

Comparison of Senate File 4399 (first unofficial engrossment) and Senate File 4399 (second engrossment)

House Article 1 – Disability Services Senate Article 1 – Disability Services

Senate section (Art. 1)	House section (Art. 1)	Description	Comparison	Amdts	Proposed motion	Adopted
1 and 2	1 and 2	SF 3839-1E / HF 3938 - Exempts certain licensed facilities from local government rental licensing regulations	Technical difference			
3 to 7	3 to 7	SF 3734 / HF 3941 - Modifies timelines for 245D license holders to complete assessments and modifies designated coordinator and designated manager qualification requirements	Different language related to designated coordinator and designated manager qualifications			
8 and 9	—	SF 4173 - Modifies positive support analyst and positive support specialist qualifications	Senate only			
10, 14, 17 to 21, 23 to 25, and 27	8, 10, 13 to 20, and 22	SF 4399 / HF 4392 - DHS human services policy bill: clarifies form usage for home and community-based waiver services, modifies PCA and CFSS remote reassessment requirements, and aligns CFSS language with federal requirements	Similar, one difference in an effective date			
11	9	SF 4197 / HF 4158 - Modifies MA-EPD income review and documentation requirements	Different: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ House corrects a cross-reference; Senate does not 			

Senate section (Art. 1)	House section (Art. 1)	Description	Comparison	Amdts	Proposed motion	Adopted
			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ House removes language related to tax withholdings and the Senate does not 			
12, 13, and 22	—	SF 4399-A3 - Modifies PCA and CFSS enhanced rate requirements by requiring a provider to use additional revenue attributable to the enhanced rate for wages and wage-related costs	Senate only			
15 and 16	11 and 12	SF 3736 / HF 3940 - Prohibits lead agencies from including additional processes or requirements that could result in the delay of approval or implementation of technology for people on the disability waivers	Same			
26	21	SF 3991 / HF 4073 - Allows for remote worker training and development services under CFSS	Same, except: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ House allows for electronic signatures; Senate does not ○ effective dates are different 			
28	—	SF 4399-A20 - Modifies waiver reimagine and informed choice stakeholder consultation	Senate only			
29	—	SF 4399-A21 - Provides an exemption to the size and age limitation for certain CADI customized living providers located in Hennepin County	Senate only			

House Article 2 – Deaf, DeafBlind, and Hard-of-Hearing Services
Senate Article 2 – Deaf, DeafBlind, and Hard-of-Hearing Services

Senate section (Art. 2)	House section (Art. 2)	Description	Comparison	Amdts	Proposed motion	Adopted
1 to 16	1 to 16	SF 4399 / HF 4392 - DHS human services policy bill: modernizes deaf and hard-of-hearing statutes	Technical differences			
17	17	SF 4478-1E / HF 4528 - Modifies membership of the Commission of the Deaf, DeafBlind, and Hard-of-Hearing	Same, except: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Senate includes the commissioner of human rights as an ex officio member; House does not ○ House uses correct title for the Deaf, DeafBlind, and Hard of Hearing State Services Division 			

House Article 3 – Phase-Out of Subminimum Minimum Wage for Persons with Disabilities

House section (Art. 3)	Description	Comparison	Amdts	Proposed motion	Adopted
1 to 4	HF 4392 - DHS human services policy bill: phases out special minimum wage for persons with disabilities by August 1, 2028	House only			

House Article 4 – Aging Services
Senate Article 3 – Aging Services

Senate section (Art. 3)	House section (Art. 4)	Description	Comparison	Amdts	Proposed motion	Adopted
1	—	SF 4457 - Modifies assisted living director qualifications	Senate only			
2	—	SF 4191 - Modifies assisted living facility requirements related to correction orders	Senate only			
3 and part of 9	1 and part of 5	SF 4329-1E / HF 4308 - Modifies long-term care options counseling	Same			
4	2	SF 792 / HF 4392 - Provides for continuity of care for seniors receiving personal assistance	Technical differences			
5, 6, and part of 9	3, 4, and part of 5	SF 4580-1E / HF 4480 - DHS nursing facility policy bill: provides for increased transparency in nursing home related-party transactions and removes a mandated legislative report	Technical difference			
7 and 8	—	SF 4399-A4 - Modifies the elderly waiver disproportionate share adjustment	Senate only			

House Article 5 – Substance Use Disorder Services
Senate Article 4 – Substance Use Disorder Services

Senate section (Art. 4)	House section (Art. 5)	Description	Comparison	Amdts	Proposed motion	Adopted
1	—	SF 3984 - Modifies licensure requirements for alcohol and drug counselors	Senate only			
2 to 5, 7 to 9, 14, 15, 17, 18, 20 to 22	1 to 7, 13, 17, 19, 20, 26 to 28	SF 4399 / HF 4392 - DHS human services policy bill: makes technical corrections to behavioral health provisions including SUD cross-reference clean-up, SUD definitions alignment, SUD comprehensive assessment clarifications, and behavioral health fund requirement alignment so that eligibility may be determined upon date of request	Same except: S18 / H20 and S22/H28: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Medium intensity SUD rates and other rate clarifications 			

Senate section (Art. 4)	House section (Art. 5)	Description	Comparison	Amdts	Proposed motion	Adopted
6	—	SF 3984 – originally modified qualifying accreditation standards for SUD licensed treatment facilities, but all that remains is a grammatical change.	Senate only			
10, 16, 18 , and 23	8, 14 to 16, 18, 20 to 24, and 29	SF 3984 / HF 4149 - Modifies behavioral health licensing and eligibility, and modifies the paperwork reduction report date	Different S18 / H20 to 24: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Senate modifies criteria for enhanced rates, House does not ○ Senate allows for bill missed services and reduced service hours to account for holidays, House does not. 			
11 to 13 and 24	9 to 11 and 30	SF 4104 / HF 4014 - Modifies rules on opioid treatment program medication dispensing for take-home usage	Different S13 / H11: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ House establishes a counselor to client ratio; senate does not 			
—	12 and 19	HF 4548 - Prohibits the classification of recovery peers as independent contractors	House only			
19	25	SF 3973 / HF 3954 - Modifies sober homes requirements related to opiate antagonists and medications for opioid use disorder	Different			

House Article 6 – Direct Care and Treatment
Senate Article 5 – Direct Care and Treatment

Senate section (Art. 5)	House section (Art. 6)	Description	Comparison	Amdts	Proposed motion	Adopted
1 to 17	1 to 18	SF 4398 / HF 4362 - DHS direct care and treatment technical bill: modifies terminology throughout the statutes governing bloodborne pathogen protocols in secure treatment facilities, to apply the requirements to all state-operated treatment programs and makes a clarifying change to the membership of the Task Force on Priority Admissions to State-Operated Treatment Programs	Technical differences			

House Article 7 – Miscellaneous
Senate Article 6 – Miscellaneous

Senate section (Art. 6)	House section (Art. 7)	Description	Comparison	Amdts	Proposed motion	Adopted
1 to 6	1 to 6	SF 4864 / HF 4552 - Removes expired mandated legislative reports from statute	Same, except the House repeals reports that the Senate does not			