

First Regular Session of the 121st General Assembly (2019)

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SENATE ENROLLED ACT No. 111

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 12-23-24 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE AS A **NEW** CHAPTER TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2019]:

Chapter 24. Community and Faith Based Substance Abuse Programs Grant

Sec. 1. (a) The division may establish and administer a community and faith based substance abuse programs grant for the purpose of assisting in the funding of newly established and existing community and faith based substance abuse programs administered by at least one (1) nonprofit community or faith based entity that is intended to support individuals in:

- (1) avoiding abuse of; or**
- (2) overcoming addiction to;**

at least one (1) substance.

(b) The division shall administer the program. The division shall create a grant application for the grant and develop a process for receiving and evaluating completed grant applications. In reviewing a submitted grant application, the division shall contact at least one (1) of the following that the applicant has designated in the grant application to obtain input about the applicant's program success:

- (1) A drug court judge or magistrate.**

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(2) A judge or magistrate who considers drug related prosecutions.

(3) The supervising judge of a court alcohol and drug services program.

(4) A chief law enforcement officer in the geographical area in which the applicant is providing services.

(5) Any other person the division has determined would be acceptable to obtain the input required in this subsection.

SECTION 2. IC 12-23-24.2 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE AS A NEW CHAPTER TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2019]:

Chapter 24.2. Community and Faith Based Substance Abuse Transportation Assistance Grant Program

Sec. 1. (a) The division may establish and administer a community and faith based substance abuse transportation assistance grant program for the purpose of supporting individuals in:

- (1) avoiding abuse of; or**
- (2) overcoming addiction to;**

at least one (1) substance by reimbursing participants or programs operated by a nonprofit community or faith based entity for a participant's travel costs of transportation to meetings or activities.

(b) The division shall administer the program. The division shall create a grant application for the grant and develop a process for receiving and evaluating completed grant applications.

(c) An applicant for a grant under this chapter must meet the following requirements:

- (1) Has been operating the program for at least three (3) years before the date the grant application is submitted.**
- (2) Is able to demonstrate success of the applicant's program by including in the application contact information and any endorsements from at least three (3) individuals not employed or otherwise affiliated with the program and who have professional roles in the prevention of substance abuse or overcoming addiction, including those working in drug courts.**
- (3) Has documented community support, including financial support, for the applicant's program.**



President of the Senate

President Pro Tempore

Speaker of the House of Representatives

Governor of the State of Indiana

Date: _____ Time: _____

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