

HOUSE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE REPORT

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Chair of Committee

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Date

April 8, 2022

Committee on Appropriations.

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

HB22-1302 be amended as follows, and as so amended, be referred to the Committee of the Whole with favorable recommendation:

1 Amend the Public & Behavioral Health & Human Services committee  
2 report dated March 29, 2022, page 2, strike line 33 and substitute:

3 "Page 10 of the bill, strike lines 6 through 11 and substitute:

4           **"SECTION 4. Appropriation.** (1) For the 2022-23 state fiscal  
5 year, \$32,000,000 is appropriated to the department of health care policy  
6 and financing for use by other medical services. This appropriation is  
7 from the behavioral and mental health cash fund created in section 24-75-  
8 230 (2)(a), C.R.S., is of money the state received from the federal  
9 coronavirus state fiscal recovery fund, and is based on an assumption that  
10 the division will require an additional 2.3 FTE. To implement this act, the  
11 division may use this appropriation for the primary care and behavioral  
12 health statewide integration grant program. Any money appropriated in  
13 this section not expended prior to July 1, 2023, is further appropriated to  
14 the division from July 1, 2023, through December 30, 2024, for the same  
15 purpose.

16           (2) For the 2022-23 state fiscal year, \$3,000,000 is appropriated to  
17 the department of health care policy and financing for use by the  
18 executive director's office, general administration. This appropriation is  
19 from the behavioral and mental health cash fund created in section 24-75-  
20 230 (2)(a), C.R.S., and is of money the state received from the federal  
21 coronavirus state fiscal recovery fund. To implement this act, the division  
22 may use this appropriation for the universal contract for behavioral health  
23 services. Any money appropriated in this section not expended prior to  
24 July 1, 2023, is further appropriated to the division from July 1, 2023,  
25 through December 30, 2024, for the same purpose.

26           (3) For the 2022-23 fiscal year, \$250,000 is appropriated to the

1 department of higher education for use by the regents of the university of  
2 Colorado. This appropriation is from the behavioral and mental health  
3 cash fund created in section 24-75-230 (2)(a), C.R.S., and is of money the  
4 state received from the federal coronavirus state fiscal recovery fund. To  
5 implement this act, the regents may use this appropriation for allocation  
6 to the school of medicine for the regional health connector workforce  
7 program."."

8 Strike page 3 of the committee report.

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