

JBC Staff Fiscal Analysis
House Appropriations Committee

Concerning the authority for criminal background checks for child welfare out-of-home placement providers.

Prime Sponsors:
Representative Rydin; Keltie
(None)

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Fiscal Impacts

Appropriation Required, Amendment in Packet

Fiscal Note Status

The most recent Legislative Council Staff Fiscal Note (attached) reflects the fiscal impact of the bill as of 03/12/26.

No Change: Attached LCS Fiscal Note accurately reflects the fiscal impact of the bill.

The House Health and Human Services Committee Report (03/17/26) includes an amendment to the bill. However, Legislative Counsel Staff and JBC Staff agree that the amendment does not change the fiscal impact of the bill.

Amendments in This Packet

J.001 Staff-prepared appropriation amendment

Current Appropriations Clause in Bill

The bill requires but does not contain an appropriation clause.

Description of Amendments in This Packet

J.001

Staff amendment **J.001** (attached) adds an appropriations clause that reflects the anticipated receipt of \$350,000 federal funds by the Department of Human Services for FY 2026-27. This amount is reappropriated to the Office of Information Technology.

Points to Consider

None.