

SENATE BILL No. 129

DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

Citations Affected: IC 12-17.2-3.4.

Synopsis: Eligibility for child care voucher. Provides that a child who is otherwise eligible for participation in the federal Child Care and Development Fund voucher program: (1) is eligible to participate in the program if the child's family income does not exceed 200% of the federal income poverty level; and (2) may continue to participate unless the child's family income exceeds 250% of the federal income poverty level. Makes an appropriation.

Effective: July 1, 2015.

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January 6, 2015, read first time and referred to Committee on Family & Children Services.



First Regular Session 119th General Assembly (2015)

PRINTING CODE. Amendments: Whenever an existing statute (or a section of the Indiana Constitution) is being amended, the text of the existing provision will appear in this style type, additions will appear in **this style type**, and deletions will appear in ~~this style type~~.

Additions: Whenever a new statutory provision is being enacted (or a new constitutional provision adopted), the text of the new provision will appear in **this style type**. Also, the word **NEW** will appear in that style type in the introductory clause of each SECTION that adds a new provision to the Indiana Code or the Indiana Constitution.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning human services and to make an appropriation.

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

- 1 SECTION 1. IC 12-17.2-3.4 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE
- 2 AS A **NEW** CHAPTER TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
- 3 JULY 1, 2015]:
- 4 **Chapter 3.4. Child Care and Development Fund**
- 5 **Sec. 1. The definitions in IC 12-17.2-3.5 apply throughout this**
- 6 **chapter.**
- 7 **Sec. 2. As used in this chapter, "CCDF" refers to the federal**
- 8 **Child Care and Development Fund voucher program administered**
- 9 **under 45 CFR 98 and 45 CFR 99.**
- 10 **Sec. 3. A child who:**
- 11 **(1) is not receiving child care paid for by a CCDF voucher**
- 12 **payment;**
- 13 **(2) otherwise meets the eligibility criteria under 45 CFR**
- 14 **98.20; and**
- 15 **(3) has a family income that does not exceed two hundred**
- 16 **percent (200%) of the federal income poverty level;**



1 is eligible to receive child care paid for by a CCDF voucher
2 payment.

3 **Sec. 4. A child who:**
4 **(1) receives child care paid for by a CCDF voucher payment;**
5 **and**
6 **(2) otherwise meets the eligibility criteria under 45 CFR 98.20**
7 **for continued payment under CCDF;**
8 **remains eligible to continue to receive child care paid for by a**
9 **CCDF voucher payment unless the child's family income exceeds**
10 **two hundred fifty percent (250%) of the federal income poverty**
11 **level.**

12 **Sec. 5. (a) There is appropriated to the division ten million**
13 **dollars (\$10,000,000) from the state general fund for the division's**
14 **use in making CCDF voucher payments.**

15 **(b) This section expires July 1, 2019.**

