

## CHAPTER 151

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**HUMAN SERVICES - SOCIAL SERVICES**


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**HOUSE BILL 06-1351**

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also SENATOR(S) Isgar, Fitz-Gerald, Gordon, Jones, Mitchell, Sandoval, Shaffer, Teck, Tochtrop, Tupa, Veiga, Williams, and Windels.

**AN ACT****CONCERNING THE CONTINUATION OF THE STATEWIDE PROGRAM FOR TEEN PREGNANCY AND DROPOUT PREVENTION.**

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Colorado:*

**SECTION 1.** 26-4-803 (1), Colorado Revised Statutes, is amended to read:

**26-4-803. Program - teen pregnancy and dropout prevention.** (1) The general assembly authorizes the department to implement a statewide ~~pilot~~ program for teen pregnancy and dropout prevention to serve teenagers who are medicaid recipients. The department shall design a program based upon community support and assistance, percentage of births in the community that have been funded under the state medical assistance program, the use of program designs that include accurate methods for measuring the effectiveness of the program, and availability of additional federal funds and local or private funding. The department may seek any federal waivers that may be necessary to implement this part 8.

**SECTION 2.** 26-4-804, Colorado Revised Statutes, is amended to read:

**26-4-804. Report.** The department shall provide a report to the general assembly no later than September 1, ~~2005~~ 2010, demonstrating the effectiveness of the ~~pilot~~ program and evaluating whether the ~~pilot~~ program should be continued.

**SECTION 3.** 26-4-805, Colorado Revised Statutes, is amended to read:

**26-4-805. Repeal of part.** This part 8 is repealed, effective July 1, ~~2006~~ 2011.  
PRIOR TO SUCH REPEAL, THE TEEN PREGNANCY AND DROPOUT PREVENTION

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*Capital letters indicate new material added to existing statutes; dashes through words indicate deletions from existing statutes and such material not part of act.*

PROGRAM IMPLEMENTED BY THE DEPARTMENT PURSUANT TO THIS PART 8 SHALL BE REVIEWED AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 24-34-104, C.R.S.

**SECTION 4.** 24-34-104 (42), Colorado Revised Statutes, is amended BY THE ADDITION OF A NEW PARAGRAPH to read:

**24-34-104. General assembly review of regulatory agencies and functions for termination, continuation, or reestablishment.** (42) The following agencies, functions, or both, shall terminate on July 1, 2011:

(j) THE TEEN PREGNANCY AND DROPOUT PREVENTION PROGRAM, CREATED IN SECTION 26-4-803, C.R.S.

**SECTION 5. Safety clause.** The general assembly hereby finds, determines, and declares that this act is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, and safety.

Approved: April 24, 2006