

Subject Mental health cultural community continuing education grant program changes

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Overview

The mental health cultural community continuing education grant program was established in 2021. Under this program the commissioner of health must fund continuing education costs for certain mental health professionals from communities of color or underrepresented communities who meet certain practice criteria. This bill expands the grant program to fund additional supervision costs for these mental health professionals and for mental health practitioners pursuing licensure.

Summary

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| 1 | <p>Mental health cultural community continuing education grant program.</p> <p>Amends Laws 2021, First Special Session chapter 7, article 3, § 4. Expands the mental health cultural community continuing education grant program, to allow grants issued by the commissioner of health to also be used for individuals from communities of color or underrepresented communities who meet certain practice requirements (1) to cover the cost of supervision when required for professionals to become supervisors, and (2) to cover supervision costs for mental health practitioners seeking professional licensure.</p> |
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