



Performance Note
HB0086 - Adult Autism Treatment
Program
Sponsor: Rep. Hall, Craig



Performance Note Report

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Agency: Department of Health

Funding For:

New Services or Benefit

Serving a New or Larger Population

Public Benefit:

Purpose: The purpose and duties of the Adult Autism Treatment Account Program are to administer, determine eligibility for, and award funding for the treatment of qualified individuals by awarding, as funding permits, a grant from the program on behalf of an applicant to a qualified provider.

Services: The department shall transmit a grant award, on behalf of an applicant, to a program approved qualified provider designated by the applicant for the treatment of the qualified individual. An approved qualified provider shall be a behavior analyst under Title 58, Chapter 61, Part 7, Behavior Analyst Licensing Act or a psychologist who is licensed under Title 58, Chapter 61, Psychologist Licensing Act.

Expected Outcome: The expected outcomes of the new program are to provide funding to treat a qualified individual's condition through one or more evidence-based treatments (including applied behavior analysis); individualized, client-centered treatment; any method that engages the qualified individual's family members in the treatment process; and measured development of the qualified individual's pre-vocational, and daily living skills.

Implementations and Resources: The bill will be implemented by the department in collaboration with the Adult Autism Treatment Advisory Committee, which will consist of five members appointed by the governor in two-year terms. The Advisory Committee shall meet as necessary to advise the department regarding the implementation of the program, make recommendations to the department and the Legislator for improving the program, and before October 1 each year, provide a written report of the advisory committee's activities and recommendations. The department shall staff the advisory committee. Expenses of the advisory committee, including the cost of advisory committee staff if approved by the executive director, may be paid only with funds from the Adult Autism Treatment Account. The Adult Autism Treatment Account Advisory Committee will review grant applications and determine if the individual is qualified. As funding permits, the department shall award a grant from the program on behalf of a qualified applicant to a qualified provider designated by the applicant.

How: The proposed activities will create The Adult Autism Treatment Account Program and Advisory Committee which will award grants to qualified providers, on behalf of the qualified individual.

Performance Measures

Goal

Title: The Adult Autism Treatment Account - Fund

Description: Obtain funding for the Adult Autism Treatment Account through gifts, grants, donations, or any other conveyance of money.

Collection Method: Amount of funding available

	2020	2021	2022
Funding	0.00	500000.00	1000000.00
Baseline	0.00	0.00	0.00

Goal

Title: The Adult Autism Treatment Account - Grants

Description: Ensure 90% of grant funds are distributed to qualified providers for the treatment of qualified individuals with 10% of funds used for administration. Ensure 100% of grant funds distributed to qualified providers for the treatment of a qualified individual are used for the treatment of a qualified individual.

Collection Method: Qualified providers will be required to submit any reports; and notify the department within seven days if the qualified individual: has not received treatment from the qualified provider for 10 consecutive days; is no longer receiving treatment from the qualified provider, or is no longer a qualified individual, or the qualified provider is no longer a qualified provider. A qualified provider that receives a grant for the treatment of a qualified individual shall refund any amount to the department on a prorated basis for each day that: the qualified provider is no longer a qualified provider; the individual is no longer a qualified individual, or the qualified provider does not provide services to a qualified individual.

	2020	2021	2022
Percentage of Funds	0.00	90.00	90.00
Distributed			
Baseline	0.00	0.00	0.00

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