

**Subject** Minnesota Rare Disease Advisory Council

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## Summary

This bill appropriates \$647,000 in fiscal year 2024 and \$586,000 in fiscal year 2025 from the general fund to the Minnesota Rare Disease Advisory Council and sets base appropriations for fiscal years 2026 and 2027.

The Minnesota Rare Disease Advisory Council provides advice on policies, access, equity, research, diagnosis, treatment, and education related to rare diseases. The council consists of at least 17 public members who reflect statewide representation. The commissioner of health or a designee, a representative of Mayo Medical School, and a representative of the University of Minnesota Medical School serve as ex officio, nonvoting members of the council.