
THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE RESOLUTION

No. 888 Session of
2012

INTRODUCED BY DERMODY, OCTOBER 1, 2012

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON RULES, OCTOBER 1, 2012

A RESOLUTION

1 Directing the Legislative Budget and Finance Committee to
2 conduct a study to evaluate the delivery of services by for-
3 profit service providers for Intellectual Disability
4 Consolidated Waiver services, Child Welfare, Community-Based
5 Mental Health, Intellectual Disability Community-Based
6 Program and Drug and Alcohol services and to submit a report.

7 WHEREAS, The fiscal year 2012-2013 State budget appropriates
8 more than \$2,600,000,000 for Intellectual Disability Community
9 Waiver and Base Program services, Community-Based Mental Health
10 services, Child Welfare services and Drug and Alcohol services;
11 and

12 WHEREAS, On September 24, 2012, the House of Representatives
13 adopted House Resolution 798 directing the Legislative Budget
14 and Finance Committee to conduct a study to evaluate the
15 delivery of services for Intellectual Disability Consolidated
16 Waiver services, Child Welfare, Community-Based Mental health,
17 Intellectual Disability Community-Based Program and Drug and
18 Alcohol services, provided by nonprofit service providers; and

19 WHEREAS, A portion of these services is delivered by for-
20 profit service providers; therefore be it

1 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives direct the
2 Legislative Budget and Finance Committee to conduct a study to
3 evaluate the delivery of services for Intellectual Disability
4 Consolidated Waiver services, Child Welfare, Community-Based
5 Mental Health, Intellectual Disability Community-Based Program
6 and Drug and Alcohol services; and be it further

7 RESOLVED, That the Legislative Budget and Finance Committee,
8 in consultation and cooperation with the Department of Public
9 Welfare, collect and compile the expenditures for each for-
10 profit service provider, including the compensation of
11 executives and the 20 highest paid employees, association dues,
12 debts, assets, lobbying expenses, administrative expenses,
13 operating costs and the indirect and direct costs of delivering
14 care or services; and be it further

15 RESOLVED, That the study be conducted using existing
16 resources, such as annual reports and the lobby reporting
17 mechanism in the Department of State, whenever possible; and be
18 it further

19 RESOLVED, That the Legislative Budget and Finance Committee
20 conduct the study in conjunction with the study directed
21 pursuant to House Resolution 798; and be it further

22 RESOLVED, That the Legislative Budget and Finance Committee
23 provide a report regarding the expenditures of each for-profit
24 service provider and any other information the committee deems
25 necessary; and be it further

26 RESOLVED, That the report include recommendations to address
27 the unmet service needs of individuals and increase the
28 efficiency and quality of the direct delivery system; and be it
29 further

30 RESOLVED, That the report be combined with the report

1 directed pursuant to House Resolution 798 and submitted to the
2 chairman and minority chairman of the Health Committee of the
3 House of Representatives, the Human Services Committee of the
4 House of Representatives and the Appropriations Committee of the
5 House of Representatives by April 1, 2013.