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Overview

This bill requires the commissioner of human services, in consultation with others, to analyze the various asset limits within programs administered by the commissioner and to establish a consistent asset limit across human services programs to minimize the administrative burdens on counties in implementing asset tests.

1 **Uniform asset limit requirements.** Requires the commissioner of human services, in consultation with others, to analyze the various asset limits within programs administered by the commissioner and to establish a consistent asset limit across human services programs to minimize the administrative burdens on counties in implementing asset tests. Requires the commissioner to report the findings and conclusions to the legislature by January 15, 2012, and include draft legislation establishing a uniform asset limit for human services assistance programs.