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A bill to be entitled

An act relating to the Social Services Estimating Conference; amending s. 216.136, F.S.; requiring the Social Services Estimating Conference to develop specified information related to the home and community-based services Medicaid waiver program; providing an effective date.

Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

- Section 1. Paragraph (c) is added to subsection (6) of section 216.136, Florida Statutes, to read:
- 216.136 Consensus estimating conferences; duties and principals.-
 - (6) SOCIAL SERVICES ESTIMATING CONFERENCE.
- (c) The Social Services Estimating Conference shall develop information related to the iBudget system for the home and community-based services Medicaid waiver program which must include iBudget enrollment, the number of current waiver recipients, the size of the waiting list, the utilization rate of program services, and expenditure information that the conference determines is needed to plan for and project future budgets and the drawdown of federal matching funds.
 - Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2025.