars (\$10,000)
5	for each eligible child.
6	(c) The credit provided by this section may not exceed the amount
7	of the taxpayer's adjusted gross income tax liability for the taxable year,
8	reduced by the sum of all credits for the taxable year that are applied
9	before the application of the credit provided by this section. The
10	amount of any unused credit under this section for a taxable year may
11	not be carried forward to a succeeding taxable year, carried back to a
12	preceding taxable year, or refunded.
13	(d) If all or part of the credit allowed under Section 23 of the
14	Internal Revenue Code for a taxable year beginning after December 31,
15	2014, is required to be claimed in, or carried forward to, a taxable year
16	after the taxable year in which the credit is first allowed, the part
17	carried forward and allowed to be claimed as a credit shall be treated
18	as allowable under subsection (b). A credit first allowed under Section
19	23 of the Internal Revenue Code for a taxable year beginning before
20	January 1, 2015, and required to be claimed in, or carried forward to,
21	a taxable year after the taxable year in which the credit is first allowed
22	shall not be treated as allowable under subsection (b).
23	SECTION 3. IC 12-8-6.5-13 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE
24	AS A NEW SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
25	UPON PASSAGE]: Sec. 13. (a) Before December 1, 2022, the office
26	shall research and compile data concerning the Medicaid
27	reimbursement rates in a state bordering Indiana for the following
28	services by Medicaid provider type:
29	(1) Prenatal obstetric and gynecological services.
30	(2) Pregnancy delivery care.
31	(3) Postnatal care.
32	(4) Wellness pediatric services.
33	(b) Before December 31, 2022, the office shall prepare a report
34	of the office's findings under subsection (a) and submit the report

to the general assembly in an electronic format under IC 5-14-6.

SECTION 4. An emergency is declared for this act.

(c) This section expires January 1, 2023.



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COMMITTEE REPORT

Madam President: The Senate Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 2(ss), has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that said bill DO PASS.

(Reference is to SB 2(ss) as introduced.)

MISHLER, Chairperson

Committee Vote: Yeas 12, Nays 0

SENATE MOTION

Madam President: I move that Senate Bill 2(ss) be amended to read as follows:

Page 3, between lines 22 and 23, begin a new paragraph and insert: "SECTION 3. IC 12-8-6.5-13 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE AS A NEW SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE UPON PASSAGE]: Sec. 13. (a) Before December 1, 2022, the office shall research and compile data concerning the Medicaid reimbursement rates in a state bordering Indiana for the following services by Medicaid provider type:

- (1) Prenatal obstetric and gynecological services.
- (2) Pregnancy delivery care.
- (3) Postnatal care.
- (4) Wellness pediatric services.
- (b) Before December 31, 2022, the office shall prepare a report of the office's findings under subsection (a) and submit the report to the general assembly in an electronic format under IC 5-14-6.
 - (c) This section expires January 1, 2023.".

Renumber all SECTIONS consecutively.

(Reference is to SB 2(ss) as printed July 27, 2022.)

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