



State of Wisconsin
2015 - 2016 LEGISLATURE

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**ASSEMBLY SUBSTITUTE AMENDMENT 1,
TO ASSEMBLY BILL 310**

September 21, 2015 - Offered by Representative JACQUE.

1 **AN ACT** *to create* 253.075 of the statutes; **relating to:** family planning and
2 preventive health services grants and granting rule-making authority.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

3 **SECTION 1.** 253.075 of the statutes is created to read:

4 **253.075 Family planning and related preventive health services grant.**

5 **(1) DEFINITIONS.** In this section:

6 (a) "AIDS" means acquired immunodeficiency syndrome.

7 (b) "Family planning" has the meaning given in s. 253.07 (1) (a).

8 (c) "Family planning and related preventive health services funds" means
9 federal funds received by the state under Title X of the federal Public Health Service
10 Act, 42 USC 300 to 300a-6, that are allocated for the purposes described in this
11 section.

1 (d) “Family planning services” has the meaning given in s. 253.07 (1) (b).

2 (e) “Federally qualified health center” means a center that meets the
3 requirements for federal funding under 42 USC 1396d (1) of the federal Public
4 Health Service Act, and any amendments to that act, and that has been designated
5 as a federally qualified health center by the federal government.

6 (f) “HIV” has the meaning given in s. 252.01 (1m).

7 (g) “Hospital” has the meaning given in s. 50.33 (2).

8 **(2) DEPARTMENT’S DUTIES.** (a) Beginning with the 2018 application deadline and
9 before each subsequent application deadline thereafter for grant funds under Title
10 X of the federal Public Health Service Act, 42 USC 300 to 300a-6, the department
11 shall apply to the federal department of health and human services for grant funds
12 under Title X of the federal Public Health Service Act, 42 USC 300 to 300a-6.

13 (b) The department shall promulgate all rules necessary to implement and
14 administer this section.

15 **(3) INDIVIDUAL RIGHTS, MEDICAL PRIVILEGE.** (a) The request of any person for
16 family planning services or his or her refusal to accept any service shall in no way
17 affect the right of the person to receive public assistance, public health services, or
18 any other public service. Nothing in this section may abridge the right of the
19 individual to make decisions concerning family planning nor may any individual be
20 required to state his or her reason for refusing any offer of family planning services.

21 (b) Any employee of the agencies engaged in the administration of the
22 provisions of this section may refuse to accept the duty of offering family planning
23 services to the extent that the duty is contrary to his or her personal beliefs. A refusal
24 may not be grounds for dismissal, suspension, demotion, or any other discrimination

1 in employment. The directors or supervisors of the agencies shall reassign the duties
2 of employees in order to carry out the provisions of this section.

3 (c) All information gathered by any agency, entity, or person conducting
4 programs in family planning, other than statistical information compiled without
5 reference to the identity of any individual or other information that the individual
6 allows to be released through his or her informed consent, shall be considered a
7 confidential medical record.

8 **(4) FAMILY PLANNING AND PREVENTIVE HEALTH SERVICES.** Subject to sub. (5), the
9 department shall distribute grants received under sub. (2) that may be used for
10 family planning and related preventive health services, including any of the
11 following:

- 12 (a) Screening for cervical cancer and breast cancer.
13 (b) Screening for high blood pressure, anemia, and diabetes.
14 (c) Screening for sexually transmitted diseases and HIV or AIDS.
15 (d) Infertility services.
16 (e) Health education.
17 (f) Pregnancy testing.
18 (g) Contraceptive services.
19 (h) Pelvic exams.
20 (i) Referrals for other health and social services.

21 **(5) FAMILY PLANNING AND RELATED PREVENTIVE HEALTH SERVICES FUNDS.** (a) The
22 department shall distribute family planning and related preventive health services
23 funds to public entities, including state, county, and local health departments and
24 health clinics, and the well-woman program under s. 255.06. If any moneys remain,
25 the department may then distribute grant funds under this section to nonpublic

1 entities that are hospitals or federally qualified health centers that provide
2 comprehensive primary and preventive care.

3 (b) Subject to par. (c), a public entity that receives family planning and related
4 preventive health services funds under this section may provide some or all of the
5 funds to other public or private entities provided that the recipient of the funds does
6 not do any of the following:

- 7 1. Provide abortion services.
- 8 2. Have an affiliate that provides abortion services.

9 (c) Providing abortion services or having an affiliate that provides abortion
10 services solely under the circumstances described in s. 20.927 (2) does not disqualify
11 an entity from receiving family planning and preventive health services grant funds
12 from a public entity under par. (b).

13 **SECTION 2. Nonstatutory provisions.**

14 (1) During the 2015-17 biennium, the department of health services shall use
15 current staff and current appropriations to fund the duties described in section
16 253.075 of the statutes, as created by this act. During the 2015-17 biennium, the
17 department of health services may not hire additional staff who would be charged
18 with carrying out any of the duties required for the purpose of implementing section
19 253.075 of the statutes, as created by this act.

20 (END)