

Subject Transitional housing program

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Overview

Transitional housing is temporary housing for homeless persons and families. This bill extends the transitional housing program's defined duration of transitional housing from 24 to 36 months and gives the commissioner of human services additional discretion to extend use of the program beyond the defined duration. Starting in fiscal year 2023, this bill adds \$9,000,000 from the general fund to the base appropriation for transitional housing programs.

Summary

Section	Description
1	Definitions. Extends the duration of transitional housing, as set in its definition, from 24 to 36 months.
2	Establishment and administration. Expands the discretion of the commissioner of human services to extend transitional housing beyond the time period prescribed by the definition of transitional housing.
3	Appropriation. Appropriates \$9,000,000 in fiscal year 2023 from the general fund to the commissioner of human services for transitional housing programs and adds this amount to the base.

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