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Overview

This bill appropriates \$500,000 for a grant to fund the collaboration of community services partners demonstration project.

Section

1 Collaboration of community services partners demonstration project. Appropriates \$500,000 in fiscal year 2015 from the general fund to the commissioner of human services for a noncompetitive grant to a collaborative of six disability services providers that provide residential and employment services to fund a demonstration project to implement an integrated life plan and an outcome-based wellness program. Specifies how the funds must be distributed. Requires the collaborative service providers to: (1) consult with the commissioner of human services to develop an evaluation of the effectiveness of the demonstration project; and (2) report the results of the evaluation and make recommendations on expanding the demonstration project to the legislature by February 1, 2016. Specifies this is a onetime appropriation and is available until expended. Makes this section expire March 1, 2016.