

1.1 moves to amend H.F. No. 1888, the first engrossment, as follows:

1.2 Page 4, delete section 7 and insert:

1.3 "Sec. 7. Minnesota Statutes 2018, section 256B.0625, subdivision 45a, is amended to
1.4 read:

1.5 Subd. 45a. **Psychiatric residential treatment facility services for persons younger**
1.6 **than 21 years of age.** (a) Medical assistance covers psychiatric residential treatment facility
1.7 services, according to section 256B.0941, for persons younger than 21 years of age.
1.8 Individuals who reach age 21 at the time they are receiving services are eligible to continue
1.9 receiving services until they no longer require services or until they reach age 22, whichever
1.10 occurs first.

1.11 (b) For purposes of this subdivision, "psychiatric residential treatment facility" means
1.12 a facility other than a hospital that provides psychiatric services, as described in Code of
1.13 Federal Regulations, title 42, sections 441.151 to 441.182, to individuals under age 21 in
1.14 an inpatient setting.

1.15 (c) The commissioner shall enroll up to ~~150~~ 300 certified psychiatric residential treatment
1.16 facility services beds ~~at up to six sites~~. The commissioner shall select psychiatric residential
1.17 treatment facility services providers under this paragraph through a request for proposals
1.18 process. Providers of state-operated services may respond to the request for proposals. The
1.19 commissioner shall prioritize programs that demonstrate the capacity to serve children and
1.20 youth with behavior that is aggressive or presents a risk of harm toward themselves or
1.21 others, multiple diagnoses, neurodevelopmental disorders, or complex trauma related issues.

1.22 (d) Notwithstanding the limit on the number of certified psychiatric residential treatment
1.23 facility services beds under paragraph (c), providers of children's residential treatment under
1.24 section 256B.0945, who are enrolled to provide services as of July 1, 2019, may submit a

2.1 letter of intent to develop a psychiatric residential treatment facility program in a format
2.2 developed by the commissioner. Each letter of intent must demonstrate the need for
2.3 psychiatric residential treatment facility services, the proposed bed capacity for the program,
2.4 and the capacity of the organization to develop and deliver psychiatric residential treatment
2.5 facility services. The letter of intent must also include a description of the proposed services
2.6 and physical site as well as specific information about the population that the program plans
2.7 to serve. The commissioner shall respond to the letter of intent within 60 days of receiving
2.8 all requested information with a determination of whether the program is approved, or with
2.9 specific recommended actions required to obtain approval. Programs that receive an approved
2.10 letter of intent must initiate the processes required by the commissioner to enroll as a provider
2.11 of psychiatric residential treatment facility services within 30 days of receiving notice of
2.12 approval. The commissioner shall process letters of intent in the order received. A program
2.13 approved under this paragraph may not increase bed capacity when converting to provide
2.14 psychiatric residential treatment facility services."

2.15 Page 12, line 27, delete "\$....." and insert "\$350,000" and delete "....." and insert
2.16 "\$350,000"