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## Bill Summary

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### Overview

This bill allows a person to provide independent living skills services if certain conditions are met and certifies Centers for Independent Living to provide services to individuals with disabilities.

#### Section

- 1 Services and supports.** Amends § 256B.49, subd. 16. Allows a person to provide independent living skills services if the lead agency determines the person meets all of the provider qualifications, in addition to the provider standards and qualifications for the TBI and CADI waivers listed in the Minnesota Disability Services Program Manual.
- 2 Centers for Independent Living.** Amends § 256B.49, by adding subd. 22. Certifies Centers for Independent Living to provide services to individuals with disabilities to maximize their independence and productivity and to help integrate them into mainstream society. Requires the commissioner to work with the Centers for Independent Living to develop statewide programs and services, including certain specified services.