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THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

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HOUSE BILL

No. 682 Session of  
2021

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INTRODUCED BY HANBIDGE, SANCHEZ, BENHAM, NEILSON, HILL-EVANS,  
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HOWARD AND DEASY, FEBRUARY 26, 2021

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REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON HEALTH, FEBRUARY 26, 2021

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AN ACT

1 Amending the act of June 13, 1967 (P.L.31, No.21), entitled "An  
2 act to consolidate, editorially revise, and codify the public  
3 welfare laws of the Commonwealth," in public assistance,  
4 further providing for the medically needy and determination  
5 of eligibility.

6 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania  
7 hereby enacts as follows:

8 Section 1. Section 442.1 of the act of June 13, 1967  
9 (P.L.31, No.21), known as the Human Services Code, is amended by  
10 adding a subsection to read:

11 Section 442.1. The Medically Needy; Determination of  
12 Eligibility.--\* \* \*

13 (d) No later than ninety days after eligibility for medical  
14 assistance is determined under this section, a person determined  
15 to be eligible for services under a home- and community-based  
16 waiver shall be offered those benefits.

17 Section 2. This act shall take effect in 60 days.