## **HOUSE BILL No. 1544**

## DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

Citations Affected: IC 12-29-2-4.

**Synopsis:** Mental health center appropriation allotment. Amends the allotment of county funds to community mental health centers in Marion County so that it is based on enrolled consumers in each center. (Current law requires the allotment to be based upon the population residing in each service area.)

**Effective:** January 1, 2019 (retroactive).

## Kirchhofer

January 17, 2019, read first time and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.



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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning human services.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

SECTION 1. IC 12-29-2-4, AS AMENDED BY P.L.76-2018,
SECTION 7, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
JANUARY 1, 2019 (RETROACTIVE)]: Sec. 4. (a) Except as
provided in subsection (b), the amount derived from the calculation
under section 2(b) of this chapter or, in the case of Marion County for
calendar year 2019, calendar year 2020, and calendar year 2021, the
calculation under section 2(c) of this chapter represents the combined
maximum appropriation to all centers serving the particular county.
The allotment to each center shall be apportioned according to the
proportion of:
(1) the county's population residing in the primary service area of

- (1) the county's population residing in the primary service area of each center that is certified by the division of mental health and addiction to serve the county; to
- (2) the total population of the county.
- (b) In the case of Marion County, the amount derived from the calculation under section 2(b) of this chapter or, for calendar year 2019, calendar year 2020, and calendar year 2021, the calculation



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1	under section 2(c) of this chapter represents the combined
2	maximum appropriation to all centers certified by the division to
3	serve the county. Each center's allotment for a calendar year to
4	which this subsection applies bears the same ratio to the total
5	allotment for the calendar year to all centers serving the county as
6	(1) the number of division of mental health and addiction
7	enrolled consumers who reside in Marion County by each
8	center that is certified by the division of mental health and
9	addiction to serve the county; bears to
10	(2) the number of division of mental health and addiction
11	enrolled consumers who reside in Marion County by all
12	centers that are certified by the division of mental health and
13	addiction to serve the county.
14	SECTION 2. An emergency is declared for this act.

