

119 incarcerated mothers removed from a secure correctional environment; and

120 (e) advise and make recommendations to the department regarding rules and policies
 121 for any nursery established by the Department of Corrections to provide space for incarcerated
 122 mothers and infants.

123 (8) The advisory board, upon request from the Department of Corrections, may:

124 (a) after considering the specific circumstances of an infant and the infant's
 125 incarcerated mother, extend the age that qualifies the infant for a nursery under Subsection
 126 64-13-46.5(2) up to 24 months old if:

127 (i) the extension is in the best interest of the infant; and

128 (ii) without the extension the infant would be separated from the incarcerated mother
 129 while the incarcerated mother remains in the correctional facility; or

130 (b) allow an incarcerated mother who has committed a violent felony to be provided
 131 space in a nursery if it is in the best interest of the incarcerated mother's infant.

132 (9) On or before November 30, 2024, the advisory board shall provide a report of the
 133 advisory board's research and study under Subsections (7)(a) through (d), including any
 134 proposed legislation, to:

135 (a) the Law Enforcement and Criminal Justice Interim Committee; and

136 (b) the Executive Offices and Criminal Justice Appropriations Subcommittee.

137 (10) The department shall:

138 (a) after receiving recommendations from the advisory board under Subsection (7)(e),

139 adopt rules, in accordance with Title 63G, Chapter 3, Utah Administrative Rulemaking Act, for
 140 certification of a nursery established in a secure correctional environment that address:

141 (i) the safety of the nursery for infants and incarcerated mothers;

142 (ii) the childhood development needs of the infants in the nursery;

143 (iii) the specific medical needs of the infants and incarcerated mothers in the nursery;

144 (iv) the appropriate needs of the incarcerated mothers in the nursery; and

145 (v) any other requirements recommended by the advisory board that the department
 146 deems necessary for the nursery; and

147 (b) certify that any nursery established by the ~~§~~ **→ [department] Department of**
 147a **Corrections ←§** is in compliance with the

148 rules established under this section before the nursery begins operations.

149 (11) The department may make rules in accordance with Title 63G, Chapter 3, Utah