Second Regular Session of the 123rd General Assembly (2024)

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SENATE ENROLLED ACT No. 109

AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning human services.

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

SECTION 1. IC 12-10-3-7, AS AMENDED BY P.L.116-2007, SECTION 1, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2024]: Sec. 7. (a) The division shall provide coverage for the services required in each county under this chapter and may contract with:

- (1) a prosecuting attorney;
- (2) a person qualified to provide the services required; or
- (2) (3) a prosecuting attorney to perform part of the services and a **person described in subdivision (2) or a** governmental entity qualified to perform the remainder of the services required. or
- (3) if a prosecuting attorney decides not to enter into a contract, a governmental entity qualified to provide the services required.
- (b) The contracts entered into by the division under this section must specify that the notification provisions described in sections 21(4) and 28(b)(5) of this chapter must be followed.
- (c) A prosecuting attorney who is contracted to provide services under this section may perform services under this chapter in accordance with subsection subsections (d) and (e).
- (d) Except as provided in subsection (e), a prosecuting attorney who has contracted to provide services under this section may provide services in another county if:
 - (1) the prosecuting attorney of the other county has not entered



- into a contract with the division to provide services; or
- (2) the prosecuting attorney of the other county requests the prosecuting attorney to provide services.
- (e) Services provided by a prosecuting attorney who is providing services in another county under this section may include the investigation of matters related to the abuse, neglect, or exploitation of an endangered adult. However, a prosecuting attorney who is providing services in another county under this section may not initiate any judicial proceeding (including seeking a temporary restraining order, an order for protection, or a similar order from a court) in the other county.



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