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Subject Integrated community supports

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Overview

This bill modifies integrated community supports (ICS) setting requirements and payment rates.

ICS is a DHS-licensed service provided under the MA disability waivers that supports people who receive services in a supported apartment setting. An ICS setting is an apartment building in which the provider owns, operates, or leases the living units. ICS provides supports and training in community participation; health, safety, and wellness; household management; and adaptive skills.

Summary

Section Description

1 Integrated community supports; setting capacity report.

Amends § 245D.12. Modifies limitations on ICS settings by: (1) allowing ICS to be delivered in two or more multifamily housing buildings that are part of the same multifamily housing apartment complex that are on the same or adjoining property; (2) allowing more than one license holder to deliver ICS at an approved multifamily housing building if a site-specific review has been approved by the commissioner; (3) allowing multiple license holders to deliver ICS and other residential services at the same address or apartment complex as long as the total number of settings does not exceed 25 percent of the total number of apartment units; and (4) specifying ICS provider-controlled settings have a minimum capacity of two or more living units for the delivery of ICS.

Makes this section effective January 1, 2024, or upon federal approval, whichever occurs later. Requires the commissioner of human services to notify the revisor of statutes when federal approval is obtained.

Section Description

2 Integrated community supports; component values and calculation of payment rates.

Amends § 256B.4914, subd. 6c. Modifies ICS payment rates under the disability waiver rate system (DWRS).

Makes this section effective January 1, 2024, or upon federal approval, whichever occurs later. Requires the commissioner of human services to notify the revisor of statutes when federal approval is obtained.



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