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COMMITTEE/SUBCOMMITTEE	ACTION
ADOPTED	(Y/N)
ADOPTED AS AMENDED	(Y/N)
ADOPTED W/O OBJECTION	(Y/N)
FAILED TO ADOPT	(Y/N)
WITHDRAWN	(Y/N)
OTHER	

Committee/Subcommittee hearing bill: Children, Families & Seniors Subcommittee

Representative Wood offered the following:

Amendment	(with	title	amendment)
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Remove everything after the enacting clause and insert: Section 1. Subsection (14) is added to section 393.11, Florida Statutes, to read:

9 393.11 Involuntary admission to residential services.-10 (14) REVIEW.-If a person is involuntarily admitted to 11 residential services provided by the agency, the agency shall 12 contract with a qualified evaluator to annually conduct a 13 review, unless otherwise ordered, to determine the propriety of 14 the person's continued involuntary admission to residential 15 services based on the criteria in paragraph (8)(b). The review shall include an assessment of the most appropriate and least 16 17 restrictive type of residential placement for the person. A

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18	placement resulting from an involuntary admission to residential		
19	services must be reviewed annually by the court, unless a		
20	shorter review period was ordered at a previous hearing. The		
21	agency shall provide completed annual reviews by the qualified		
22	evaluator to the court. The annual review and hearing must		
23	determine whether the person continues to meet the criteria in		
24	paragraph (8)(b) and, if so, whether the person still requires		
25	involuntary placement in a residential setting and whether the		
26	person is receiving adequate care, treatment, habilitation, and		
27	rehabilitation in the residential setting. The agency shall		
28	provide a copy of the annual review and reasonable notice of the		
29	hearing to the appropriate state's attorney, if applicable, the		
30	person's attorney and guardian or guardian advocate, if		
31	appointed. For purposes of this section, the term "qualified		
32	evaluator" means a licensed psychologist who has demonstrated to		
33	the court an expertise in the diagnosis, evaluation, and		
34	treatment of persons who have intellectual disabilities.		
35	Section 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law.		
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38	TITLE AMENDMENT		
39	Remove everything before the enacting clause and insert:		
40	A bill to be entitled		
41	An act relating to involuntary admission to residential		
42	services; amending s. 393.11, F.S.; requiring the Agency for		
43	Persons with Disabilities to annually conduct a review of the		
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44 status of persons involuntarily admitted to residential services 45 provided by the agency; requiring a review of such placements by 46 the court at a hearing; requiring the agency to provide a copy 47 of the review and reasonable notice of the hearing to specified 48 persons; defining the term "qualified evaluator"; providing an 49 effective date.

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