

1           \*-1261/5.327\* \*-1261/P3.274\* SECTION 1147. 46.515 (1) (h) of the statutes is  
2     renumbered 48.983 (1) (h).

3           \*-1261/5.328\* \*-1261/P3.275\* SECTION 1148. 46.515 (1) (i) of the statutes is  
4     renumbered 48.983 (1) (i).

5           \*-1261/5.329\* \*-1261/P3.276\* SECTION 1149. 46.515 (1) (j) of the statutes is  
6     renumbered 48.983 (1) (j).

7           \*-1261/5.330\* \*-1261/P3.277\* SECTION 1150. 46.515 (2) of the statutes is  
8     renumbered 48.983 (2) and amended to read:

9           48.983 (2) FUNDS PROVIDED. If a county or Indian tribe applies and is selected  
10    by the department under sub. (5) to participate in the program under this section,  
11    the department shall award, from the appropriation under s. ~~20.435 (5)~~ 20.437 (2)  
12    (ab), a grant annually to be used only for the purposes specified in sub. (4) (a) and  
13    (am). The minimum amount of a grant is \$10,000. The department shall determine  
14    the amount of a grant awarded to a county, other than a county with a population of  
15    500,000 or more, or Indian tribe in excess of the minimum amount based on the  
16    number of births that are funded by medical assistance under subch. IV of ch. 49 in  
17    that county or the reservation of that Indian tribe in proportion to the number of  
18    births that are funded by medical assistance under subch. IV of ch. 49 in all of the  
19    counties and the reservations of all of the Indian tribes to which grants are awarded  
20    under this section. The department shall determine the amount of a grant awarded  
21    to a county with a population of 500,000 or more in excess of the minimum amount  
22    based on 60% of the number of births that are funded by medical assistance under  
23    subch. IV of ch. 49 in that county in proportion to the number of births that are  
24    funded by medical assistance under subch. IV of ch. 49 in all of the counties and the

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1 reservations of all of the Indian tribes to which grants are awarded under this  
2 section.

3 \***-1261/5.331\*** \***-1261/P3.280\*** SECTION 1151. 46.515 (3) of the statutes is  
4 renumbered 48.983 (3).

5 \***-1261/5.332\*** \***-1261/P3.281\*** SECTION 1152. 46.515 (4) of the statutes is  
6 renumbered 48.983 (4).

7 \***-1261/5.333\*** \***-1261/P3.282\*** SECTION 1153. 46.515 (5) of the statutes is  
8 renumbered 48.983 (5) and amended to read:

9 48.983 (5) SELECTION OF COUNTIES AND INDIAN TRIBES. The department shall  
10 provide competitive application procedures for selecting counties and Indian tribes  
11 for participation in the program under this section. The department shall establish  
12 a method for ranking applicants for selection based on the quality of their  
13 applications. In ranking the applications submitted by counties, the department  
14 shall give favorable consideration to a county that has indicated under sub. (6) (d)  
15 2. that it is willing to use a portion of any moneys distributed to the county under s.  
16 ~~46.45~~ 48.565 (2) (a) to provide case management services to a medical assistance  
17 beneficiary under s. 49.45 (25) (am) 9. who is a case or who is a member of a family  
18 that is a case and that has explained under sub. (6) (d) 2. how the county plans to use  
19 that portion of those moneys to promote the provision of those services for the case  
20 by using a wraparound process so as to provide those services in a flexible,  
21 comprehensive and individualized manner in order to reduce the necessity for  
22 court-ordered services. The department shall also provide application requirements  
23 and procedures for the renewal of a grant awarded under this section. The  
24 application procedures and the renewal application requirements and procedures  
25 shall be clear and understandable to the applicants. The department need not

1 promulgate as rules under ch. 227 the application procedures, the renewal  
2 application requirements or procedures or the method for ranking applicants  
3 established under this subsection.

4 \***-1261/5.334\*** \***-1261/P3.283\*** SECTION 1154. 46.515 (6) (intro.) of the  
5 statutes is renumbered 48.983 (6) (intro.).

6 \***-1261/5.335\*** \***-1261/P3.284\*** SECTION 1155. 46.515 (6) (a) of the statutes is  
7 renumbered 48.983 (6) (a).

8 \***-1261/5.336\*** \***-1261/P3.285\*** SECTION 1156. 46.515 (6) (b) of the statutes is  
9 renumbered 48.983 (6) (b).

10 \***-1261/5.337\*** \***-1261/P3.286\*** SECTION 1157. 46.515 (6) (c) of the statutes is  
11 renumbered 48.983 (6) (c).

12 \***-1261/5.338\*** \***-1261/P3.287\*** SECTION 1158. 46.515 (6) (d) (title) of the  
13 statutes is renumbered 48.983 (6) (d) (title).

14 \***-1261/5.339\*** \***-1261/P3.288\*** SECTION 1159. 46.515 (6) (d) 1. of the statutes  
15 is renumbered 48.983 (6) (d) 1.

16 \***-1261/5.340\*** \***-1261/P3.289\*** SECTION 1160. 46.515 (6) (d) 2. of the statutes  
17 is renumbered 48.983 (6) (d) 2. and amended to read:

18 48.983 (6) (d) 2. The applicant indicates in the grant application whether the  
19 applicant is willing to use a portion of any moneys distributed to the applicant under  
20 s. ~~46.45~~ 48.565 (2) (a) to provide case management services to a medical assistance  
21 beneficiary under s. 49.45 (25) (am) 9. who is a case or who is a member of a family  
22 that is a case. If the applicant is so willing, the applicant shall explain how the  
23 applicant plans to use that portion of those moneys to promote the provision of those  
24 services for the case by using a wraparound process so as to provide those services

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1 in a flexible, comprehensive and individualized manner in order to reduce the  
2 necessity for court-ordered services.

3 \*-1261/5.341\* \*-1261/P3.290\* SECTION 1161. 46.515 (6) (e) of the statutes is  
4 renumbered 48.983 (6) (e).

5 \*-1261/5.342\* \*-1261/P3.291\* SECTION 1162. 46.515 (6g) of the statutes is  
6 renumbered 48.983 (6g).

7 \*-1261/5.343\* \*-1261/P3.292\* SECTION 1163. 46.515 (6m) of the statutes is  
8 renumbered 48.983 (6m) and amended to read:

9 48.983 (6m) NOTIFICATION OF PARENT PRIOR TO MAKING ABUSE OR NEGLECT REPORT.

10 If a person who is providing services under a home visitation program under sub. (4)  
11 (b) 1. determines that he or she is required or permitted to make a report under s.  
12 48.981 (2) about a child in a family to which the person is providing those services,  
13 the person shall, prior to making the report under s. 48.981 (2), make a reasonable  
14 effort to notify the child's parent that a report under s. 48.981 (2) will be made and  
15 to encourage the parent to contact a county department under ~~s. 46.22 or 46.23~~ to  
16 request assistance. The notification requirements under this subsection do not affect  
17 the reporting requirements under s. 48.981 (2).

18 \*-1261/5.344\* \*-1261/P3.293\* SECTION 1164. 46.515 (6r) of the statutes is  
19 renumbered 48.983 (6r).

20 \*-1261/5.345\* \*-1261/P3.294\* SECTION 1165. 46.515 (7) of the statutes is  
21 renumbered 48.983 (7).

22 \*-1261/5.346\* \*-1261/P3.295\* SECTION 1166. 46.515 (8) of the statutes is  
23 renumbered 48.983 (8).

24 \*-1261/5.347\* \*-1261/P3.296\* SECTION 1167. 46.75 (title) of the statutes is  
25 renumbered 49.171 (title).

1           \***-1261/5.348\*** \***-1261/P3.297\*** SECTION 1168. 46.75 (1) of the statutes is  
2 renumbered 49.171 (1).

3           \***-1261/5.349\*** \***-1261/P3.298\*** SECTION 1169. 46.75 (2) (title) of the statutes  
4 is renumbered 49.171 (2) (title).

5           \***-1261/5.350\*** \***-1261/P3.299\*** SECTION 1170. 46.75 (2) (a) of the statutes is  
6 renumbered 49.171 (2) (a) and amended to read:

7           49.171 (2) (a) From the appropriation under s. ~~20.435 (5)~~ 20.437 (2) (dn), the  
8 department shall award grants to agencies to operate food distribution programs  
9 that qualify for participation in the emergency food assistance program under P.L.  
10 98-8, as amended.

11           \***-1261/5.351\*** \***-1261/P3.300\*** SECTION 1171. 46.75 (2) (b) of the statutes is  
12 renumbered 49.171 (2) (b).

13           \***-1261/5.352\*** \***-1261/P3.301\*** SECTION 1172. 46.75 (3) of the statutes is  
14 renumbered 49.171 (3).

15           \***-1261/5.353\*** \***-1261/P3.302\*** SECTION 1173. 46.76 (intro.) of the statutes is  
16 renumbered 49.172 (intro.).

\*\*\*\*NOTE: This is reconciled s. 46.76 (intro.). This SECTION has been affected by  
drafts with the following LRB numbers: -0242 and -1261.

17           \***-1261/5.354\*** SECTION 1174. 46.76 (1) of the statutes is renumbered 49.172  
18 (1).

\*\*\*\*NOTE: This is reconciled s. 46.76 (1). This SECTION has been affected by drafts  
with the following LRB numbers: -0242 and -1261.

19           \***-1261/5.355\*** SECTION 1175. 46.76 (2) of the statutes is renumbered 49.172  
20 (2).

\*\*\*\*NOTE: This is reconciled s. 46.76 (2). This SECTION has been affected by drafts  
with the following LRB numbers: -0242 and -1261.

21           \***-0242/1.5\*** SECTION 1176. 46.76 (4) of the statutes is repealed.

1       \*-0242/1.6\* SECTION 1177. 46.76 (5) of the statutes is repealed.

2       \*-1261/5.356\* \*-1261/P3.303\* SECTION 1178. 46.766 of the statutes is  
3 repealed.

4       \*-1261/5.357\* \*-1261/P3.304\* SECTION 1179. 46.77 of the statutes is  
5 renumbered 49.1715 and amended to read:

6       **49.1715 Food distribution administration.** From the appropriation under  
7 s. 20.435 (5) 20.437 (2) (dn), the department shall allocate funds to eligible recipient  
8 agencies, as defined in the emergency food assistance act, P.L. 98-8, section 201A,  
9 as amended, for the storage, transportation, and distribution of commodities  
10 provided under the hunger prevention act of 1988, P.L. 100-435, as amended.

11       \*-1261/5.358\* \*-1261/P3.305\* SECTION 1180. 46.95 (title) of the statutes is  
12 renumbered 49.165 (title).

13       \*-1261/5.359\* \*-1261/P3.306\* SECTION 1181. 46.95 (1) of the statutes is  
14 renumbered 49.165 (1).

15       \*-1261/5.360\* \*-1261/P3.307\* SECTION 1182. 46.95 (2) (title) of the statutes  
16 is renumbered 49.165 (2) (title).

17       \*-1508/3.4\* SECTION 1183. 46.95 (2) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:

18       46.95 (2) (a) The secretary shall make grants from the appropriations accounts  
19 under s. 20.435 (3) (cd) and (hh) and in each fiscal year \$950,000 from the  
20 appropriation account under s. 20.435 (3) (ky) to organizations for the provision of  
21 any of the services specified in sub. (1) (d). Grants may be made to organizations  
22 which have provided those domestic abuse services in the past or to organizations  
23 which propose to provide those services in the future. No grant may be made to fund  
24 services for child or unborn child abuse or abuse of elderly persons.

1       \***-1261/5.361\*** \***-1261/P3.308\*** SECTION 1184. 46.95 (2) (a) of the statutes, as  
2       affected by 2007 Wisconsin Act .... (this act), is renumbered 49.165 (2) (a) and  
3       amended to read:

4             49.165 (2) (a) The secretary shall make grants from the appropriation accounts  
5       under s. ~~20.435 (3)~~ 20.437 (1) (cd) and (hh) and in each fiscal year \$950,000 from the  
6       appropriation account under s. ~~20.435 (3)~~ 20.437 (1) (ky) to organizations for the  
7       provision of any of the services specified in sub. (1) (d). Grants may be made to  
8       organizations which have provided those domestic abuse services in the past or to  
9       organizations which propose to provide those services in the future. No grant may  
10      be made to fund services for child or unborn child abuse or abuse of elderly persons.

      \*\*\*\*NOTE: This is reconciled s. 46.95 (2) (a). This SECTION has been affected by drafts  
      with the following LRB numbers: -1261 and -1508.

11      \***-1261/5.362\*** \***-1261/P3.309\*** SECTION 1185. 46.95 (2) (b) of the statutes is  
12      renumbered 49.165 (2) (b).

13      \***-1261/5.363\*** \***-1261/P3.310\*** SECTION 1186. 46.95 (2) (c) of the statutes is  
14      renumbered 49.165 (2) (c).

15      \***-1261/5.364\*** \***-1261/P3.311\*** SECTION 1187. 46.95 (2) (d) of the statutes is  
16      renumbered 49.165 (2) (d).

17      \***-1261/5.365\*** \***-1261/P3.312\*** SECTION 1188. 46.95 (2) (e) of the statutes is  
18      renumbered 49.165 (2) (e).

19      \***-1261/5.366\*** \***-1261/P3.313\*** SECTION 1189. 46.95 (2) (f) (intro.) of the  
20      statutes is renumbered 49.165 (2) (f) (intro.) and amended to read:

21             49.165 (2) (f) (intro.) From the appropriations under s. ~~20.435 (3)~~ 20.437 (1) (cd)  
22      and (hh), the department shall do all of the following:

1           \***-1261/5.367\*** \***-1261/P3.314\*** SECTION 1190. 46.95 (2) (f) 1. of the statutes is  
2           renumbered 49.165 (2) (f) 1.

3           \***-1261/5.368\*** \***-1261/P3.315\*** SECTION 1191. 46.95 (2) (f) 5. of the statutes is  
4           renumbered 49.165 (2) (f) 5.

5           \***-1261/5.369\*** \***-1261/P3.316\*** SECTION 1192. 46.95 (2) (f) 6. of the statutes is  
6           renumbered 49.165 (2) (f) 6.

7           \***-1261/5.370\*** \***-1261/P3.317\*** SECTION 1193. 46.95 (2) (f) 7. of the statutes is  
8           renumbered 49.165 (2) (f) 7.

9           \***-1261/5.371\*** \***-1261/P3.318\*** SECTION 1194. 46.95 (2) (f) 8. of the statutes is  
10          renumbered 49.165 (2) (f) 8.

11          \***-1261/5.372\*** \***-1261/P3.319\*** SECTION 1195. 46.95 (2) (f) 9. of the statutes is  
12          renumbered 49.165 (2) (f) 9.

13          \***-1261/5.373\*** \***-1261/P3.320\*** SECTION 1196. 46.95 (2) (f) 10. of the statutes  
14          is renumbered 49.165 (2) (f) 10.

15          \***-1261/5.374\*** \***-1261/P3.321\*** SECTION 1197. 46.95 (2m) of the statutes is  
16          renumbered 49.165 (2m).

17          \***-1261/5.375\*** \***-1261/P3.322\*** SECTION 1198. 46.95 (3) of the statutes is  
18          renumbered 49.165 (3).

19          \***-1261/5.376\*** \***-1261/P3.323\*** SECTION 1199. 46.95 (4) of the statutes is  
20          renumbered 49.165 (4).

21          \***-0247/1.2\*** SECTION 1200. 46.976 of the statutes is repealed.

22          \***-1023/1.1\*** SECTION 1201. 46.985 (2) (a) 2. of the statutes is repealed.

23          \***-1023/1.2\*** SECTION 1202. 46.985 (2) (f) of the statutes is created to read:

24          46.985 (2) (f) Establish criteria for priority of services that take into account  
25          urgency of need, statewide consistency, developmental impact on eligible children,



1 and other factors, so as to ensure that available funds are used consistently and  
2 effectively.

3 **\*-1261/5.377\* \*-1261/P3.324\* SECTION 1203.** 46.99 (title) of the statutes is  
4 renumbered 48.545 (title).

5 **\*-1261/5.378\* \*-1261/P3.325\* SECTION 1204.** 46.99 (1) of the statutes is  
6 renumbered 48.545 (1).

7 **\*-1261/5.379\* \*-1261/P3.326\* SECTION 1205.** 46.99 (2) (title) of the statutes  
8 is renumbered 48.545 (2) (title).

9 **\*-1261/5.380\* \*-1261/P3.327\* SECTION 1206.** 46.99 (2) (a) (intro.) of the  
10 statutes is renumbered 48.545 (2) (a) (intro.) and amended to read:

11 48.545 (2) (a) (intro.) From the appropriations under s. ~~20.435 (3)~~ 20.437 (1) (eg  
12 and (nL), the department shall distribute \$2,125,200 in each fiscal year to applying  
13 nonprofit corporations and public agencies operating in a county having a population  
14 of 500,000 or more and \$1,199,300 in each fiscal year to applying county departments  
15 under s. 46.22, 46.23, 51.42, or 51.437 operating in counties other than a county  
16 having a population of 500,000 or more to provide programs to accomplish all of the  
17 following:

18 **\*-1261/5.381\* \*-1261/P3.328\* SECTION 1207.** 46.99 (2) (a) 1. of the statutes  
19 is renumbered 48.545 (2) (a) 1.

20 **\*-1261/5.382\* \*-1261/P3.329\* SECTION 1208.** 46.99 (2) (a) 2. of the statutes  
21 is renumbered 48.545 (2) (a) 2.

22 **\*-1261/5.383\* \*-1261/P3.330\* SECTION 1209.** 46.99 (2) (a) 3. of the statutes  
23 is renumbered 48.545 (2) (a) 3.

24 **\*-1261/5.384\* \*-1261/P3.331\* SECTION 1210.** 46.99 (2) (a) 4. of the statutes  
25 is renumbered 48.545 (2) (a) 4.

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1           \***-1261/5.385\*** \***-1261/P3.332\*** SECTION 1211. 46.99 (2) (a) 5. of the statutes  
2 is renumbered 48.545 (2) (a) 5.

3           \***-1261/5.386\*** \***-1261/P3.333\*** SECTION 1212. 46.99 (2) (b) of the statutes is  
4 renumbered 48.545 (2) (b).

5           \***-1261/5.387\*** \***-1261/P3.334\*** SECTION 1213. 46.99 (3) of the statutes is  
6 renumbered 48.545 (3).

7           \***-1261/5.388\*** \***-1261/P3.335\*** SECTION 1214. 46.995 (title) of the statutes is  
8 renumbered 48.487 (title).

9           \***-1261/5.389\*** \***-1261/P3.336\*** SECTION 1215. 46.995 (1m) of the statutes is  
10 renumbered 48.487 (1m) and amended to read:

11           48.487 (1m) TRIBAL ADOLESCENT SERVICES ALLOCATION. From the appropriation  
12 account under s. ~~20.435 (3)~~ 20.437 (1) (eg), the department may allocate \$210,000 in  
13 each fiscal year to provide the grants specified in subs. (2), (3) (b), and (4m) (b).

14           \***-1261/5.390\*** \***-1261/P3.337\*** SECTION 1216. 46.995 (2) of the statutes is  
15 renumbered 48.487 (2).

16           \***-1261/5.391\*** \***-1261/P3.338\*** SECTION 1217. 46.995 (3) of the statutes is  
17 renumbered 48.487 (3).

18           \***-1261/5.392\*** \***-1261/P3.339\*** SECTION 1218. 46.995 (4m) of the statutes is  
19 renumbered 48.487 (4m).

20           \***-1261/5.393\*** \***-1261/P3.340\*** SECTION 1219. 46.997 (title) of the statutes is  
21 renumbered 48.647 (title).

22           \***-1261/5.394\*** \***-1261/P3.341\*** SECTION 1220. 46.997 (1) of the statutes is  
23 renumbered 48.647 (1).

24           \***-1261/5.395\*** \***-1261/P3.342\*** SECTION 1221. 46.997 (2) (title) of the statutes  
25 is renumbered 48.647 (2) (title).

1           **\*-1261/5.396\* \*-1261/P3.343\* SECTION 1222.** 46.997 (2) (a) of the statutes is  
2           renumbered 48.647 (2) (a) and amended to read:

3           48.647 (2) (a) From the appropriation under s. 20.435 (3) 20.437 (1) (f), the  
4           department shall distribute not more than \$0 in each fiscal year as grants to private  
5           agencies to provide 2nd-chance homes and related services to eligible persons who  
6           are placed under s. 48.63 (5) in 2nd-chance homes operated by those private  
7           agencies. A private agency that is awarded a grant under this paragraph may use  
8           the amount awarded under the grant to provide care and maintenance to eligible  
9           persons who are placed under s. 48.63 (5) in a 2nd-chance home operated by the  
10          private agency; provide services, including the services specified in sub. (3), to  
11          eligible persons who currently are or formerly were placed under s. 48.63 (5) in the  
12          2nd-chance home, to the children and families of those eligible persons, and to the  
13          noncustodial parents of the children of those eligible persons; and, in the first year  
14          of the grant period, pay for the start-up costs, other than capital costs, of the private  
15          agency's program funded under this paragraph.

16          **\*-1261/5.397\* \*-1261/P3.344\* SECTION 1223.** 46.997 (2) (b) of the statutes is  
17          renumbered 48.647 (2) (b) and amended to read:

18          48.647 (2) (b) The department of ~~health and family services~~ shall award the  
19          grants under par. (a) on a competitive basis and according to request-for-proposal  
20          procedures that the department of ~~health and family services~~ shall prescribe in  
21          consultation with the ~~department of workforce development~~, local health  
22          departments, as defined in s. 250.01 (4), and other providers of services to eligible  
23          persons. Those request-for-proposal procedures shall include a requirement that  
24          a private agency that applies for a grant under par. (a) include in its grant application  
25          proof that the private agency has the cultural competency to provide services under

1 the grant to persons and families in the various cultures in the private agency's  
2 target population and that cultural competency is incorporated in the private  
3 agency's policies, administration, and practices. In awarding the grants under par.  
4 (a), the department of health and family services shall consider the need for those  
5 grants to be distributed both on a statewide basis and in the areas of the state with  
6 the greatest need for 2nd-chance homes and the need to provide placements for  
7 children who are voluntarily placed in a 2nd-chance home as well as for children who  
8 are placed in a 2nd-chance home by court order.

9 \***-1261/5.398\*** \***-1261/P3.345\*** SECTION 1224. 46.997 (2) (c) of the statutes is  
10 renumbered 48.647 (2) (c).

11 \***-1261/5.399\*** \***-1261/P3.346\*** SECTION 1225. 46.997 (2) (d) of the statutes is  
12 renumbered 48.647 (2) (d).

13 \***-1261/5.400\*** \***-1261/P3.347\*** SECTION 1226. 46.997 (2) (e) of the statutes is  
14 renumbered 48.647 (2) (e).

15 \***-1261/5.401\*** \***-1261/P3.348\*** SECTION 1227. 46.997 (3) of the statutes is  
16 renumbered 48.647 (3).

17 \***-1261/5.402\*** \***-1261/P3.349\*** SECTION 1228. 46.997 (4) of the statutes is  
18 renumbered 48.647 (4) and amended to read:

19 48.647 (4) EVALUATION. From the appropriation under s. ~~20.435 (3)~~ 20.437 (1)  
20 (f), the department shall conduct or shall select an evaluator to conduct an evaluation  
21 of the grant program under this section and, by June 1 of the 3rd calendar year  
22 beginning after the year in which the first grant under this section is awarded, shall  
23 submit a report on that evaluation to the governor and to the appropriate standing  
24 committees under s. 13.172 (3). The evaluation shall measure the economic  
25 self-sufficiency, parenting skills, independent living skills, and life choice

1 decision-making skills of the eligible persons who received services under the  
2 program and any other criteria that the department determines to be appropriate for  
3 evaluation.

4 **\*-1261/5.403\* \*-1261/P3.350\* SECTION 1229.** 48.01 (1) (h) of the statutes is  
5 created to read:

6 48.01 (1) (h) To provide a just and humane program of services to nonmarital  
7 children, children and unborn children in need of protection or services, and the  
8 expectant mothers of those unborn children; to avoid duplication and waste of effort  
9 and money on the part of public and private agencies; and to coordinate and integrate  
10 a program of services to children and families.

11 **\*-1261/5.404\* \*-1261/P3.351\* SECTION 1230.** 48.02 (4) of the statutes is  
12 amended to read:

13 48.02 (4) "Department" means the department of ~~health and family services~~  
14 children and families.

15 **\*-1261/5.405\* \*-1261/P3.352\* SECTION 1231.** 48.02 (16) of the statutes is  
16 created to read:

17 48.02 (16) "Secretary" means the secretary of children and families.

18 **\*-1261/5.406\* \*-1261/P3.353\* SECTION 1232.** 48.06 (4) of the statutes is  
19 amended to read:

20 48.06 (4) STATE AID. State aid to any county for court services under this section  
21 shall be at the same net effective rate that each county is reimbursed for county  
22 administration under s. 46.495 48.569. Counties having a population of less than  
23 500,000 may use funds received under s. 46.495 48.569 (1) (d), including county or  
24 federal revenue sharing funds allocated to match funds received under s. 46.495  
25 48.569 (1) (d), for the cost of providing court attached intake services in amounts not

1 to exceed 50% of the cost of providing court attached intake services or \$30,000 per  
2 county per calendar year, whichever is less.

3 \***-0261/6.1\* SECTION 1233.** 48.21 (5) (b) 1. of the statutes is renumbered 48.21  
4 (5) (b) 1. a. and amended to read:

5 48.21 (5) (b) 1. a. A finding that continued placement of the child in his or her  
6 home would be contrary to the welfare of the child. ~~Unless the judge or circuit court~~  
7 ~~commissioner finds that any of the circumstances specified in s. 48.355 (2d) (b) 1. to~~  
8 ~~5. applies, the order shall in addition include a~~

9 b. A finding as to whether the person who took the child into custody and the  
10 intake worker have made reasonable efforts to prevent the removal of the child from  
11 the home, while assuring that the child's health and safety are the paramount  
12 concerns, and a ~~unless the judge or circuit court commissioner finds that any of the~~  
13 ~~circumstances specified in s. 48.355 (2d) (b) 1. to 5. applies.~~

14 c. A finding as to whether the person who took the child into custody and the  
15 intake worker have made reasonable efforts to make it possible for the child to return  
16 safely home ~~or, if,~~

17 1m. If for good cause shown sufficient information is not available for the judge  
18 or circuit court commissioner to make a finding as to whether those reasonable  
19 efforts were made to prevent the removal of the child from the home, while assuring  
20 that the child's health and safety are the paramount concerns, a finding as to  
21 whether those reasonable efforts were made to make it possible for the child to return  
22 safely home and an order for the county department, department, in a county having  
23 a population of 500,000 or more, or agency primarily responsible for providing  
24 services to the child under the custody order to file with the court sufficient  
25 information for the judge or circuit court commissioner to make a finding as to

1 whether those reasonable efforts were made to prevent the removal of the child from  
2 the home by no later than 5 days, excluding Saturdays, Sundays, and legal holidays,  
3 after the date of on which the order is granted.

4 **\*-0261/6.2\* SECTION 1234.** 48.21 (5) (b) 1. d. of the statutes is created to read:

5 48.21 (5) (b) 1. d. If the child is under the supervision of the county department  
6 or, in a county having a population of 500,000 or more, the department, an order  
7 ordering the child into the placement and care responsibility of the county  
8 department or department as required under 42 USC 672 (a) (2) and assigning the  
9 county department or department primary responsibility for providing services to  
10 the child.

11 **\*-0261/6.3\* SECTION 1235.** 48.21 (5) (c) of the statutes is amended to read:

12 48.21 (5) (c) The judge or circuit court commissioner shall make the findings  
13 specified in par. (b) 1., 1m., and 3. on a case-by-case basis based on circumstances  
14 specific to the child and shall document or reference the specific information on  
15 which those findings are based in the custody order. A custody order that merely  
16 references par. (b) 1., 1m., or 3. without documenting or referencing that specific  
17 information in the custody order or an amended custody order that retroactively  
18 corrects an earlier custody order that does not comply with this paragraph is not  
19 sufficient to comply with this paragraph.

20 **\*-0261/6.4\* SECTION 1236.** 48.235 (4) (b) of the statutes is amended to read:

21 48.235 (4) (b) The court shall order the agency identified under s. 48.355(2) (b)  
22 ~~1. 48.33 (1) (c)~~ as primarily responsible for the provision of services to notify the  
23 guardian ad litem, if any, regarding actions to be taken under par. (a).

24 **\*-0261/6.5\* SECTION 1237.** 48.235 (4m) (b) of the statutes is amended to read:

1 48.235 (4m) (b) The court shall order the agency identified under s. 48.355 (2)  
2 (b) 1. ~~48.33 (1) (c)~~ as primarily responsible for the provision of services to notify the  
3 guardian ad litem, if any, regarding actions to be taken under par. (a).

4 \*~~1261/5.407~~\* \*~~1261/P3.354~~\* SECTION 1238. 48.275 (2) (d) 2. of the statutes  
5 is amended to read:

6 48.275 (2) (d) 2. In a county having a population of 500,000 or more,  
7 reimbursement payments shall be made to the clerk of courts of the county where the  
8 proceedings took place. Each payment shall be transmitted to the secretary of  
9 administration, who shall deposit the amount paid in the general fund and credit  
10 25% of the amount paid to the appropriation account under s. ~~20.435 (3)~~ 20.437 (1)  
11 (gx) and the remainder to the appropriation account under s. 20.550 (1) (L).

12 \*~~1261/5.408~~\* \*~~1261/P3.355~~\* SECTION 1239. 48.30 (6) (b) of the statutes is  
13 amended to read:

14 48.30 (6) (b) If it appears to the court that disposition of the case may include  
15 placement of the child outside the child's home, the court shall order the child's  
16 parent to provide a statement of income, assets, debts, and living expenses to the  
17 court or the designated agency under s. 48.33 (1) at least 5 days before the scheduled  
18 date of the dispositional hearing or as otherwise ordered by the court. The clerk of  
19 court shall provide, without charge, to any parent ordered to provide a statement of  
20 income, assets, debts, and living expenses a document setting forth the percentage  
21 standard established by the department of workforce development under s. 49.22 (9)  
22 and the manner of its application established by the department of health and family  
23 services under s. ~~46.247~~ 49.345 (14) (g) and listing the factors that a court may  
24 consider under s. ~~46.10~~ 49.345 (14) (c).



1           \***-1261/5.409\*** \***-1261/P3.356\*** SECTION 1240. 48.31 (7) (b) of the statutes is  
2 amended to read:

3           48.31 (7) (b) If it appears to the court that disposition of the case may include  
4 placement of the child outside the child's home, the court shall order the child's  
5 parent to provide a statement of income, assets, debts, and living expenses to the  
6 court or the designated agency under s. 48.33 (1) at least 5 days before the scheduled  
7 date of the dispositional hearing or as otherwise ordered by the court. The clerk of  
8 court shall provide, without charge, to any parent ordered to provide a statement of  
9 income, assets, debts, and living expenses a document setting forth the percentage  
10 standard established by the department of workforce development under s. 49.22 (9)  
11 and the manner of its application established by the department of health and family  
12 services under s. ~~46.247~~ 49.345 (14) (g) and listing the factors that a court may  
13 consider under s. ~~46.10~~ 49.345 (14) (c).

14           \***-0261/6.6\*** SECTION 1241. 48.315 (2m) (a) 1. of the statutes is amended to  
15 read:

16           48.315 (2m) (a) 1. The court making an initial finding under s. 48.21 (5) (b) 1.  
17 or 1m., 48.355 (2) (b) 6., or 48.357 (2v) (a) 1. that reasonable efforts have been made  
18 to prevent the removal of the child from the home, while assuring that the child's  
19 health and safety are the paramount concerns, or an initial finding under s. 48.21  
20 (5) (b) 3., 48.355 (2) (b) 6r., or 48.357 (2v) (a) 3. that those efforts were not required  
21 to be made because a circumstance specified in s. 48.355 (2d) (b) 1. to 5. applies, more  
22 than 60 days after the date on which the child was removed from the home.

23           \***-0261/6.7\*** SECTION 1242. 48.32 (1) (b) 1. of the statutes is renumbered 48.32  
24 (1) (b) 1. (intro.) and amended to read:

1 48.32 (1) (b) 1. (intro.) If at the time the consent decree is entered into the child  
2 is placed outside the home under a voluntary agreement under s. 48.63 or is  
3 otherwise living outside the home without a court order and if the consent decree  
4 maintains the child in that placement or other living arrangement, the consent  
5 decree shall include ~~a~~ all of the following:

6 a. A finding that placement of the child in his or her home would be contrary  
7 to the welfare of the child,~~a.~~

8 b. A finding as to whether the county department, the department, in a county  
9 having a population of 500,000 or more, or the agency primarily responsible for  
10 providing services to the child has made reasonable efforts to prevent the removal  
11 of the child from the home, while assuring that the child's health and safety are the  
12 paramount concerns, unless the judge or circuit court commissioner finds that any  
13 of the circumstances specified in s. 48.355 (2d) (b) 1. to 5. applies,~~and a.~~

14 c. A finding as to whether the county department, department, or agency has  
15 made reasonable efforts to achieve the goal of the child's permanency plan, unless  
16 return of the child to the home is the goal of the permanency plan and the judge or  
17 circuit court commissioner finds that any of the circumstances specified in s. 48.355  
18 (2d) (b) 1. to 5. applies.

19 **\*-0261/6.8\* SECTION 1243.** 48.32 (1) (b) 1. d. of the statutes is created to read:

20 48.32 (1) (b) 1. d. If the child's placement or other living arrangement is under  
21 the supervision of the county department or, in a county having a population of  
22 500,000 or more, the department, an order ordering the child into the placement and  
23 care responsibility of the county department or department as required under 42  
24 USC 672 (a) (2) and assigning the county department or department primary  
25 responsibility for providing services to the child.

1           \***-1261/5.410\*** \***-1261/P3.357\*** SECTION 1244. 48.33 (4m) (intro.) of the  
2 statutes is amended to read:

3           **48.33 (4m)** SUPPORT RECOMMENDATIONS; INFORMATION TO PARENTS. (intro.) In  
4 making a recommendation for an amount of child support under sub. (4), the agency  
5 shall consider the factors that the court considers under s. ~~46.10~~ 49.345 (14) (c) for  
6 deviation from the percentage standard. Prior to the dispositional hearing under s.  
7 48.335, the agency shall provide the child's parent with all of the following:

8           \***-1261/5.411\*** \***-1261/P3.358\*** SECTION 1245. 48.33 (4m) (b) of the statutes is  
9 amended to read:

10           **48.33 (4m) (b)** A written explanation of how the parent may request that the  
11 court modify the amount of child support under s. ~~46.10~~ 49.345 (14) (c).

12           \***-0261/6.9\*** SECTION 1246. 48.335 (3g) of the statutes is renumbered 48.335  
13 (3g) (intro.) and amended to read:

14           **48.335 (3g)** (intro.) At hearings under this section, if the agency, as defined in  
15 s. 48.38 (1) (a), is recommending placement of the child in a foster home, treatment  
16 foster home, group home, or residential care center for children and youth or in the  
17 home of a relative other than a parent, the agency shall present as evidence specific  
18 information showing that all of the following:

19           (a) That continued placement of the child in his or her home would be contrary  
20 to the welfare of the child, ~~specific information showing that~~.

21           (b) That the county department, the department, in a county having a  
22 population of 500,000 or more, or the agency primarily responsible for providing  
23 services to the child has made reasonable efforts to prevent the removal of the child  
24 from the home, while assuring that the child's health and safety are the paramount

1 concerns, unless any of the circumstances specified in s. 48.355 (2d) (b) 1. to 5.  
2 applies, ~~and specific information showing that,~~

3 (c) That the county department, department, or agency has made reasonable  
4 efforts to achieve the goal of the child's permanency plan, unless return of the child  
5 to the home is the goal of the permanency plan and any of the circumstances specified  
6 in s. 48.355 (2d) (b) 1. to 5. applies.

7 **\*-0261/6.10\* SECTION 1247.** 48.355 (2) (b) 1. of the statutes is amended to read:

8 48.355 (2) (b) 1. The specific services ~~or continuum of services~~ to be provided  
9 to the child and family, to the child expectant mother and family, or to the adult  
10 expectant mother, ~~the identity of the agencies which are to be primarily responsible~~  
11 ~~for the provision of the services ordered by the judge, the identity of the person or~~  
12 ~~agency who will provide case management or coordination of services, if any,~~ and, if  
13 custody of the child is to be transferred to effect the treatment plan, the identity of  
14 the legal custodian.

15 **\*-0261/6.11\* SECTION 1248.** 48.355 (2) (b) 6g. of the statutes is created to read:

16 48.355 (2) (b) 6g. If the child is placed outside the home under the supervision  
17 of the county department or, in a county having a population of 500,000 or more, the  
18 department, an order ordering the child into the placement and care responsibility  
19 of the county department or department as required under 42 USC 672 (a) (2) and  
20 assigning the county department or department primary responsibility for providing  
21 services to the child.

22 **\*-0261/6.12\* SECTION 1249.** 48.357 (1) (am) 3. of the statutes is amended to  
23 read:

24 48.357 (1) (am) 3. If the court changes the child's placement from a placement  
25 outside the home to another placement outside the home, the change in placement

1 order shall contain ~~one of the statements~~ the applicable order specified in sub. (2v)  
2 (a) 1m. and the applicable statement specified in sub. (2v) (a) 2.

3 **\*-0261/6.13\* SECTION 1250.** 48.357 (1) (c) 3. of the statutes is amended to read:  
4 48.357 (1) (c) 3. If the court changes the child's placement from a placement in  
5 the child's home to a placement outside the child's home, the change in placement  
6 order shall contain the findings specified in sub. (2v) (a) 1., ~~one of the statements~~ the  
7 applicable order specified in sub. (2v) (a) 1m., the applicable statement specified in  
8 sub. (2v) (a) 2., and, if in addition the court finds that any of the circumstances  
9 specified in s. 48.355 (2d) (b) 1. to 5. applies with respect to a parent, the  
10 determination specified in sub. (2v) (a) 3.

11 **\*-0261/6.14\* SECTION 1251.** 48.357 (2m) (c) of the statutes is amended to read:  
12 48.357 (2m) (c) If the court changes the child's placement from a placement in  
13 the child's home to a placement outside the child's home, the change in placement  
14 order shall contain the findings specified in sub. (2v) (a) 1., ~~one of the statements~~ the  
15 applicable order specified in sub. (2v) (a) 1m., the applicable statement specified in  
16 sub. (2v) (a) 2., and, if in addition the court finds that any of the circumstances  
17 specified in s. 48.355 (2d) (b) 1. to 5. applies with respect to a parent, the  
18 determination specified in sub. (2v) (a) 3. If the court changes the child's placement  
19 from a placement outside the home to another placement outside the home, the  
20 change in placement order shall contain the applicable order specified in sub. (2v)  
21 (a) 1m. and the applicable statement specified in sub. (2v) (a) 2.

22 **\*-0261/6.15\* SECTION 1252.** 48.357 (2v) (a) 1m. of the statutes is created to  
23 read:

24 48.357 (2v) (a) 1m. If the change in placement order changes the placement of  
25 a child who is under the supervision of the county department or, in a county having

1 a population of 500,000 or more, the department to a placement outside the child's  
2 home, whether from a placement in the home or from another placement outside the  
3 home, an order ordering the child into, or to be continued in, the placement and care  
4 responsibility of the county department or department as required under 42 USC  
5 672 (a) (2) and assigning the county department or department primary  
6 responsibility, or continued primary responsibility, for providing services to the  
7 child.

8 \*~~1261/5.412~~\* \*~~1261/P3.359~~\* SECTION 1253. 48.357 (5m) (a) of the statutes  
9 is amended to read:

10 48.357 (5m) (a) If a proposed change in placement changes a child's placement  
11 from a placement in the child's home to a placement outside the child's home, the  
12 court shall order the child's parent to provide a statement of income, assets, debts  
13 and living expenses to the court or the person or agency primarily responsible for  
14 implementing the dispositional order by a date specified by the court. The clerk of  
15 court shall provide, without charge, to any parent ordered to provide a statement of  
16 income, assets, debts, and living expenses a document setting forth the percentage  
17 standard established by the department of ~~workforce development~~ under s. 49.22 (9)  
18 and the manner of its application established by the department of ~~health and family~~  
19 ~~services~~ under s. ~~46.247~~ 49.345 (14) (g) and listing the factors that a court may  
20 consider under s. ~~46.10~~ 49.345 (14) (c). If the child is placed outside the child's home,  
21 the court shall determine the liability of the parent in the manner provided in s. ~~46.10~~  
22 49.345 (14).

23 \*~~1261/5.413~~\* \*~~1261/P3.360~~\* SECTION 1254. 48.36 (1) (a) of the statutes is  
24 amended to read:

1 48.36 (1) (a) If legal custody is transferred from the parent or guardian or the  
2 court otherwise designates an alternative placement for the child by a disposition  
3 made under s. 48.345 or by a change in placement under s. 48.357, the duty of the  
4 parent or guardian or, in the case of a transfer of guardianship and custody under  
5 s. 48.839 (4), the duty of the former guardian to provide support shall continue even  
6 though the legal custodian or the placement designee may provide the support. A  
7 copy of the order transferring custody or designating alternative placement for the  
8 child shall be submitted to the agency or person receiving custody or placement and  
9 the agency or person may apply to the court for an order to compel the parent or  
10 guardian to provide the support. Support payments for residential services, when  
11 purchased or otherwise funded or provided by the department or a county  
12 department under s. 46.22, 46.23, 51.42 or 51.437, shall be determined under s. 46.10  
13 49.345 (14). Support payments for residential services, when purchased or otherwise  
14 funded by the department of health and family services or a county department  
15 under s. 51.42 or 51.437, shall be determined under s. 46.10 (14).

16 \*-1261/5.414\* \*-1261/P3.361\* SECTION 1255. 48.36 (1) (b) of the statutes is  
17 amended to read:

18 48.36 (1) (b) In determining the amount of support under par. (a), the court may  
19 consider all relevant financial information or other information relevant to the  
20 parent's earning capacity, including information reported under s. 49.22 (2m) to the  
21 department of workforce development or the county child support agency under s.  
22 59.53 (5). If the court has insufficient information with which to determine the  
23 amount of support, the court shall order the child's parent to furnish a statement of  
24 income, assets, debts, and living expenses, if the parent has not already done so, to

1 the court within 10 days after the court's order transferring custody or designating  
2 an alternative placement is entered or at such other time as ordered by the court.

3 ~~\*-1261/5.415\*~~ ~~\*-1261/P3.362\*~~ SECTION 1256. 48.36 (2) of the statutes is  
4 amended to read:

5 48.36 (2) If an expectant mother or a child whose legal custody has not been  
6 taken from a parent or guardian is given educational and social services, or medical,  
7 psychological or psychiatric treatment by order of the court, the cost of those services  
8 or that treatment, if ordered by the court, shall be a charge upon the county in a  
9 county having a population of less than 500,000 or the department in a county having  
10 a population of 500,000 or more. This section does not prevent recovery of reasonable  
11 contribution toward the costs from the parent or guardian of the child or from an  
12 adult expectant mother as the court may order based on the ability of the parent,  
13 guardian or adult expectant mother to pay. This subsection shall be subject to s.  
14 ~~46.03 (18)~~ 49.32 (1).

15 ~~\*-1261/5.416\*~~ ~~\*-1261/P3.363\*~~ SECTION 1257. 48.361 (2) (c) of the statutes is  
16 amended to read:

17 48.361 (2) (c) Payment for alcohol and other drug abuse services by a county  
18 department under this section does not prohibit the county department from  
19 contracting with another county department or approved treatment facility for the  
20 provision of alcohol and other drug abuse services. Payment by the county under this  
21 section does not prevent recovery of reasonable contribution toward the costs of the  
22 court-ordered alcohol and other drug abuse services from the parent or adult  
23 expectant mother which is based upon the ability of the parent or adult expectant  
24 mother to pay. This subsection is subject to s. ~~46.03 (18)~~ 49.32 (1).



1           \*~~-1261/5.417~~\* \*~~-1261/P3.364~~\* SECTION 1258. 48.362 (4) (c) of the statutes is  
2 amended to read:

3           48.362 (4) (c) A county department that pays for court-ordered special  
4 treatment or care under par. (a) may recover from the parent or adult expectant  
5 mother, based on the ability of the parent or adult expectant mother to pay, a  
6 reasonable contribution toward the costs of the court-ordered special treatment or  
7 care. This paragraph is subject to s. ~~46.03 (18)~~ 49.32 (1).

8           \*~~-1261/5.418~~\* \*~~-1261/P3.365~~\* SECTION 1259. 48.363 (1) (c) of the statutes is  
9 amended to read:

10          48.363 (1) (c) If the proposed revision is for a change in the amount of child  
11 support to be paid by a parent, the court shall order the child's parent to provide a  
12 statement of income, assets, debts and living expenses to the court and the person  
13 or agency primarily responsible for implementing the dispositional order by a date  
14 specified by the court. The clerk of court shall provide, without charge, to any parent  
15 ordered to provide a statement of income, assets, debts, and living expenses a  
16 document setting forth the percentage standard established by the department of  
17 ~~workforce development~~ under s. 49.22 (9) and the manner of its application  
18 established by the department of ~~health and family services~~ under s. ~~46.247~~ 49.345  
19 (14) (g) and listing the factors that a court may consider under s. ~~46.10~~ 49.345 (14)  
20 (c).

21          \*~~-1261/5.419~~\* \*~~-1261/P3.366~~\* SECTION 1260. 48.363 (2) of the statutes is  
22 amended to read:

23          48.363 (2) If the court revises a dispositional order with respect to the amount  
24 of child support to be paid by a parent for the care and maintenance of the parent's  
25 minor child who has been placed by a court order under this chapter in a residential,

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1 nonmedical facility, the court shall determine the liability of the parent in the  
2 manner provided in s. ~~46.10~~ 49.345 (14).

3 **\*-0261/6.16\* SECTION 1261.** 48.38 (2) (intro.) of the statutes is amended to  
4 read:

5 **48.38 (2) PERMANENCY PLAN REQUIRED.** (intro.) Except as provided in sub. (3),  
6 for each child living in a foster home, treatment foster home, group home, residential  
7 care center for children and youth, juvenile detention facility, or shelter care facility,  
8 the agency that placed the child or arranged the placement or the agency assigned  
9 primary responsibility for providing services to the child under s. 48.355 (2) (b) 6g.  
10 shall prepare a written permanency plan, if any of the following conditions exists,  
11 and, for each child living in the home of a relative other than a parent, that agency  
12 shall prepare a written permanency plan, if any of the conditions specified in pars.  
13 (a) to (e) exists:

14 **\*-0261/6.17\* SECTION 1262.** 48.417 (2) (c) of the statutes is amended to read:

15 **48.417 (2) (c)** The agency primarily responsible for providing services to the  
16 ~~child and the family~~ under a court order, if required under s. 48.355 (2) (b) 6. to make  
17 reasonable efforts to make it possible for the child to return safely to his or her home,  
18 has not provided to the family of the child, consistent with the time period in the  
19 child's permanency plan, the services necessary for the safe return of the child to his  
20 or her home.

21 **\*-0261/6.18\* SECTION 1263.** 48.425 (1) (c) of the statutes is amended to read:

22 **48.425 (1) (c)** If the child has been previously adjudicated to be in need of  
23 protection and services, a statement of the steps the agency or person responsible for  
24 provision of services has taken to remedy the conditions responsible for court  
25 intervention and the parent's response to and cooperation with these services. If the

1 child has been removed from the home, the report ~~should~~ shall also include a  
2 statement of the reasons why the child cannot be returned safely to the family, and  
3 the steps the person or agency has taken to effect this return. If a permanency plan  
4 has previously been prepared for the child, the report shall also include specific  
5 information showing that the agency primarily responsible for providing services to  
6 the child has made reasonable efforts to achieve the goal of the child's permanency  
7 plan.

8 \***-0261/6.19\*** SECTION 1264. 48.43 (1) (am) of the statutes is created to read:

9 48.43 (1) (am) If the department or a county department receives guardianship  
10 or custody of the child under par. (a), an order ordering the child into the placement  
11 and care responsibility of the department or county department as required under  
12 42 USC 672 (a) (2) and assigning the department or county department primary  
13 responsibility for providing services to the child.

14 \***-0261/6.20\*** SECTION 1265. 48.43 (1) (cm) of the statutes is created to read:

15 48.43 (1) (cm) If a permanency plan has previously been prepared for the child,  
16 a finding as to whether the agency primarily responsible for providing services to the  
17 child has made reasonable efforts to achieve the goal of the child's permanency plan.  
18 The court shall make the findings specified in this paragraph on a case-by-case basis  
19 based on circumstances specific to the child and shall document or reference the  
20 specific information on which those findings are based in the order. An order that  
21 merely references this paragraph without documenting or referencing that specific  
22 information in the order or an amended order that retroactively corrects an earlier  
23 order that does not comply with this paragraph is not sufficient to comply with this  
24 paragraph.



1 functions. All moneys so received shall be paid into the general fund and may be  
2 appropriated from that fund as provided in s. 20.437 (1) (i).

3 **\*-1261/5.426\* \*-1261/P3.373\* SECTION 1272.** 48.48 (4) of the statutes is  
4 created to read:

5 48.48 (4) In order to discharge more effectively its responsibilities under this  
6 chapter and other relevant provisions of the statutes, to study causes and methods  
7 of prevention and treatment of problems among children and families and related  
8 social problems. The department may utilize all powers provided by the statutes,  
9 including the authority to accept grants of money or property from federal, state, or  
10 private sources, and enlist the cooperation of other appropriate agencies and state  
11 departments.

12 **\*-1261/5.427\* \*-1261/P3.374\* SECTION 1273.** 48.48 (12) (a) of the statutes is  
13 amended to read:

14 48.48 (12) (a) To enter into an agreement to assist in the cost of care of a child  
15 after legal adoption when the department has determined that such assistance is  
16 necessary to assure the child's adoption. Agreements under this paragraph shall be  
17 made in accordance with s. 48.975. Payments shall be made from the appropriation  
18 under s. ~~20.435 (3)~~ 20.437 (1) (dd).

19 **\*-1261/5.428\* \*-1261/P3.375\* SECTION 1274.** 48.48 (17) (am) of the statutes  
20 is created to read:

21 48.48 (17) (am) The requirement of statewide uniformity with respect to the  
22 organization and governance of human services does not apply to the administration  
23 of child welfare services under par. (a).

24 **\*-1261/5.429\* \*-1261/P3.376\* SECTION 1275.** 48.48 (17) (c) (intro.) of the  
25 statutes is amended to read:

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1 48.48 (17) (c) (intro.) From the appropriations under s. ~~20.435 (3)~~ 20.437 (1)  
2 (cx), (gx), (kw), and (mx), the department may provide funding for the maintenance  
3 of any child who meets all of the following criteria:

4 \*~~1261/5.430~~\* \*~~1261/P3.377~~\* SECTION 1276. 48.48 (17) (c) 3. of the statutes  
5 is amended to read:

6 48.48 (17) (c) 3. Received funding under s. 20.437 (1) (cx) or 48.569 (1) (d) or  
7 under s. 20.435 (3) (cx), 2005 stats., or 46.495 (1) (d), 2005 stats., immediately prior  
8 to his or her 18th birthday.

9 \*~~1261/5.431~~\* \*~~1261/P3.378~~\* SECTION 1277. 48.48 (17) (d) of the statutes is  
10 amended to read:

11 48.48 (17) (d) The funding provided for the maintenance of a child under par.  
12 (c) shall be in an amount equal to that which the child would receive under s. 20.435  
13 (3) 20.437 (1) (cx), (gx), (kw), and (mx) or 46.495 48.569 (1) (d) if the child were 17  
14 years of age.

15 \*~~1261/5.432~~\* \*~~1261/P3.379~~\* SECTION 1278. 48.48 (18) of the statutes is  
16 created to read:

17 48.48 (18) To contract with public or voluntary agencies or others for the  
18 following purposes:

19 (a) To purchase in full or in part care and services that the department is  
20 authorized by any statute to provide as an alternative to providing that care and  
21 those services itself.

22 (b) To purchase or provide in full or in part the care and services that county  
23 agencies may provide or purchase under any statute and to sell to county agencies  
24 such portions of that care and those services as the county agency may desire to  
25 purchase.

1 (d) To sell services, under contract, that the department is authorized to  
2 provide by statute, to any federally recognized tribal governing body.

3 **\*-1508/3.5\* SECTION 1279.** 48.543 of the statutes is created to read:

4 **48.543 Services for children and families.** (1) From the appropriation  
5 account under s. 20.435 (3) (ky), the department shall distribute the following  
6 amounts in each fiscal year in Milwaukee County to organizations:

7 (a) To provide gender-responsive alcohol and other drug abuse treatment, case  
8 management, child and family services, and educational services to drug dependent  
9 women with children, \$250,000.

10 (b) To provide services to aid youth in making the transition from foster care  
11 to independent living, \$50,000.

12 (2) From the appropriation account under s. 20.435 (3) (kz), the department  
13 shall distribute \$500,000 in each fiscal year for comprehensive early childhood  
14 initiatives in Dane County that provide home visiting and employment preparation  
15 and support for low-income families.

\*\*\*\*NOTE: This is reconciled s. 48.543. This SECTION has been affected by drafts  
with the following LRB numbers: -0728/4, -1508/2, and -1261/2.

16 **\*-1508/\*SECTION 1280.** 48.543 (1) (intro.) of the statutes, as created by 2007  
17 Wisconsin Act .... (this act), is amended to read:

18 48.543 (1) (intro.) From the appropriation account under s. ~~20.435 (3)~~ 20.437  
19 (1) (ky), the department shall distribute the following amounts in each fiscal year in  
20 Milwaukee County to organizations:

\*\*\*\*NOTE: This is reconciled s. 48.543 (1). This SECTION has been affected by drafts  
with the following LRB numbers: -1261 and -1508.

21 **\*-1261/5.434\* \*-1508/2.7\* SECTION 1281.** 48.543 (2) of the statutes, as created  
22 by 2007 Wisconsin Act .... (this act), is amended to read:

1           48.543 (2) From the appropriation account under s. ~~20.435~~ 20.437 (1) (kz), the  
2           department shall distribute \$500,000 in each fiscal year for comprehensive early  
3           childhood initiatives in Dane County that provide home visiting and employment  
4           preparation and support for low-income families.

      \*\*\*NOTE: This is reconciled s. 48.543 (2). This SECTION has been affected by drafts  
with the following LRB numbers: -1261 and -1508.

5           \*-1261/5.435\* \*-1261/P3.380\* SECTION 1282. 48.547 (2) of the statutes is  
6           amended to read:

7           48.547 (2) DEPARTMENT RESPONSIBILITIES. Within the availability of funding  
8           under s. ~~20.435 (7)~~ 20.437 (1) (mb) that is available for the program, the department  
9           shall select counties to participate in the program. Unless a county department of  
10          human services has been established under s. 46.23 in the county that is seeking to  
11          implement a program, the application submitted to the department shall be a joint  
12          application by the county department that provides social services and the county  
13          department established under s. 51.42 or 51.437. The department shall select  
14          counties in accordance with the request for proposal procedures established by the  
15          department. The department shall give a preference to county applications that  
16          include a plan for case management.

17          \*-1261/5.436\* \*-1261/P3.381\* SECTION 1283. 48.55 (1) of the statutes is  
18          amended to read:

19          48.55 (1) The department shall establish a state adoption information  
20          exchange for the purpose of finding adoptive homes for children with special needs  
21          who do not have permanent homes and a state adoption center for the purposes of  
22          increasing public knowledge of adoption and promoting to adolescents and pregnant  
23          women the availability of adoption services. From the appropriation under s. ~~20.435~~



1     ~~(3) 20.437(1)~~ (dg), the department may provide ~~not more than \$163,700 in fiscal year~~  
2     ~~2001-02~~ and not more than \$171,300 in each fiscal year thereafter as grants to  
3     individuals and private agencies to provide adoption information exchange services  
4     and to operate the state adoption center.

5     \*~~-1261/5.437~~\* \*~~-1261/P3.382~~\* SECTION 1284. 48.561 (3) (a) 1. of the statutes  
6     is amended to read:

7     48.561 (3) (a) 1. Through a reduction of \$37,209,200 from the amount amounts  
8     distributed to that county under s. ss. 46.40 (2) and 48.563 (2) in each state fiscal year.

9     \*~~-1261/5.438~~\* \*~~-1261/P3.383~~\* SECTION 1285. 48.561 (3) (b) of the statutes is  
10    amended to read:

11    48.561 (3) (b) The department of administration shall collect the amount  
12    specified in par. (a) 3. from a county having a population of 500,000 or more by  
13    deducting all or part of that amount from any state payment due that county under  
14    s. 79.03, 79.04, 79.058, 79.06, or 79.08. The department of administration shall  
15    notify the department of revenue, by September 15 of each year, of the amount to be  
16    deducted from the state payments due under s. 79.03, 79.04, 79.058, 79.06, or 79.08.  
17    The department of administration shall credit all amounts collected under this  
18    paragraph to the appropriation account under s. ~~20.435 (3)~~ 20.437 (1) (kw) and shall  
19    notify the county from which those amounts are collected of that collection. The  
20    department may not expend any moneys from the appropriation account under s.  
21    ~~20.435 (3)~~ 20.437 (1) (cx) for providing services to children and families under s. 48.48  
22    (17) until the amounts in the appropriation account under s. ~~20.435 (3)~~ 20.437 (1)  
23    (kw) are exhausted.

24    \*~~-1261/5.439~~\* \*~~-1261/P3.384~~\* SECTION 1286. 48.563 of the statutes is created  
25    to read:

**48.563 Children and family aids funding. (1) DISTRIBUTION LIMITS. (a)**

Within the limits of available federal funds and of the appropriations under s. 20.437 (1) (b) and (c), the department shall distribute funds for children and family services to county departments as provided in subs. (2), (3), and (7m) and s. 48.986.

(d) If the department receives from the department of health and family services under s. 46.40 (1) (d) any federal moneys under 42 USC 1396 to 1396v in reimbursement of the cost of preventing out-of-home placements of children, the department shall use those moneys as the first source of moneys used to meet the amount of the allocation under sub. (2) that is budgeted from federal funds.

**(2) BASIC COUNTY ALLOCATION. For children and family services under s. 48.569**

(1) (d), the department shall distribute not more than \$67,265,000 in each fiscal year.

**\*-1261/5.440\* \*-1261/P3.385\* SECTION 1287.** 48.565 of the statutes is created to read:

**48.565 Carry-over of children and family aids funds.** Funds allocated by the department under s. 48.569 (1) (d) but not spent or encumbered by counties, governing bodies of federally recognized American Indian tribes, or private nonprofit organizations by December 31 of each year and funds recovered under s. 48.569 (2) (b) and deposited into the appropriation account under s. 20.437 (1) (b) lapse to the general fund on the succeeding January 1 unless carried forward to the next calendar year under s. 20.437 (1) (b) or as follows:

(3) At the request of a county, tribal governing body, or private nonprofit organization, the department shall carry forward up to 3 percent of the total amount allocated to the county, tribal governing body, or nonprofit organization for a calendar year. All funds carried forward for a tribal governing body or nonprofit organization and all federal child welfare funds under 42 USC 620 to 626 carried

1 forward for a county shall be used for the purpose for which the funds were originally  
2 allocated. Other funds carried forward under this subsection may be used for any  
3 purpose under s. 20.437 (1) (b), except that a county may not use any funds carried  
4 forward under this subsection for administrative or staff costs. An allocation of  
5 carried-forward funding under this subsection does not affect a county's base  
6 allocation under s. 48.563 (2).

7 (6) The department may carry forward 10 percent of any funds specified in sub.  
8 (3) that are not carried forward under sub. (3) for emergencies, for justifiable unit  
9 services costs above planned levels, and for increased costs due to population shifts.  
10 An allocation of carried-forward funding under this subsection does not affect a  
11 county's base allocation under s. 48.563 (2).

12 \*-1261/5.441\* \*-1261/P3.386\* SECTION 1288. 48.567 of the statutes is created  
13 to read:

14 **48.567 Expenditure of income augmentation services receipts. (1)**  
15 From the appropriation account under s. 20.437 (3) (mp), the department shall  
16 support costs that are exclusively related to the ongoing and recurring operational  
17 costs of augmenting the amount of moneys received under 42 USC 670 to 679a and  
18 to any other purpose provided for by the legislature by law or in budget  
19 determinations. In addition, the department may expend moneys from the  
20 appropriation account under s. 20.437 (3) (mp) as provided in subs. (1m) and (2).

21 (2) If the department proposes to use any moneys from the appropriation  
22 account under s. 20.437 (3) (mp) for any purpose other than the purposes specified  
23 in subs. (1) and (1m), the department shall submit a plan for the proposed use of those  
24 moneys to the secretary of administration by September 1 of the fiscal year after the  
25 fiscal year in which those moneys were received. If the secretary of administration

1 approves the plan, he or she shall submit the plan to the joint committee on finance  
2 by October 1 of the fiscal year after the fiscal year in which those moneys were  
3 received. If the cochairpersons of the committee do not notify the secretary of  
4 administration within 14 working days after the date of submittal of the plan that  
5 the committee has scheduled a meeting for the purpose of reviewing the plan, the  
6 department may implement the plan. If within 14 working days after the date of the  
7 submittal by the secretary of administration the cochairpersons of the committee  
8 notify him or her that the committee has scheduled a meeting for the purpose of  
9 reviewing the plan, the department may implement the plan only with the approval  
10 of the committee.

11 \*-1261/5.442\* \*-1261/P3.387\* SECTION 1289. 48.568 of the statutes is created  
12 to read:

13 **48.568 Allocation of federal funds for children and family aids and**  
14 **child welfare.** Subject to s. 48.563 (1) (b) and (c), if the department receives  
15 unanticipated federal foster care and adoption assistance payments under 42 USC  
16 670 to 679a and it proposes to allocate the unanticipated funds so that an allocation  
17 limit in s. 48.563 is exceeded, the department shall submit a plan for the proposed  
18 allocation to the secretary of administration. If the secretary of administration  
19 approves the plan, he or she shall submit it to the joint committee on finance. If the  
20 cochairpersons of the committee do not notify the secretary of administration that  
21 the committee has scheduled a meeting for the purpose of reviewing the plan within  
22 14 working days after the date of his or her submittal, the department may  
23 implement the plan, notwithstanding any allocation limits under s. 48.563. If within  
24 14 working days after the date of the submittal by the secretary of administration  
25 the cochairpersons of the committee notify him or her that the committee has

1 scheduled a meeting for the purpose of reviewing the plan, the department may  
2 implement the plan, notwithstanding s. 48.563, only with the approval of the  
3 committee.

4 **\*-1261/5.443\* \*-1261/P3.388\* SECTION 1290.** 48.569 of the statutes is created  
5 to read:

6 **48.569 Distribution of children and family aids funds to counties. (1)**

7 (am) The department shall reimburse each county from the appropriations under  
8 s. 20.437 (1) (b) and (o) for children and family services as approved by the  
9 department under ss. 46.22 (1) (b) 2. f. and (e) 3. b.

10 (d) From the appropriations under s. 20.437 (1) (b) and (o), the department shall  
11 distribute the funding for children and family services, including funding for foster  
12 care, treatment foster care, or subsidized guardianship care of a child on whose  
13 behalf aid is received under s. 48.645 to county departments as provided under s.

14 48.563. County matching funds are required for the distribution under s. 48.563 (2).

15 Each county's required match for the distribution under s. 48.563 (2) shall be  
16 specified in a schedule established annually by the department. Matching funds

17 may be from county tax levies, federal and state revenue sharing funds, or private

18 donations to the county that meet the requirements specified in sub. (1m). Private

19 donations may not exceed 25 percent of the total county match. If the county match

20 is less than the amount required to generate the full amount of state and federal

21 funds distributed for this period, the decrease in the amount of state and federal

22 funds equals the difference between the required and the actual amount of county

23 matching funds.

24 (dc) The department shall prorate the amount allocated to any county  
25 department under par. (d) to reflect actual federal funds available.

1 (f) 1. If any state matching funds allocated under par. (d) to match county funds  
2 are not claimed, the funds shall be redistributed for the purposes the department  
3 designates.

4 2. The county allocation to match aid increases shall be included in the contract  
5 under s. 49.325 (2g), and approved by January 1 of the year for which funds are  
6 allocated, in order to generate state aid matching funds. All funds allocated under  
7 par. (d) shall be included in the contract under s. 49.325 (2g) and approved.

8 (1m) (a) A private donation to a county may be used to match the state  
9 grant-in-aid under sub. (1) (d) only if the donation is both of the following:

10 1. Donated to a county department and the donation is under the  
11 administrative control of that county department.

12 2. Donated without restrictions as to use, unless the restrictions specify that  
13 the donation be used for a particular service and the donor neither sponsors nor  
14 operates the service.

15 (b) Voluntary federated fund-raising organizations are not sponsors or  
16 operators of services within the meaning of par. (a) 2. Any member agency of such  
17 an organization that sponsors or operates services is considered to be an autonomous  
18 entity separate from the organization unless the board membership of the  
19 organization and the agency interlock.

20 (2) (a) The county treasurer and each director of a county department shall  
21 monthly certify under oath to the department, in the manner the department  
22 prescribes, the claim of the county for state reimbursement under this section, and  
23 if the department approves the claim it shall certify to the department of  
24 administration for reimbursement to the county for amounts due under this section  
25 and payment claimed to be made to the counties monthly. The department may make

1 advance payments prior to the beginning of each month equal to one-twelfth of the  
2 contracted amount.

3 (b) To facilitate prompt reimbursement, the certificate of the department may  
4 be based on the certified statements of the county officers filed under par. (a). Funds  
5 recovered from audit adjustments from a prior fiscal year may be included in  
6 subsequent certifications only to pay counties owed funds as a result of any audit  
7 adjustment. By September 30 of each year the department shall submit a report to  
8 the appropriate standing committees under s. 13.172 (3) on funds recovered and paid  
9 out during the previous calendar year as a result of audit adjustments.

10 **\*-1261/5.444\* \*-1261/P3.389\* SECTION 1291.** 48.57 (1) (g) of the statutes is  
11 amended to read:

12 48.57 (1) (g) Upon request of the department of ~~health and family services~~ or  
13 the department of corrections, to provide service for any child or expectant mother  
14 of an unborn child in the care of those departments.

15 **\*-1261/5.445\* \*-1261/P3.390\* SECTION 1292.** 48.57 (3) (a) 3. (intro.) of the  
16 statutes is amended to read:

17 48.57 (3) (a) 3. (intro.) Received funding under s. 48.569 (1) (d) or under s.  
18 46.495 (1) (d), 2005 stats., immediately prior to his or her 18th birthday; and

19 **\*-1261/5.446\* \*-1261/P3.391\* SECTION 1293.** 48.57 (3) (b) of the statutes is  
20 amended to read:

21 48.57 (3) (b) The funding provided for the maintenance of a child under par. (a)  
22 shall be in an amount equal to that which the child would receive under s. 46.495  
23 48.569 (1) (d) if the child were 17 years of age.

24 **\*-1261/5.447\* \*-1261/P3.392\* SECTION 1294.** 48.57 (3m) (am) (intro.) of the  
25 statutes is amended to read:

1 48.57 (3m) (am) (intro.) From the appropriation under s. 20.435 (3) 20.437 (1)  
2 (kc), the department shall reimburse counties having populations of less than  
3 500,000 for payments made under this subsection and shall make payments under  
4 this subsection in a county having a population of 500,000 or more. A county  
5 department and, in a county having a population of 500,000 or more, the department  
6 shall make payments in the amount of \$215 per month to a kinship care relative who  
7 is providing care and maintenance for a child if all of the following conditions are met:

8 \*-0905/3.21\* SECTION 1295. 48.57 (3m) (e) of the statutes is amended to read:

9 48.57 (3m) (e) The department shall determine whether the child is eligible  
10 for medical assistance under ss. 49.43 to ~~49.47~~ 49.471.

11 \*-1261/5.448\* \*-1261/P3.393\* SECTION 1296. 48.57 (3n) (am) (intro.) of the  
12 statutes is amended to read:

13 48.57 (3n) (am) (intro.) From the appropriation under s. 20.435 (3) 20.437 (1)  
14 (kc), the department shall reimburse counties having populations of less than  
15 500,000 for payments made under this subsection and shall make payments under  
16 this subsection in a county having a population of 500,000 or more. A county  
17 department and, in a county having a population of 500,000 or more, the department  
18 shall make monthly payments for each child in the amount specified in sub. (3m)  
19 (am) (intro.) to a long-term kinship care relative who is providing care and  
20 maintenance for that child if all of the following conditions are met:

21 \*-0905/3.22\* SECTION 1297. 48.57 (3n) (e) of the statutes is amended to read:

22 48.57 (3n) (e) The department shall determine whether the child is eligible for  
23 medical assistance under ss. 49.43 to ~~49.47~~ 49.471.

24 \*-1261/5.449\* \*-1261/P3.394\* SECTION 1298. 48.57 (3p) (b) 1. of the statutes  
25 is amended to read:



1           48.57 (3p) (b) 1. After receipt of an application for payments under sub. (3m)  
2           or (3n) or s. 48.62 (5) (a) or (b), the county department or, in a county having a  
3           population of 500,000 or more, the department of ~~health and family services~~, with  
4           the assistance of the department of justice, shall conduct a background investigation  
5           of the applicant.

6           \*~~-1261/5.450\*~~ \*~~-1261/P3.395\*~~ SECTION 1299. 48.57 (3p) (b) 2. of the statutes  
7           is amended to read:

8           48.57 (3p) (b) 2. The county department or, in a county having a population of  
9           500,000 or more, the department of ~~health and family services~~, with the assistance  
10          of the department of justice, may conduct a background investigation of any person  
11          who is receiving payments under sub. (3m) at the time of review under sub. (3m) (d)  
12          or at any other time that the county department or department of ~~health and family~~  
13          services considers to be appropriate.

14          \*~~-1261/5.451\*~~ \*~~-1261/P3.396\*~~ SECTION 1300. 48.57 (3p) (b) 3. of the statutes  
15          is amended to read:

16          48.57 (3p) (b) 3. The county department or, in a county having a population of  
17          500,000 or more, the department of ~~health and family services~~, with the assistance  
18          of the department of justice, may conduct a background investigation of any person  
19          who is receiving payments under sub. (3n) or s. 48.62 (5) (a) or (b) at any time that  
20          the county department or department of ~~health and family services~~ considers to be  
21          appropriate.

22          \*~~-1261/5.452\*~~ \*~~-1261/P3.397\*~~ SECTION 1301. 48.57 (3p) (c) 1. of the statutes  
23          is amended to read:

24          48.57 (3p) (c) 1. After receipt of an application for payments under sub. (3m)  
25          or (3n) or s. 48.62 (5) (a) or (b), the county department or, in a county having a

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1 population of 500,000 or more, the department of ~~health and family services~~, with  
2 the assistance of the department of justice, shall, in addition to the investigation  
3 under par. (b) 1., conduct a background investigation of all employees and  
4 prospective employees of the applicant who have or would have regular contact with  
5 the child for whom those payments are being made and of each adult resident.

6 \*~~1261/5.453~~\* \*~~1261/P3.398~~\* SECTION 1302. 48.57 (3p) (c) 2. of the statutes  
7 is amended to read:

8 48.57 (3p) (c) 2. The county department or, in a county having a population of  
9 500,000 or more, the department of ~~health and family services~~, with the assistance  
10 of the department of justice, may conduct a background investigation of any of the  
11 employees or prospective employees of any person who is receiving payments under  
12 sub. (3m) who have or would have regular contact with the child for whom those  
13 payments are being made and of each adult resident at the time of review under sub.  
14 (3m) (d) or at any other time that the county department or department of ~~health and~~  
15 ~~family services~~ considers to be appropriate.

16 \*~~1261/5.454~~\* \*~~1261/P3.399~~\* SECTION 1303. 48.57 (3p) (c) 2m. of the statutes  
17 is amended to read:

18 48.57 (3p) (c) 2m. The county department or, in a county having a population  
19 of 500,000 or more, the department of ~~health and family services~~, with the assistance  
20 of the department of justice, may conduct a background investigation of any of the  
21 employees or prospective employees of any person who is receiving payments under  
22 sub. (3n) or s. 48.62 (5) (a) or (b) who have or would have regular contact with the child  
23 for whom payments are being made and of each adult resident at any time that the  
24 county department or department of ~~health and family services~~ considers to be  
25 appropriate.

1           \***-1261/5.455\*** \***-1261/P3.400\*** SECTION 1304. 48.57 (3p) (c) 3. of the statutes  
2 is amended to read:

3           48.57 (3p) (c) 3. Before a person who is receiving payments under sub. (3m) or  
4 (3n) or s. 48.62 (5) (a) or (b) may employ any person in a position in which that person  
5 would have regular contact with the child for whom those payments are being made  
6 or permit any person to be an adult resident, the county department or, in a county  
7 having a population of 500,000 or more, the department of ~~health and family~~  
8 services, with the assistance of the department of justice, shall conduct a background  
9 investigation of the prospective employee or prospective adult resident unless that  
10 person has already been investigated under subd. 1., 2. or 2m.

11           \***-1261/5.456\*** \***-1261/P3.401\*** SECTION 1305. 48.57 (3p) (d) of the statutes is  
12 amended to read:

13           48.57 (3p) (d) If the person being investigated under par. (b) or (c) is a  
14 nonresident, or at any time within the 5 years preceding the date of the application  
15 has been a nonresident, or if the county department or, in a county having a  
16 population of 500,000 or more, the department of ~~health and family services~~  
17 determines that the person's employment, licensing or state court records provide a  
18 reasonable basis for further investigation, the county department or department of  
19 ~~health and family services~~ shall require the person to be fingerprinted on 2  
20 fingerprint cards, each bearing a complete set of the person's fingerprints. The  
21 department of justice may provide for the submission of the fingerprint cards to the  
22 federal bureau of investigation for the purposes of verifying the identity of the person  
23 fingerprinted and obtaining records of his or her criminal arrest and conviction.

24           \***-1261/5.457\*** \***-1261/P3.402\*** SECTION 1306. 48.57 (3p) (e) (intro.) of the  
25 statutes is amended to read:

## SECTION 1306

1           48.57 (3p) (e) (intro.) Upon request, a person being investigated under par. (b)  
2 or (c) shall provide the county department or, in a county having a population of  
3 500,000 or more, the department of health and family services with all of the  
4 following information:

5           \*-1261/5.458\* \*-1261/P3.403\* SECTION 1307. 48.57 (3p) (fm) 1. of the statutes  
6 is amended to read:

7           48.57 (3p) (fm) 1. The county department or, in a county having a population  
8 of 500,000 or more, the department of health and family services may provisionally  
9 approve the making of payments under sub. (3m) based on the applicant's statement  
10 under sub. (3m) (am) 4m. The county department or department of health and family  
11 services may not finally approve the making of payments under sub. (3m) unless the  
12 county department or department of health and family services receives information  
13 from the department of justice indicating that the conviction record of the applicant  
14 under the law of this state is satisfactory according to the criteria specified in par.  
15 (g) 1. to 3. or payment is approved under par. (h) 4. The county department or  
16 department of health and family services may make payments under sub. (3m)  
17 conditioned on the receipt of information from the federal bureau of investigation  
18 indicating that the person's conviction record under the law of any other state or  
19 under federal law is satisfactory according to the criteria specified in par. (g) 1. to 3.

20           \*-1261/5.459\* \*-1261/P3.404\* SECTION 1308. 48.57 (3p) (fm) 1m. of the  
21 statutes is amended to read:

22           48.57 (3p) (fm) 1m. The county department or, in a county having a population  
23 of 500,000 or more, the department of health and family services may not enter into  
24 the agreement under sub. (3n) (am) 6. or make payments under s. 48.62 (5) (a) or (b)  
25 unless the county department or department of health and family services receives

1 information from the department of justice relating to the conviction record of the  
2 applicant under the law of this state and that record indicates either that the  
3 applicant has not been arrested or convicted or that the applicant has been arrested  
4 or convicted but the director of the county department or, in a county having a  
5 population of 500,000 or more, the person designated by the secretary of health and  
6 family services to review conviction records under this subdivision determines that  
7 the conviction record is satisfactory because it does not include any arrest or  
8 conviction that the director or person designated by the secretary determines is  
9 likely to adversely affect the child or the applicant's ability to care for the child. The  
10 county department or, in a county having a population of 500,000 or more, the  
11 department of health and family services may make payments under sub. (3n) or s.  
12 48.62 (5) (a) or (b) conditioned on the receipt of information from the federal bureau  
13 of investigation indicating that the person's conviction record under the law of any  
14 other state or under federal law is satisfactory because the conviction record does not  
15 include any arrest or conviction that the director of the county department or, in a  
16 county having a population of 500,000 or more, the person designated by the  
17 secretary of health and family services to review conviction records under this  
18 subdivision determines is likely to adversely affect the child or the applicant's ability  
19 to care for the child.

20 \*~~1261/5.460~~\* \*~~1261/P3.405~~\* SECTION 1309. 48.57 (3p) (fm) 2. of the statutes  
21 is amended to read:

22 48.57 (3p) (fm) 2. A person receiving payments under sub. (3m) may  
23 provisionally employ a person in a position in which that person would have regular  
24 contact with the child for whom those payments are being made or provisionally  
25 permit a person to be an adult resident if the person receiving those payments states

1 to the county department or, in a county having a population of 500,000 or more, the  
2 department of health and family services that the employee or adult resident does  
3 not have any arrests or convictions that could adversely affect the child or the ability  
4 of the person receiving payments to care for the child. A person receiving payments  
5 under sub. (3m) may not finally employ a person in a position in which that person  
6 would have regular contact with the child for whom those payments are being made  
7 or finally permit a person to be an adult resident until the county department or, in  
8 a county having a population of 500,000 or more, the department of health and family  
9 services receives information from the department of justice indicating that the  
10 person's conviction record under the law of this state is satisfactory according to the  
11 criteria specified in par. (g) 1. to 3. and the county department or, in a county having  
12 a population of 500,000 or more, the department of health and family services so  
13 advises the person receiving payments under sub. (3m) or until a decision is made  
14 under par. (h) 4. to permit a person who is receiving payments under sub. (3m) to  
15 employ a person in a position in which that person would have regular contact with  
16 the child for whom payments are being made or to permit a person to be an adult  
17 resident and the county department or, in a county having a population of 500,000  
18 or more, the department of health and family services so advises the person receiving  
19 payments under sub. (3m). A person receiving payments under sub. (3m) may finally  
20 employ a person in a position in which that person would have regular contact with  
21 the child for whom those payments are being made or finally permit a person to be  
22 an adult resident conditioned on the receipt of information from the county  
23 department or, in a county having a population of 500,000 or more, the department  
24 of health and family services that the federal bureau of investigation indicates that

1 the person's conviction record under the law of any other state or under federal law  
2 is satisfactory according to the criteria specified in par. (g) 1. to 3.

3 **\*-1261/5.461\* \*-1261/P3.406\* SECTION 1310.** 48.57 (3p) (fm) 2m. of the  
4 statutes is amended to read:

5 48.57 (3p) (fm) 2m. A person receiving payments under sub. (3n) or s. 48.62 (5)  
6 (a) or (b) may provisionally employ a person in a position in which that person would  
7 have regular contact with the child for whom those payments are being made or  
8 provisionally permit a person to be an adult resident if the person receiving those  
9 payments states to the county department or, in a county having a population of  
10 500,000 or more, the department of health and family services that, to the best of his  
11 or her knowledge, the employee or adult resident does not have any arrests or  
12 convictions that could adversely affect the child or the ability of the person receiving  
13 payments to care for the child. A person receiving payment under sub. (3n) or s. 48.62  
14 (5) (a) or (b) may not finally employ a person in a position in which that person would  
15 have regular contact with the child for whom those payments are being made or  
16 finally permit a person to be an adult resident until the county department or, in a  
17 county having a population of 500,000 or more, the department of health and family  
18 services receives information from the department of justice relating to the person's  
19 conviction record under the law of this state and that record indicates either that the  
20 person has not been arrested or convicted or that the person has been arrested or  
21 convicted but the director of the county department or, in a county having a  
22 population of 500,000 or more, the person designated by the secretary of health and  
23 family services to review conviction records under this subdivision determines that  
24 the conviction record is satisfactory because it does not include any arrest or  
25 conviction that is likely to adversely affect the child or the ability of the person

1 receiving payments to care for the child and the county department or department  
2 of ~~health and family services~~ so advises the person receiving payments under sub.  
3 (3n) or s. 48.62 (5) (a) or (b). A person receiving payments under sub. (3n) or s. 48.62  
4 (5) (a) or (b) may finally employ a person in a position in which that person would  
5 have regular contact with the child for whom those payments are being made or  
6 finally permit a person to be an adult resident conditioned on the receipt of  
7 information from the county department or, in a county having a population of  
8 500,000 or more, the department of ~~health and family services~~ that the federal  
9 bureau of investigation indicates that the person's conviction record under the law  
10 of any other state or under federal law is satisfactory because the conviction record  
11 does not include any arrest or conviction that the director of the county department  
12 or, in a county having a population of 500,000 or more, the person designated by the  
13 secretary of ~~health and family services~~ to review conviction records under this  
14 subdivision determines is likely to adversely affect the child or the ability of the  
15 person receiving payments to care for the child.

16 \*~~1261/5.462~~\* \*~~1261/P3.407~~\* SECTION 1311. 48.57 (3p) (g) (intro.) of the  
17 statutes is amended to read:

18 48.57 (3p) (g) (intro.) Except as provided in par. (h), the county department or,  
19 in a county having a population of 500,000 or more, the department of ~~health and~~  
20 ~~family services~~ may not make payments to a person applying for payments under  
21 sub. (3m) and a person receiving payments under sub. (3m) may not employ a person  
22 in a position in which that person would have regular contact with the child for whom  
23 those payments are being made or permit a person to be an adult resident if any of  
24 the following applies: