

Executive

As Passed by the House

JFSCD41 Healthier Buckeye Grant Program

R.C. *103.412, 355.02, 355.03, 355.04, 5101.91, 5101.92, 5101.93, Sections 305.10, 305.183, 512.70, (Repeals Section 551.10 of H.B. 483 of the 130th GA)*

No provision.

Requires each board of county commissioners, not later than December 15, 2015, to adopt a resolution establishing a local healthier buckeye council.

No provision.

Requires a local healthier buckeye council to promote opportunities for individuals and families to achieve and maintain optimal health, and develop a plan to promote that objective and other objectives in current law.

No provision.

Requires each local healthier buckeye council to submit the council's plan to its board of county commissioners and to the Ohio Healthier Buckeye Advisory Council.

No provision.

Requires local healthier buckeye councils to submit annual performance reports to the Ohio Healthier Buckeye Advisory Council.

No provision.

Requires local healthier buckeye councils to report certain information to the Joint Medicaid Oversight Committee and the Ohio Healthier Buckeye Advisory Council.

No provision.

Specifies with regard to the Ohio Healthier Buckeye Advisory Council (Council) that administrative support will be provided by the Ohio Department of Job and Family Services (ODJFS), and that members will serve without compensation, but are reimbursed for related expenses.

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No provision.

Requires the Council to prepare an annual report of its activities.

No provision.

Repeals requirements that the Council recommend criteria, application processes, and maximum grant amounts for the Ohio Healthier Buckeye Grant Program, and means to achieve coordination, person-centered case management, and standardization in public assistance programs.

No provision.

Requires the Council to provide assistance establishing local buckeye councils, identify barriers and gaps to achieving greater financial independence and provide advice on overcoming those barriers and gaps, and collect, analyze, and report performance measure information.

No provision.

Repeals the existing Healthier Buckeye Grant Program (Program) and reenacts it with new criteria for grants to be awarded to local healthier buckeye councils, other public and private entities, and individuals.

No provision.

Requires that the Program be administered by the Council.

No provision.

Creates the Healthier Buckeye Fund in the state treasury from which grants can be awarded under the program.

No provision.

Earmarks up to \$250,000 in each fiscal year in appropriation item 600669, Healthier Buckeye Councils, to support the administration of the Healthier Buckeye Grant Program.

No provision.

Specifies that the Healthier Buckeye Fund (Fund 5RC0) is to be used by the Ohio Healthier Buckeye Advisory Council.

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Fiscal effect: The bill appropriates \$8.5 million in FY 2016 and \$9.0 million in FY 2017 to the newly created appropriation item 600669, Healthier Buckeye Councils.

JFSCD3 Federal Treasury Offset Program

R.C. 131.025

Requires the Attorney General to enter into an agreement with the U.S. Secretary of the Treasury to participate in the Federal Treasury Offset Program for the collection of state income tax obligations and unemployment compensation debts that have been certified to the Attorney General pursuant to continuing law.

R.C. 131.025

Same as the Executive.

JFSCD35 Regulation of Therapeutic Wilderness Camps

R.C. 2151.011, 2151.421, 5103.02, 5103.50, 5103.51, 5103.52, 5103.53, 5103.54, and 5103.55

No provision.

Exempts private, nonprofit therapeutic wilderness camps from certification by ODJFS.

No provision.

Requires the ODJFS Director to license a private, nonprofit therapeutic wilderness camp that meets specified minimum standards.

No provision.

Prohibits the operation of a private, nonprofit therapeutic wilderness camp without a license.

Fiscal effect: Minimal increase in costs to ODJFS.

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JFSCD37 Filing paternity action after receiving pre-birth notice

No provision.

R.C. *3107.0611, 3107.0612*

Requires, instead of allows, a putative father who receives a pre-birth notice and who wishes to preserve his right to consent to the child's adoption to file a paternity action.

Fiscal effect: Potential increase in caseload and costs to local courts for any additional paternity actions filed.

JFSCD6 Child support processing charge

R.C. *3119.27*

Requires a court or administrative agency to impose on a child support obligor a processing charge in the amount of 2% of the support payment to be collected under a support order instead of a charge equal to the greater of 2% of that amount or \$1 per month.

Fiscal effect: Gain of revenue for courts and administrative agencies.

R.C. *3119.27*

Same as the Executive.

Fiscal effect: Same as the Executive.

JFSCD5 OhioMeansJobs registration for child support obligors

R.C. *3121.03*

Requires a court or administrative child support agency, when ordering a child support obligor to seek employment or participate in a work activity, to also require the obligor to register with OhioMeansJobs.

Fiscal effect: Potential minimal costs to ODJFS.

R.C. *3121.03*

Same as the Executive.

Fiscal effect: Same as the Executive.

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JFSCD30 Audit Settlements and Contingency Fund

R.C. 5101.073, Section 305.150
 Renames the ODJFS General Services Administration and Operating Fund the Audit Settlements and Contingency Fund.
 Specifies that the Fund is to consist of money transferred from any of the funds used by ODJFS, other than the GRF, and is to be used to pay for required audits, settlements, contingencies, and other related expenses.
 Permits the OBM Director to transfer money from the fund to any fund used by ODJFS or to the GRF.
 Specifies that the Fund may also consist of unearned federal revenue the final disposition of which is unknown.

R.C. 5101.073, Section 305.150
 Same as the Executive.
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JFSCD39 SNAP and Ohio Works First work requirements

No provision.

 No provision.

R.C. 5101.54, 5107.05
 Specifies that rules governing the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) must be consistent with federal work and employment and training requirements and must provide for SNAP recipients to participate in certain work activities, developmental activities, and alternative work activities.
 Specifies that rules governing Ohio Works First (OWF) must include requirements for work activities, developmental activities, and alternative work activities for OWF participants.

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JFSCD42 CDJFS evaluation system

No provision.

R.C. 5101.90, (Repealed)

Repeals a provision that requires ODJFS to establish an evaluation system to rate county departments of job and family services (CDJFS) in terms of success helping public assistance recipients obtain employment and cease relying on public assistance.

JFSCD28 Military Injury Relief Fund grant eligibility

R.C. 5101.98, 4503.535, 5747.01, 5747.113, 5902.02, Sections 405.30 and 759.10

Transfers from ODJFS to the Department of Veterans Services (DVS) all duties relating to grants from the Military Injury Relief Fund.

Expands the service members eligible to receive a grant of funds from the Military Injury Relief Fund to include a service member injured while serving after October 7, 2001, or any service member diagnosed with post-traumatic stress disorder while serving, or after having served, after October 7, 2001.

Requires the DVS Director to adopt rules necessary for the administration of the Military Injury Relief Fund Grant Program.

Specifies that the current rules regarding the grant program, which were adopted by the ODJFS Director, remain effective until the DVS Director's rules take effect, but provides that DVS is to administer the rules, and that the eligibility of an individual for a grant is expanded to

R.C. 5101.98, 4503.535, 5747.01, 5747.113, 5902.02, Section 759.10

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include any individual who served after October 7, 2001.
No provision.

Removes from existing law a provision that specifies that incentive grants, authorized by the federal Jobs for Veterans Act, may be contributed to the Military Injury Relief Fund.

Fiscal effect: DVS plans to expend \$2 million in each FY 2016 and FY 2017 for grants out of the Military Injury Relief Fund. ODJFS plans to expend \$0 in each FY 2016 and FY 2017 for grants out of the Military Injury Relief Fund.

Fiscal effect: Same as the Executive.

JFSCD15 Adult protective services

R.C. 5101.612, 5101.60, 5101.61, 5101.611, 5101.62, 5101.621, 5101.622, 5101.69, 5101.691, 5101.692, 5101.71, 5101.72, 5101.99, and 1347.08

R.C. 5101.612, 5101.60, 5101.61, 5101.611, 5101.62, 5101.621, 5101.622, 5101.69, 5101.691, 5101.692, 5101.71, 5101.72, 5101.99, and 1347.08

Requires ODJFS to establish and maintain a statewide adult protective services information system.

Same as the Executive.

Requires each CDJFS to prepare a memorandum of understanding that establishes the procedures to be followed by local officials when working on cases of elder abuse, neglect, and exploitation.

Same as the Executive.

Creates a procedure for the issuance of an ex parte emergency protective services order for an older adult.

Same as the Executive, but specifies that petitioning a court to issue an order authorizing the provision of adult protective services on an emergency basis is among the duties that the CDJFS may assign to another entity by contract.

Adds immediate and irreparable financial harm to the reasons for which an emergency protective services order may be issued.

Same as the Executive.

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Requires a CDJFS to refer a report of elder abuse, neglect, or exploitation to the Office of the State Long-Term Care Ombudsman Program, the Department of Health, or the county PCSA if the subject of the report falls within the jurisdiction of either of those agencies.

Same as the Executive.

Requires a CDJFS to be available to receive reports of elder abuse, neglect, or exploitation 24 hours a day and seven days a week.

Same as the Executive.

Requires ODJFS to provide training on the implementation of the adult protective services statutes and to require all protective services caseworkers and their managers to complete the training.

Same as the Executive.

Modifies the definition of "exploitation" as that term is used in adult protective services statutes.

Same as the Executive.

Removes a restriction that a CDJFS's responsibility for providing or arranging for adult protective services is subject to available funds.

No provision.

No provision.

Permits a CDJFS to contract with a private entity when contracting with another entity to perform specified duties regarding the provision of adult protective services.

Fiscal effect: Increase in costs to ODJFS. Increase in costs to CDJFSes.

Fiscal effect: Same as the Executive.

JFSCD13

Changes to child day-care definitions

R.C. 5104.01

Eliminates a provision that exempts care by relatives from the definition of "child care."

R.C. 5104.01

Same as the Executive.

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Clarifies that child care occurs in a child's own home if the care is provided by an in-home aide.

Same as the Executive.

Clarifies that the "Head Start Program" serves children from birth through preschool.

Same as the Executive.

Expands the definition of "owner" of a child day-care center, type A family day-care home, and type B family day-care home from a person or government entity to also include a firm, organization, institution, or agency, as well as the individual governing board members, partners, incorporators, agents, and the authorized representatives of those entities. As a result, expands prohibitions on seeking a license after revocation or application denial and criminal records check requirements to those persons and entities.

Same as the Executive.

Adds programs that operate for no more than 15 consecutive weeks per year to the definition of a "part-time child day-care center," "part-time center," "part-time type A family day-care home," and "part-time type A home."

Same as the Executive.

Fiscal effect: Potential increase in costs to ODJFS to perform additional tasks related to licensing type-A homes.

Fiscal effect: Same as the Executive.

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JFSCD9 Child care criminal records checks and prohibitions

R.C. 5104.013, 109.57, 109.572, 5104.012
(Repealed), 5104.04, 5104.09, 5104.37, and
5104.99

Consolidates into one Revised Code section existing provisions related to criminal records checks for child day-care centers, type A family day-care homes, licensed type B family day-care homes, and in-home aides and repeals duplicative provisions.

Applies existing criminal records check requirements to employees, owners, and licensees of licensed type B homes.

Specifies that criminal records check requirements for employees apply to any employee rather than only those employed as a person responsible for the care, custody, or control of a child.

Prohibits the ODJFS Director from issuing a license to a type A home or type B home if a child under 18 residing in the home has been adjudicated a delinquent child for committing any of the offenses for which a criminal records check must be performed.

Adds the following offenses to those currently included in a criminal records check: extortion, trafficking in persons, commercial sexual exploitation of a minor, soliciting to engage in sexual activity for hire, aggravated arson, arson, disrupting public services, vandalism, inciting to violence, aggravated riot, riot, inducing panic, misrepresentation relating to provision of child care, failure to disclose the

R.C. 5104.013, 109.57, 109.572, 5104.012
(Repealed), 5104.04, 5104.09, 5104.37, and
5104.99

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death or injury of a child in a child care facility, intimidation, failure to report child abuse or neglect, making a false report of child abuse or neglect, escape, or aiding escape or resistance to lawful authority.

Fiscal effect: Potential minimal increase in administrative costs to ODJFS and CDJFSes.

Fiscal effect: Same as the Executive.

JFSCD8 Child day-care center staff training

R.C. 5104.015, 5104.037 (Repealed), 5104.016, 5104.017, 5107.018, 5104.036

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Repeals provisions that generally require each child day-care center staff member to complete 15 hours of in-service training annually.

Same as the Executive.

Requires the ODJFS Director to adopt rules regarding the training of child day-care center staff members.

Same as the Executive.

Requires ODJFS to adopt rules establishing minimum requirements for instructional time for child day-care centers, type A family day-care homes, and licensed type B family day-care homes rated through the tiered quality rating and improvement system.

Same as the Executive.

Permits child-care staff members to furnish evidence of high school graduation or certification of high school equivalency to a designee of the ODJFS Director, rather than only to the Director.

Same as the Executive.

Fiscal effect: Potential minimal increase in costs to draft rules.

Fiscal effect: Same as the Executive.

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JFSCD10 Type A family day-care home inspections

R.C. 5104.03

Authorizes the ODJFS Director to contract with a government or private nonprofit entity to conduct type A family day-care home inspections.

Specifies that certain actions of the Director (refusing to issue a license or accept an application for a license within the prohibited five-year period) are not subject to the Administrative Procedure Act (R.C. Chapter 119.).

R.C. 5104.03

Same as the Executive.

Same as the Executive.

JFSCD11 Summary suspension of child care licenses

R.C. 5104.042

Requires ODJFS to suspend, without prior hearing, the license of a child day-care center, type A family day-care home, or licensed type B family day-care home under specified circumstances, including the death or serious injury to a child receiving child care in the center or home, alleged abuse or neglect, alleged fraud, or a serious risk to the health or safety of children receiving care in the center or home.

Fiscal effect: None.

R.C. 5104.042

Same as the Executive.

Fiscal effect: Same as the Executive.

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JFSCD12 In-home aide reimbursement for publicly funded child care

R.C. 5104.30

Requires the Ohio Department of Job and Family Services (ODJFS) Director to establish an hourly reimbursement ceiling for in-home aides providing publicly funded child care rather than a reimbursement ceiling that is 75% of the reimbursement ceiling for type B family day-care homes.

R.C. 5104.30

Same as the Executive.

JFSCD26 Publicly funded child care eligibility and fee

R.C. 5104.38

Changes, from 200% to 300% of the Federal Poverty Guideline, the maximum amount of income a family can have for initial and continued eligibility for publicly funded child care.

Repeals a provision specifying that a caretaker parent cannot be required to pay a fee for publicly funded child care that exceeds 10% of the parent's family income.

Fiscal effect: ODJFS plans to use \$4 million in FY 2016 and \$3.8 million in FY 2017 from GRF line item 600535, Early Care and Education, to increase eligibility for publicly funded child care from 200% to 300% of the Federal Poverty Level. ODJFS plans to use \$9.6 million in FY 2016 and \$10.2 million in FY 2017 from line item 600689, TANF Block Grant, for copayment and intake payments.

R.C. 5104.38

Same as the Executive.

Fiscal effect: Same as the Executive.

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JFSCD29 Prevention, Retention, and Contingency Program

R.C. 5108.04, 5108.01, 5108.021, 5108.03, 5108.041, 5108.042, 5108.05, 5108.06, 5108.07, 5108.09, 5108.10 (Repealed), and 5108.11

Replaces a requirement that each county department of job and family services (CDJFS) adopt a statement of policies governing the Prevention, Retention, and Contingency (PRC) program with a requirement that each CDJFS adopt a county PRC program plan.

Requires each CDJFS to adopt its initial county PRC program plan not later than November 15, 2015.

Requires each CDJFS to update its county PRC program not later than October 1, 2017, and at least every two years thereafter.

Requires each CDJFS to include in its county PRC program plan all required benefits and services specified in rules the ODJFS Director is required to adopt.

Requires that the required benefits include, at a minimum, short-term supportive services and disaster assistance, permits each CDJFS to include additional benefits and services in its county PRC program plan, and prohibits required and additional benefits and services from including work subsidies.

Mandates required and additional benefits and services to have the primary purposes of (1) diverting families from participating in Ohio Works First and (2) meeting an emergent need that, if not met, would threaten the safety,

R.C. 5108.04, 5108.01, 5108.021, 5108.03, 5108.041, 5108.042, 5108.05, 5108.06, 5108.07, 5108.09, 5108.10 (Repealed), and 5108.11, 5108.051 (Repealed), 5108.022

Same as the Executive.

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Same as the Executive, but describes short-term supportive services as those that address the specific crisis or episode of need, including assistance with employment, housing, utilities, transportation, or other employment-related needs.

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health, or well-being of one or more members of a family.
 Authorizes a CDJFS to suspend its entire county plan for the PRC program, including required benefits and services.

Replaces the Executive provision with a provision that prohibits a CDJFS from suspending its entire PRC plan and only authorizes suspending required benefits if funds allocated for the PRC program by the ODJFS Director have been exhausted and the CDJFS submits an amended program plan in accordance with current law requirements.

No provision.

Repeals a provision of current law that exempts a CDJFS from a requirement that, in amending its PRC program plan, it comply with existing requirements for comment or review of the plan.

JFSCD27

Disability Financial Assistance eligibility determinations

R.C. 5115.04

Permits ODJFS to contract with a state agency to make eligibility determinations for the Disability Financial Assistance Program.
 Requires ODJFS to pay for the state agency's administrative costs to make such determinations.

R.C. 5115.04

Same as the Executive.

Fiscal effect: Same as the Executive.

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JFSCD38 Healthy Food Financing Initiative

No provision.

Sections: 305.10, 305.25

Specifies that GRF appropriation item 600546, Healthy Food Financing Initiative, be used to support healthy food access in low- to moderate-income and underserved urban and rural areas of the state.

No provision.

Requires the Director of ODJFS to contract with a certified Community Development Financial Institution to implement and administer the Initiative.

No provision.

Requires the Director of ODJFS to submit a report on the Initiative to leadership in the General Assembly.

No provision.

Earmarks \$250,000 in each fiscal year from GRF item 600546, Healthy Food Financing Initiative, for the East Side Market in Cleveland.

Fiscal effect: The bill appropriates \$1.5 million in FY 2016 and \$2 million in FY 2017 to the newly created item 600546.

JFSCD31 Agency and Holding Account Redistribution Fund Groups

Section: 305.20

Requires the Fiduciary Fund Group and Holding Account Fund Group be used to hold revenues until the appropriate fund is determined or until the revenues are directed to the appropriate governmental agency other than ODJFS.

Permits the ODJFS Director to request the OBM Director to authorize expenditures from the Support Intercept - Federal Fund (Fund 1920), the Support Intercept - State Fund (Fund 5830), the Food Stamp Offset

Section: 305.20

Same as the Executive.

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Fund (Fund 5B60), the Refunds and Audit Settlements Fund (Fund R012), or the Forgery Collections Fund (Fund R013), if receipts credited to these funds exceed appropriations. Appropriates the additional amounts upon approval of the OBM Director.

JFSCD40 Ohio Parenting and Pregnancy Program

No provision.

Section: 305.23

Earmarks \$500,000 in each fiscal year from GRF appropriation item 600410, TANF State/Maintenance of Effort, for the Ohio Parenting and Pregnancy Program.

JFSCD32 County Administrative Funds

Section: 305.30

Permits GRF line item 600521, Family Assistance - Local, to be used by CDJFSs to administer food assistance and disability assistance programs.

Permits GRF line item 655522, Medicaid Program Support - Local, to be used by CDJFSs to administer the Medicaid program and the State Children's Health Insurance program.

Allows the OBM Director to transfer, at the request of the ODJFS Director, appropriations between GRF line item 600521, Family Assistance - Local, and GRF line item 655522, Medicaid Program Support - Local, in order to ensure county administrative funds are expended from the proper line item.

Section: 305.30

Same as the Executive.

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Requires the ODJFS Director to request the OBM Director to authorize expenditures in excess of the amounts appropriated from Fund 3F01, the Medicaid Program Support Fund, and Fund 3840, the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program Fund, if receipts credited to those funds exceed the amounts appropriated, and appropriates those amounts upon approval of the OBM Director.

Same as the Executive.

JFSCD1 Food Stamps Transfer

Section: 305.40

Allows the OBM Director on July 1, 2015, or as soon as possible thereafter, to transfer up to \$1,000,000 cash from the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program Fund (Fund 3840), to the Food Assistance Fund (Fund 5ES0).

Section: 305.40

Same as the Executive.

JFSCD23 Name of Food Stamp Program

Section: 305.50

Specifies that the ODJFS Director is not required to amend rules regarding the Food Stamp Program to change the name to the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program. Allows the Director to refer to the program as the Food Stamp Program, the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program, or the Food Assistance Program in ODJFS's rules and documents.

Section: 305.50

Same as the Executive.

Fiscal effect: None.

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JFSCD2 Ohio Association of Food Banks

Section: 305.60

Requires that GRF appropriation item 600540, Food Banks, be used to provide funds to the Ohio Association of Food Banks to purchase and distribute food products.

Requires the ODJFS Director, in FY 2016 and FY 2017, to provide funds for the Ohio Association of Food Banks in an amount up to or equal to the assistance provided in FY 2015 (\$8.5 million) from all ODJFS funds, except the GRF. Specifies that these funds are in addition to other funds designated for the association (\$6.0 million).

Requires ODJFS to count eligible nonfederal expenditures made by member food banks of the Ohio Association of Food Banks toward the TANF maintenance of effort requirements of 42 U.S.C. 609(a)(7) and to enter into an agreement with the Ohio Association of Food Banks to carry out the requirements under this section.

No provision.

Sections: 305.60, 305.10, 305.27

Same as the Executive.

Same as the Executive, but requires the Director of Job and Family Services provide to the Ohio Association of Food Banks not less than \$17.25 million in each fiscal year.

Same as the Executive.

Earmarks \$200,000 out of GRF item 600540, Food Banks, in each fiscal year to expand the Cincinnati COOKS! Program to the cities of Logan and Cleveland. Specifies program eligibility and the certifications participants are to receive upon completion of the program. Requires the expansion programs to train at least 75 individuals combined over the biennium. Requires the Food Bank to submit a report that outlines program statistics.

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JFSCD4 Public Assistance Activities/TANF MOE

Section: 305.70

Requires that line item 600658, Public Assistance Activities, be used by ODJFS to meet the TANF maintenance of effort (MOE) requirements. Specifies that once the state is assured that it will meet the MOE requirement, ODJFS may use funds from the appropriation item to support public assistance activities.

Fiscal effect: Persons receiving child support and OWF cash assistance are required to assign ODJFS to receive their child support payments to cover part of their cash assistance benefits. These funds are deposited into DPF Fund 4A80 and expended through line item 600658. ODJFS plans to use \$26 million in each fiscal year to meet the state's TANF MOE requirements.

Section: 305.70

Same as the Executive.

Fiscal effect: Same as the Executive.

JFSCD22 TANF Block Grant

Sections: 305.80, 305.90, 305.100

Makes the following earmarks of line item 600689, TANF Block Grant:

- (1) \$6.54 million in each fiscal year for the Governor's Office of Faith-Based and Community Initiatives
- (2) \$2 million in each fiscal year for the Independent Living Initiative
- (3) \$1 million in each fiscal year for the Ohio Commission on Fatherhood

Sections: 305.80, 305.90, 305.100, 305.103, 305.105

Same as the Executive.

- (1) Same as the Executive.
- (2) Same as the Executive.
- (3) Same as the Executive.

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No provision.

(4) \$625,000 in each fiscal year for the Ohio Alliance of Boys & Girls Clubs.

No provision.

(5) \$250,000 in FY 2016 for the Harvard Community Services Center. Reappropriates any funds unspent from this earmark at the end of FY 2016 for the same purpose in FY 2017.

JFSCD16 Flexible funding for families and children

Section: 305.110

Authorizes a CDJFS or PCSA that receives an allocation from ODJFS from GRF appropriation item 600523, Family and Children Services, or 600533, Child, Family, and Community Protective Services, in collaboration with the county family and children first council, to transfer a portion of either or both allocations to a flexible funding pool.

Section: 305.110

Same as the Executive.

JFSCD21 State Child Protection Allocation

Section: 305.120

Requires up to \$3.2 million of GRF line item 600523, Family and Children Services, be used in each fiscal year to match eligible federal Title IV-B ESSA funds and federal Title IV-E Chafee funds allocated to public children services agencies.

Section: 305.120

Same as the Executive.

Requires ODJFS to implement and oversee use of a Child Placement Level of Care Tool on a pilot basis for 18 months in up to ten counties and, in each county, the program must include the county and at least one private child placing agency or private noncustodial agency.

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Requires ODJFS to provide for an independent evaluation of the pilot program to rate the program's success in certain areas.

Same as the Executive.

Requires ODJFS to seek maximum federal financial participation to support the pilot program and the evaluation.

Same as the Executive.

Requires ODJFS to seek state funding to implement the pilot program and to contract for the independent evaluation.

Same as the Executive.

Permits ODJFS to adopt rules in accordance with the Administrative Procedure Act necessary to carry out the purposes of the pilot program.

Same as the Executive.

JFSCD36 Crisis Care Facilities

No provision.

Section: 305.123

Earmarks \$300,000 in each fiscal year of GRF line item 600523, Family and Children Services, to children's crisis care facilities.

JFSCD17 Child, Family, and Community Protective Services

Section: 305.130

Requires that GRF line item 600533, Child, Family, and Community Protective Services, be distributed to each CDJFS using the formula ODJFS uses when distributing Title XX funds to county departments and requires that the funds be used for specified purposes.

Section: 305.130

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JFSCD19 Children and Family Services Activities

Section: 305.140

Requires line item 600609, Children and Family Services Activities, be used to expend miscellaneous foundation funds and grants to support children and family services activities.

Section: 305.140

Same as the Executive.

JFSCD33 ODJFS Audit Settlements and Contingency Fund

Section: 305.150

Permits the Audit Settlements and Contingency Fund to also consist of earned federal revenue, the final disposition of which is unknown.

Section: 305.150

Same as the Executive.

JFSCD18 Adoption Assistance Loan

Section: 305.160

Authorizes ODJFS to use up to ten per cent of line item 600634, Adoption Assistance Loan, for administration of adoption assistance loans.

Section: 305.160

Same as the Executive.

JFSCD20 Victims of Human Trafficking

Section: 305.170

Requires that line item 600660, Victims of Human Trafficking, be used to provide treatment, care, rehabilitation, education, housing, and assistance for victims of trafficking in persons.

Section: 305.170

Same as the Executive.

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Specifies that if amounts credited to the Victims of Human Trafficking Fund (Fund 5NG0) exceed amounts appropriated, the ODJFS Director may request the OBM Director to authorize additional expenditures from the fund, and appropriates any additional amounts.

Same as the Executive.

JFSCD24 Unemployment Compensation Interest

Section: 305.180

Requires line item 600695, Unemployment Compensation Interest, to be used for payment of interest costs paid to the U.S. Secretary of the Treasury for the repayment of accrued interest related to federal unemployment account borrowing.

Section: 305.180

Same as the Executive.

Fiscal effect: ODJFS projects the unemployment compensation debt interest payment to be \$28.8 million in FY 2016. This interest payment is due annually at the end of September in any year in which interest is due.

Fiscal effect: Same as the Executive.

JFSCD25 Comprehensive Case Management and Employment Program

Section: 305.190

Requires the ODJFS Director to administer the federal Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA) during FY 2016 and FY 2017.

Section: 305.190

No provision.

Requires ODJFS, in consultation with the Governor's Office of Workforce Transformation (OWT), to create, coordinate, and supervise the Comprehensive Case Management and Employment Program (CCMEP) during FY 2016 and FY 2017.

No provision.

Executive

As Passed by the House

Requires that CCMEP, to the extent funds under the TANF block grant and WIOA are available, make certain employment and training services available to participants in accordance with comprehensive assessments of their employment and training needs.

No provision.

Requires work-eligible individuals to participate in CCMEP as a condition of participating in Ohio Works First (OWF).

No provision.

Permits OWF participants who are not work-eligible individuals and individuals receiving benefits and services under the Prevention, Retention, and Contingency program to volunteer to participate in CCMEP.

No provision.

Requires low-income adults, in-school youth, or out-of-school youth who have barriers to employment to participate in CCMEP as a condition of participating in workforce development activities funded by the TANF block grant or WIOA.

No provision.

Requires CCMEP to serve individuals who are at least age 16 but not more than age 24 beginning December 15, 2015, and to serve other individuals beginning July 1, 2016.

No provision.

Requires each board of county commissioners to designate, not later than October 15, 2015, either the CDJFS or workforce development agency (WDA) as the lead agency for purposes of CCMEP.

No provision.

Assigns to the lead agency certain duties, including the duty to serve as the county fiscal agent for CCMEP.

No provision.

Requires ODJFS, in consultation with OWT, to establish an evaluation system for CDJFSs' and WDAs' administration of CCMEP.

No provision.

Executive

As Passed by the House

Requires ODJFS, in consultation with CDJFSs and WDAs, to review the agencies' existing functions to discover opportunities for efficiencies so that CCMEP's capacity may be increased.

No provision.

No provision.

States that it is the General Assembly's intent to have any case management services regarding employment and training needs governed at the county level and provided through county departments of job and family services and workforce development agencies.

Fiscal effect: ODJFS plans to use \$128 million in FY 2016 and FY 2017 out of line item 600688, Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act Programs for the administration of such programs. ODJFS plans to redirect \$50 million in FY 2016 and FY 2017 from line item 600688, Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act Programs, and \$105 million in FY 2016 and FY 2017 from line item 600689, TANF Block Grant, for CCMEP purposes (to the extent that these funds are available).

Fiscal effect: None.

JFSCD34 State and county shared services transfers

Section: 305.200

Allows the Director of Budget and Management, upon receipt of a request from the Director of Job and Family Services and the Director of Medicaid, to transfer up to \$7,200,000 cash from the State and County Shared Services Fund (Fund 5HLO) used by the Department of Job and Family Services to the Health Care/Medicaid Support and Recoveries Fund (Fund 5DL0) used by the Department of Medicaid.

Section: 305.200

Same as the Executive.

Executive

As Passed by the House

OBMCD20 FY 2015 GRF ending balance

Section: 512.30

Requires the Director of OBM to allocate cash from the FY 2015 surplus GRF revenue that would otherwise be transferred to the Budget Stabilization Fund (Fund 7013) or the Income Tax Reduction Fund (Fund 4R80) as follows:

- (1) Reserve up to \$200,000,000 cash in the GRF to support personal income tax reductions;
- (2) Transfer up to \$375,000,000 cash to the Budget Stabilization Fund to increase the balance of that fund to an amount equal to 5% of estimated FY 2017 GRF revenue;
- (3) No provision.
- (4) Transfer up to \$120,000,000 cash to the Student Debt Reduction Fund (Fund 5QF0);
- (5) Transfer up to \$40,000,000 cash to the Unemployment Compensation Interest Contingency Fund (Fund 5HC0) for payment to the U.S. Secretary of the Treasury of accrued interest costs related to federal unemployment account borrowing;
- (6) Transfer up to \$20,000,000 cash to the Disaster Services Fund (Fund 5E20);
- (7) Transfer up to \$25,000,000 cash to the Systems Transformation Support Fund (Fund 5QM0);

Section: 512.30

Same as the Executive, but makes the following changes:

- (1) Same as the Executive, but decreases the amount reserved to up to \$176,000,000.
- (2) Same as the Executive.
- (3) Transfers up to \$100,000,000 cash to the Straight A Fund (Fund 5RB0), which the bill creates.
- (4) Same as the Executive, but decreases the amount of the transfer to up to \$15,000,000.
- (5) Same as the Executive.
- (6) Same as the Executive.
- (7) Same as the Executive, but decreases the amount of the transfer to up to \$9,000,000.

Executive

As Passed by the House

(8) Transfer up to \$12,000,000 cash to the Natural Resources Special Purposes Fund (Fund 5MW0), which the bill creates;

(9) Transfer up to \$10,000,000 cash to the Local Government Innovation Fund (Fund 5KN0).

(10) No provision.

(11) No provision.

(8) Same as the Executive.

(9) Same as the Executive.

(10) Transfers up to \$15,000,000 cash to the Workforce Grant Program Fund (Fund 5RA0).

(11) Transfers up to \$30,000,000 cash to the School District TPP Supplement Fund (Fund 5RE0).

Executive

As Passed by the House

MCDCD20 Non-emergency medical transportation**Section: 327.210**

Allows the OBM Director, on request of the Medicaid Director to transfer appropriations between GRF appropriation item 651525, Medicaid/Health Care Services, and 655523, Medicaid Program Support - Local Transportation, used by the Ohio Department of Job and Family Services (ODJFS), to ensure access to a non-emergency medical transportation brokerage program. Requires that if transfers occur from 651525 that the OBM Director transfer the federal share of the transfer in cash from the GRF to the Medicaid Program Support Fund (Fund 3F01), used by ODJFS and appropriates the amount of the transfer to appropriation item 655624, Medicaid Program Support and reduces the federal share of 651525 accordingly. Allows the OBM Director to transfer cash from Fund 3F01 to the GRF, appropriates the federal share portion to 651525, and reduces the appropriation to 651624 accordingly.

Section: 327.210

Same as the Executive.

Executive

As Passed by the House

MCDCD21 Public assistance eligibility determination system implementation

Section: 327.220

Allows the OBM Director, upon request of the Medicaid Director, to increase appropriation item 655522, Medicaid Program Support - Local, used by ODJFS, by up to \$7.2 million in each fiscal year. Allows the OBM Director to transfer cash from the GRF, in the amount of the corresponding federal share, to a federal fund identified by the Medicaid Director. Appropriates any transferred amounts and reduces the state and federal share of 651525 accordingly.

Requires that any increase in funding be provided to county departments of job and family services (CDJFS) to be used for costs related to transitioning to a new public assistance eligibility determination system. Prohibits funds to be used for existing and ongoing operating expenses. Requires the Medicaid Director to establish criteria for distributing funds and for CDJFS' to submit allowable expenses.

Requires CDJFS' to comply with new roles, processes, and responsibilities related to the new eligibility determination system and to report to ODJFS and ODM, on a schedule determined by the Medicaid Director, how the funds were used.

Section: 327.220

Same as the Executive.

Same as the Executive.

Same as the Executive.

Executive

As Passed by the House

MCD48 Medicaid rates for home health aide services

Sections: 327.250, 327.260

No provision.

Requires the Medicaid rate for home health aide services, other than those provided by an independent provider, during the period beginning July 1, 2015, and ending June 30, 2017, be at least 10% higher than the rate in effect on June 30, 2015. Applies the increase to any Medicaid-covered home health aid services.

No provision.

Earmarks \$29.0 million in each fiscal year in GRF line item 651525, Medicaid/Health Care Services, to increase the payment rate paid for home health aide services.

Executive

As Passed by the House

MHACD11 Agency report on alcohol and drug services

R.C. 5119.161

Eliminates the requirement that ODMHAS and the Department of Job and Family Services do both of the following:

- (1) Submit a biennial report on the progress of a joint state plan to improve the accessibility and timeliness of alcohol and drug addiction services for individuals a public children services agency identifies as being in need of those services;
- (2) Include as part of that plan a request for an appropriation to pay for alcohol and drug addiction services for caregivers of at-risk children.

Fiscal effect: Reduction in costs for ODMHAS and the Department of Job and Family Services.

R.C. 5119.161

Same as the Executive.

(1) Same as the Executive.

(2) Same as the Executive.

Fiscal effect: Same as the Executive.

Executive

As Passed by the House

BORCD54 OhioMeansJobs registration

R.C. 3304.171, 3333.92, 6301.16

Beginning January 1, 2016, requires participants in an Adult Basic and Literacy Education-funded or an Ohio Technical Center-funded training or education program, or in an adult training or education program funded under the federal Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act, and recipients of vocational rehabilitation services provided by the Opportunities for Ohioans with Disabilities Agency to create an account on the OhioMeansJobs web site by certain specified times.

Exempts the following from the requirement: (1) an individual who is legally prohibited from using a computer, (2) an individual who has a physical or visual impairment that makes the individual unable to use a computer, or (3) an individual who has a limited ability to read, write, speak, or understand a language in which OhioMeansJobs is available.

Fiscal effect: None.

R.C. 3304.171, 3333.92, 6301.16

Same as the Executive.

Same as the Executive.

Fiscal effect: Same as the Executive.

Executive

As Passed by the House

DVSCD2

Military injury relief

Section: 405.20

(1) Requires the Director of Budget and Management, effective July 1, 2015, to cancel existing encumbrances against DPF Fund 5DB0 appropriation item 600637, Military Injury Relief Subsidies, used by the Department of Job and Family Services, reestablishes them against DPF Fund 5DB0 appropriation item 900643, Military Injury Relief Subsidies, used by the Department of Veterans Services, and appropriates the reestablished encumbrance amounts.

(2) Requires any business commenced but not completed under appropriation item 600637 by July 1, 2015, be completed under appropriation item 900643 in the same manner and with the same effect as if it were completed with regard to appropriation item 600637.

Section: 405.20

(1) Same as the Executive.

(2) Same as the Executive.