

Amendment No. (for drafter's use only)

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Representative Farkas offered the following:

**Amendment (with title amendment)**

Between lines 719 and 720, insert:

Section 10. Paragraph (e) of subsection (2) of section 381.7353, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

381.7353 Reducing Racial and Ethnic Health Disparities: Closing the Gap grant program; administration; department duties.--

(2) The department shall:

(e) Coordinate with existing community-based programs, such as chronic disease community intervention programs, cancer prevention and control programs, diabetes control programs, oral health care programs, the Healthy Start program, the Florida KidCare Program, the HIV/AIDS program, immunization programs, and other related programs at the state and local levels, to avoid duplication of effort and promote consistency.

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28 Section 11. Paragraph (a) of subsection (2) of section  
29 381.7355, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

30 381.7355 Project requirements; review criteria.--

31 (2) A proposal must include each of the following  
32 elements:

33 (a) The purpose and objectives of the proposal, including  
34 identification of the particular racial or ethnic disparity the  
35 project will address. The proposal must address one or more of  
36 the following priority areas:

37 1. Decreasing racial and ethnic disparities in maternal  
38 and infant mortality rates.

39 2. Decreasing racial and ethnic disparities in morbidity  
40 and mortality rates relating to cancer.

41 3. Decreasing racial and ethnic disparities in morbidity  
42 and mortality rates relating to HIV/AIDS.

43 4. Decreasing racial and ethnic disparities in morbidity  
44 and mortality rates relating to cardiovascular disease.

45 5. Decreasing racial and ethnic disparities in morbidity  
46 and mortality rates relating to diabetes.

47 6. Increasing adult and child immunization rates in  
48 certain racial and ethnic populations.

49 7. Decreasing racial and ethnic disparities in oral health  
50 care.

52 ===== T I T L E A M E N D M E N T =====

53 Between lines 30 and 31, insert:  
54 amending ss. 381.7353 and 381.7355, F.S.; including oral health  
55 care in the Closing the Gap grant program;