

Transfer of the Prenatally and Postnatally Diagnosed Conditions Awareness Programs and Fund; HB 2307

HB 2307 transfers the authority over the prenatally and postnatally diagnosed conditions awareness programs (programs) from the Kansas Department of Health and Environment (KDHE) to the Kansas Council on Developmental Disabilities (KCDD), creates the Prenatally and Postnatally Diagnosed Conditions Awareness Program Fund (Fund), and directs a one-time \$25,000 transfer to the Fund.

Transfer of Authorization and Oversight

The bill transfers authorization and oversight for the programs from KDHE to KCDD, including the powers, duties, and functions related to the programs. References to KDHE in statute, contract, or other documents in regard to the programs will be deemed to apply to KCDD. The bill replaces references to the Secretary of Health and Environment with KCDD and removes the definition of “Secretary” from the statute.

The bill directs KCDD to prepare and submit a report to the Governor and Legislature on the grants, contracts, and cooperative agreements and the effectiveness of the programs they support on or before January 11, 2027.

Prenatally and Postnatally Diagnosed Conditions Awareness Programs Fund

The bill establishes the Fund in the State Treasury and provides for all moneys credited to the Fund to be expended only for the programs. All expenditures will be made in accordance with appropriation acts upon warrants of the Director of Accounts and Reports issued pursuant to vouchers approved by the Chairperson of the KCDD.

The bill also directs the Director of Accounts and Reports to transfer \$25,000 from the State General Fund to the Fund on July 1, 2025.