

\$90,000 of this appropriation may only be expended to increase one-time grants for the General Public Assistance to Pregnant Women program from \$100 to \$150.

The General Assembly finds that the Primary Prevention Initiative is successful in encouraging beneficial behavior by welfare recipients. The General Assembly is concerned that the Department of Human Resources is considering eliminating the Primary Prevention Initiative due to the administrative burden created by the initiative. It is the intent of the General Assembly that the Department of Human Resources continue the sanction and incentive elements of the Primary Prevention Initiative, while reducing the administrative burden on staff in the local departments of social services. The department should also examine opportunities for expanding the initiative to encourage other beneficial behaviors such as parents completing their high school education or obtaining a GED and seeking substance abuse treatment when appropriate. The department should report to the budget committees by July 1, 1996 on its plans for continuing the initiative and encouraging additional beneficial behaviors.

148,239,421

145,239,421

Special Fund Appropriation

55,258,764

Federal Fund Appropriation

135,070,055

338,568,240

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It is the intent of the General Assembly that the Department of Human Resources continue the sanction and incentive elements of the Primary Prevention Initiative in fiscal 1997.

33.07.00.09 Purchase of Child Care

General Fund Appropriation

30,177,449

Federal Fund Appropriation

34,782,875

64,960,324