

1 AN ACT relating to health.

2 ***Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky:***

3 ➔Section 1. KRS 205.203 is amended to read as follows:

- 4 (1) The secretary of the Cabinet for Health and Family Services may provide, within
5 budgetary limitations, for in-home services to the aging to include, but not
6 necessarily limited to:
- 7 ***(a)*** Homemaker services;
 - 8 ***(b)*** Home-help therapy services;
 - 9 ***(c)*** Day-care services;
 - 10 ***(d)*** Home-delivered meal services;
 - 11 ***(e)*** Transportation services;
 - 12 ***(f)*** Foster care services; and
 - 13 ***(g)*** Health services.
- 14 (2) The cabinet is authorized to collect fees for services rendered pursuant to this
15 section in accordance with a fee schedule adopted by the secretary for health and
16 family services. The fee schedule shall take into consideration the ability of the
17 patient or client to pay for ~~the~~^[such] services ***rendered***. Fees shall not be collected
18 from any person who is "needy aged" as defined by KRS 205.010.
- 19 (3) The secretary may utilize and promote available or potential community resources
20 for the delivery of services to the aging and shall, when he ***or she*** deems
21 appropriate, contract for services with local, community, private agencies, and
22 individuals, including relatives of patients and clients, when~~such~~ services would
23 not otherwise be available without cost.
- 24 (4) The services to the aging authorized under this section are in addition and
25 supplementary to any services to which the aging may be entitled under any other
26 federal, state, or local governmental law, regulation, or program.
- 27 (5) The services to the aging authorized under this section shall be designed to meet the

- 1 needs of the minority elderly as identified by the Cabinet for Health and Family
- 2 Services pursuant to KRS 205.201.