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LEGISLATIVE ACTION

Senate . Comm: FAV . 10/22/2015 . .

The Committee on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs (Detert) recommended the following:

Senate Amendment

Delete lines 1129 - 1146

and insert:

(b) Lead agencies shall ensure the availability of a full array of services to address the complex needs of all children, including teens, and caregivers served within their local system of care. Lead agencies shall ensure that sufficient flexibility exists within the service array to adequately match services to the unique characteristics of families served, including ages of

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11	children, cultural considerations, and parental choice.
12	(c) The department shall annually complete an evaluation of
13	the service array adequacies, engagement of trauma-informed and
14	evidenced-based programming, and the impact of available
15	services to the outcomes of children served by lead agencies and
16	subcontracted providers of lead agencies. The evaluation report
17	shall be submitted to the Governor, the President of the Senate,
18	and the Speaker of the House of Representatives by December 31
19	of each year.
20	(d) The department shall adopt rules to implement this
21	section.
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