

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL NO. 2041

Page 1, line 1, remove "and section"

Page 1, line 2, remove "50-24.1-02"

Page 1, line 2 remove "Down syndrome and eligibility for"

Page 1, line 3, replace "medical assistance" with "the definition of developmental disability; and to provide for a report"

Page 2, replace lines 1 through 30 with:

**"SECTION 2. DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES MEDICAID WAIVER
STUDY - REPORT TO LEGISLATIVE MANAGEMENT.**

- 1 During the 2017-18 interim, as part of the ongoing review of existing and potential Medicaid waivers performed by the department of human services, the department shall conduct a study of the current eligibility requirements for the developmental disability Medicaid waiver.
2. The study must include an analysis of whether the current developmental disability Medicaid waiver eligibility determination protocol uses age-appropriate assessment methods, uses assessment tools reliable and valid in nature for level of need determinations, and utilizes assessment information that may already be available in an individual's record.
3. The study must include an evaluation of the feasibility and desirability of including in the eligibility determination under the developmental disability Medicaid waiver, consideration of related conditions and the possible use of certain medical conditions, such as Down syndrome.
4. Before April 1, 2018, the department shall make a report to the legislative management on the outcome of this study, including any recommendations, together with any legislation required to implement the recommendations."

Re-number accordingly