

SENATE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE REPORT

_____ Date April 11, 2019
Chair of Committee

Committee on Health & Human Services.

After consideration on the merits, the Committee recommends the following:

SB19-228 be amended as follows, and as so amended, be referred to the Committee on Appropriations with favorable recommendation:

- 1 Amend printed bill, page 9, line 8, after "COLORADO," insert "OR A
- 2 CORONER ELECTED PURSUANT TO SECTION 30-10-601,".
- 3 Page 9, strike line 11 and substitute "EXAMINER OR CORONER;".
- 4 Page 9, line 12, after "EXAMINER" insert "OR THE CORONER".
- 5 Page 9, line 20, strike "FIVE" and substitute "THREE".
- 6 Page 14, line 9, strike "THREE" and substitute "TWO".
- 7 Page 16, line 23, strike "THREE" and substitute "TWO".
- 8 Page 20, strike lines 15 through 27.
- 9 Strike page 21.
- 10 Page 22, strike lines 1 through 8 and substitute:
11 **"(2) Perinatal substance use data linkage project.** (a) THE
12 CENTER FOR RESEARCH INTO SUBSTANCE USE DISORDER PREVENTION,
13 TREATMENT, AND RECOVERY SUPPORT STRATEGIES ESTABLISHED IN
14 SECTION 27-80-118, REFERRED TO IN THIS SECTION AS THE "CENTER", IN
15 PARTNERSHIP WITH THE UNIVERSITY OF DENVER AND THE STATE

1 SUBSTANCE ABUSE TREND AND RESPONSE TASK FORCE ESTABLISHED IN
2 SECTION 18-18.5-103, SHALL CONDUCT A STATEWIDE PERINATAL
3 SUBSTANCE USE DATA LINKAGE PROJECT THAT USES ONGOING
4 COLLECTION, ANALYSIS, INTERPRETATION, AND DISSEMINATION OF DATA
5 FOR THE PLANNING, IMPLEMENTATION, AND EVALUATION OF PUBLIC
6 HEALTH ACTIONS TO IMPROVE OUTCOMES FOR FAMILIES IMPACTED BY
7 SUBSTANCE USE DURING PREGNANCY. THE DATA LINKAGE PROJECT SHALL
8 CONSIDER STATE ADMINISTERED DATA SOURCES THAT INCLUDE:

9 (I) HEALTH CARE UTILIZATION BY PREGNANT AND POSTPARTUM
10 WOMEN WITH SUBSTANCE USE DISORDERS AND THEIR INFANTS;

11 (II) HUMAN SERVICES AND PUBLIC HEALTH PROGRAM UTILIZATION
12 BY PREGNANT AND POSTPARTUM WOMEN WITH SUBSTANCE USE DISORDERS
13 AND THEIR INFANTS;

14 (III) HEALTH CARE, HUMAN SERVICES, AND PUBLIC HEALTH
15 PROGRAM OUTCOMES AMONG PREGNANT AND POSTPARTUM WOMEN WITH
16 SUBSTANCE USE DISORDERS AND THEIR INFANTS; AND

17 (IV) COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH HEALTH CARE, HUMAN SERVICES,
18 AND PUBLIC HEALTH PROGRAM PROVISIONS FOR PREGNANT AND
19 POSTPARTUM WOMEN WITH SUBSTANCE USE DISORDERS AND THEIR
20 INFANTS.

21 (b) THE DATA LINKAGE PROJECT SHALL USE VITAL RECORDS TO
22 ESTABLISH MATERNAL AND INFANT DYADS BEGINNING AT THE BIRTH
23 HOSPITALIZATION AND RETROSPECTIVELY LINK THE PRENATAL PERIOD
24 AND PROSPECTIVELY LINK THE FIRST YEAR POSTPARTUM.

25 (c) THE LINKED INFORMATION NETWORK OF COLORADO IN THE
26 COLORADO GOVERNOR'S OFFICE OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY WILL
27 OBTAIN DATA THROUGH THE LINKED INFORMATION NETWORK OF
28 COLORADO GOVERNANCE PROCESS AND PERFORM SECURE LINKAGE AND
29 ANONYMIZATION ON BEHALF OF COLORADO.

30 (d) THE CENTER SHALL REPORT TO THE HEALTH AND INSURANCE
31 AND THE PUBLIC HEALTH CARE AND HUMAN SERVICES COMMITTEES OF THE
32 HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AND THE HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES
33 COMMITTEE OF THE SENATE, OR THEIR SUCCESSOR COMMITTEES:

34 (I) THE PRELIMINARY RESULTS OF THE DATA LINKAGE PROJECT ON
35 OR BEFORE JANUARY 1, 2021, AND;

36 (II) THE FINAL RESULTS OF THE DATA LINKAGE PROJECT ON OR
37 BEFORE JULY 1, 2022.

38 (e) FOR THE FISCAL YEARS 2019-20, 2020-21 AND 2021-22, THE
39 GENERAL ASSEMBLY SHALL APPROPRIATE ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND
40 DOLLARS TO THE STATE DEPARTMENT FOR ALLOCATION TO THE CENTER
41 FOR THE PURPOSES OF THIS SUBSECTION (2)."

- 1 Page 33, line 21, after "COLORADO," insert "OR A CORONER ELECTED
- 2 PURSUANT TO SECTION 30-10-601,".
- 3 Page 33, strike line 24 and substitute "EXAMINER OR CORONER;".
- 4 Page 33, line 25, after "EXAMINER" insert "OR THE CORONER".

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