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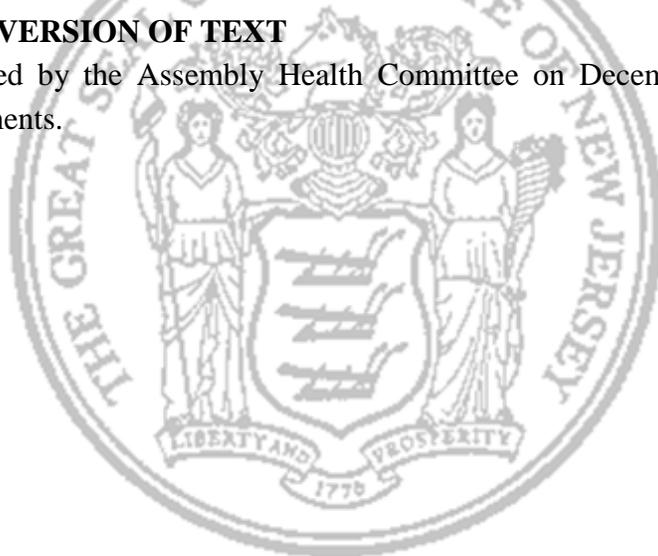
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SYNOPSIS

Requires DOH and DHS to identify and take appropriate steps to secure federal sources of funding to support maternal mental health.

CURRENT VERSION OF TEXT

As reported by the Assembly Health Committee on December 10, 2020, with amendments.



(Sponsorship Updated As Of: 3/25/2021)

1 AN ACT concerning maternal mental health ¹**[and supplementing**
2 Title 26 and Title 30 of the Revised Statutes]¹.

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4 **BE IT ENACTED** by the Senate and General Assembly of the State
5 of New Jersey:

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7 1. a. The Department of Health shall identify and take
8 appropriate steps to secure federal sources of funding to support
9 maternal mental health in the State, including, but not limited to,
10 the grant available pursuant to section 10005 of the federal “21st
11 Century Cures Act,” Pub. L. 114-255, 42 U.S.C. s.247b-13a.

12 b. No later than ¹**[January 1, 2020]** September 1, 2021¹, the
13 department shall report to the Legislature, pursuant to section 2 of
14 P.L.1991, c.164 (C.52:14-19.1), concerning its efforts to secure and
15 utilize federal sources of funding to support maternal mental health
16 pursuant to subsection a. of this section.

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18 2. a. The Department of Human Services shall identify and
19 take appropriate steps to secure federal sources of funding to
20 support maternal mental health in the State.

21 b. No later than ¹**[January 1, 2020]** September 1, 2021¹, the
22 department shall report to the Legislature, pursuant to section 2 of
23 P.L.1991, c.164 (C.52:14-19.1), concerning its efforts to secure and
24 utilize federal sources of funding to support maternal mental health
25 pursuant to subsection a. of this section.

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27 3. This act shall take effect immediately and shall expire on
28 January 1, ¹**[2023]** 2024¹.

EXPLANATION – Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets **[thus]** in the above bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted in the law.

Matter underlined thus is new matter.

Matter enclosed in superscript numerals has been adopted as follows:

¹Assembly AHE committee amendments adopted December 10, 2020.