

AN ACT

IN THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

To amend, on an emergency basis, the Department of Health Functions Clarification Act of 2001 to authorize the Director of the Department of Health to award grants in fiscal year 2013 or clinical nutritional home delivery services for individuals living with cancer and other life-threatening diseases, ambulatory health services, poison control hotline and prevention education services, operations and primary care services for school-based health clinics, and a teen pregnancy prevention program.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, That this act may be cited as the "Department of Health Grant-Making Authority Emergency Amendment Act of 2013".

Sec. 2. Section 4907a of the Department of Health Functions Clarification Act of 2001, effective March 3, 2010 (D.C. Law 18-111; D.C. Official Code § 7-736.01), is amended by adding new subsections (c), (d), and (e) to read as follows:

“(c) For fiscal year 2013, the Director of the Department of Health shall have the authority to issue grants to qualified community organizations for the purpose of providing the following services:

“(1) Clinical nutritional home delivery services for individuals living with cancer and other life-threatening diseases;

“(2) Ambulatory health services for an amount not to exceed \$3,239,980;

“(3) Poison control hotline and prevention education services for an amount not to exceed \$350,000;

“(4) Operations and primary care services for school-based health clinics for an amount not to exceed \$1,350,000; and

“(5) A teen pregnancy prevention program for an amount not to exceed \$500,000.

“(d) Any grant in excess of \$250,000 issued pursuant to subsection (c) of this section shall be awarded through a competitive process unless otherwise authorized under law.

“(e) The Department of Health shall submit a quarterly report to the Council on all grants issued pursuant to the authority granted in subsection (c) of this section.”.

Sec. 3. Fiscal impact statement.

The Council adopts the fiscal impact statement of the Chief Financial Officer as the fiscal

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impact statement required by section 602(c)(3) of the District of Columbia Home Rule Act, approved December 24, 1973 (87 Stat. 813; D.C. Official Code § 1-206.02(c)(3)).

Sec. 4. Effective date.

This act shall take effect following approval by the Mayor, (or in the event of veto by the Mayor, action by the Council to override the veto), and shall remain in effect for no longer than 90 days, as provided for emergency acts of the Council of the District of Columbia in section 412(a) of the District of Columbia Home Rule Act, approved December 24, 1973 (87 Stat. 788; D.C. Official Code § 1-204.12(a)).

Chairman
Council of the District of Columbia

Mayor
District of Columbia