



STATE OF ARKANSAS
SARAH HUCKABEE SANDERS
GOVERNOR

March 2, 2023

Senator Jonathan Dismang, Co-Chair
Representative Lane Jean, Co-Chair
Joint Budget Committee
Arkansas General Assembly
State Capitol Building
Little Rock, AR 72201

Dear Co-Chairs:

I respectfully request the following amendments to SB51, the 2023-2024 Operations Appropriation Bill for the Arkansas Department of Human Services - Division of Developmental Disabilities Services.

Please amend SECTION 1. REGULAR SALARIES - OPERATIONS as follows:

Item Class		Maximum	Maximum Annual	
No. Code	Title	No. of	Salary Rate	
		Employees	2023-2024	Fiscal Year
(13) L038C	REGISTERED NURSE	59	69	GRADE MP01
(68) L069C	LICENSED PRACTICAL NURSE	114	104	GRADE GS06

This request will reclassify ten (10) Licensed Practical Nurse positions to Registered Nurse. As the demand for health services increases, this is necessary for the Division of Developmental Disabilities Services to provide a higher quality of care as the job functions related to Registered Nurses add additional education and expertise.

I appreciate your consideration of this matter.

Sincerely,

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Amendment Form

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Subtitle of Senate Bill No. 51

AN ACT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF DEVELOPMENTAL
DISABILITIES SERVICES APPROPRIATION FOR THE 2023-2024 FISCAL YEAR.

Amendment No. ___ to Senate Bill No. 51

Amend Senate Bill No. 51 as originally introduced:

On page 2, line 9, delete "59" and substitute "69"

AND

On page 3, line 28, delete "114" and substitute "104".

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The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended and read the second time and _____

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Secretary

1 State of Arkansas
2 94th General Assembly
3 Regular Session, 2023

A Bill

SENATE BILL 51

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5 By: Joint Budget Committee
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For An Act To Be Entitled

8 AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES
9 AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN
10 SERVICES - DIVISION OF DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES
11 SERVICES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2024;
12 AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
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Subtitle

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15 AN ACT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN
16 SERVICES - DIVISION OF DEVELOPMENTAL
17 DISABILITIES SERVICES APPROPRIATION FOR
18 THE 2023-2024 FISCAL YEAR.
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22 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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24 SECTION 1. REGULAR SALARIES - OPERATIONS. There is hereby established
25 for the Department of Human Services - Division of Developmental Disabilities
26 Services for the 2023-2024 fiscal year, the following maximum number of
27 regular employees.
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		Maximum Annual	
		Maximum	Salary Rate
Item	Class	No. of	Fiscal Year
No.	Code Title	Employees	2023-2024
33	(1) N249N DHS DIVISION DIRECTOR	1	GRADE SE02
34	(2) L008N PHYSICIAN SPECIALIST	6	GRADE MP07
35	(3) L011N DENTIST	2	GRADE MP06
36	(4) L017N DHS ALEXANDER CHIEF PSYCHOLOGIST	1	GRADE MP05



1	(5)	L018N NURSE PRACTITIONER	7	GRADE MP04
2	(6)	L001C PSYCHOLOGIST SUPERVISOR	1	GRADE MP04
3	(7)	L009C NURSE MANAGER	5	GRADE MP03
4	(8)	L003C PSYCHOLOGIST	1	GRADE MP03
5	(9)	L015C CLINICAL SPEECH PATHOLOGIST	10	GRADE MP02
6	(10)	L036C NURSE INSTRUCTOR	4	GRADE MP02
7	(11)	L019C REGISTERED NURSE COORDINATOR	6	GRADE MP02
8	(12)	L027C REGISTERED NURSE SUPERVISOR	15	GRADE MP02
9	(13)	L038C REGISTERED NURSE	59 69	GRADE MP01
10	(14)	D065C NETWORK SUPPORT ANALYST	1	GRADE IT04
11	(15)	D079C COMPUTER SUPPORT TECHNICIAN	5	GRADE IT02
12	(16)	N175N DHS DDS ASST DIR FOR RESIDENTIAL SVC	1	GRADE GS15
13	(17)	N144N DHS DDS DIR CLIENT SERVICES	1	GRADE GS14
14	(18)	N081N DHS DDS SUPT HDC/CONWAY	1	GRADE GS14
15	(19)	N101N DHS/DCO ASST DEP DIR PGM & ADMN SPT	1	GRADE GS14
16	(20)	N110N DHS ASST DIR CONTRACT MONITORING UNIT	1	GRADE GS13
17	(21)	N126N DHS DDS SUPT HDC	4	GRADE GS13
18	(22)	N145N DHS ASSISTANT DIRECTOR CMS	1	GRADE GS12
19	(23)	N167N DHS POLICY & RESEARCH DIRECTOR	1	GRADE GS12
20	(24)	M005C DHS ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT - CONWAY	1	GRADE GS11
21	(25)	G099C DHS PROGRAM ADMINISTRATOR	24	GRADE GS09
22	(26)	L040C DIETARY SERVICES DIRECTOR	2	GRADE GS09
23	(27)	G109C GRANTS MANAGER	1	GRADE GS09
24	(28)	M009C LICENSED CERTIFIED SOCIAL WORKER	1	GRADE GS09
25	(29)	L021C NURSING HOME ASSISTANT ADMINISTRATOR	4	GRADE GS09
26	(30)	L033C PSYCHOLOGICAL EXAMINER	11	GRADE GS09
27	(31)	X038C QUALITY ASSURANCE MANAGER	2	GRADE GS09
28	(32)	E024C TEACHER SUPERVISOR	1	GRADE GS09
29	(33)	A116C BUSINESS OPERATIONS MANAGER	1	GRADE GS08
30	(34)	E035C CERTIFIED MASTERS TEACHER	2	GRADE GS08
31	(35)	G152C DHS PROGRAM MANAGER	23	GRADE GS08
32	(36)	E026C EDUCATION & INSTRUCTION COORDINATOR	4	GRADE GS08
33	(37)	L047C MEDICAL TECHNOLOGIST SUPERVISOR	1	GRADE GS08
34	(38)	R014C PERSONNEL MANAGER	1	GRADE GS08
35	(39)	X062C QUALITY ASSURANCE COORDINATOR	2	GRADE GS08
36	(40)	E023C TRAINING PROJECT MANAGER	1	GRADE GS08

1	(41)	R024C ASSISTANT PERSONNEL MANAGER	5	GRADE GS07
2	(42)	S008C CAMPUS MAINTENANCE SUPERVISOR	1	GRADE GS07
3	(43)	M043C DDS PROGRAM COORDINATOR	3	GRADE GS07
4	(44)	A055C DHS INSTITUTION BUSINESS MANAGER	4	GRADE GS07
5	(45)	G183C DHS PROGRAM COORDINATOR	58	GRADE GS07
6	(46)	M042C DHS STAFF SUPERVISOR	1	GRADE GS07
7	(47)	G182C DHS/DDS PROGRAM COORDINATOR	34	GRADE GS07
8	(48)	L055C DIETICIAN	1	GRADE GS07
9	(49)	S019C DIRECTOR MAINTENANCE	1	GRADE GS07
10	(50)	E048C EDUCATION & INSTRUCTION SPECIALIST	10	GRADE GS07
11	(51)	E032C EDUCATION COUNSELOR	1	GRADE GS07
12	(52)	M026C LICENSED SOCIAL WORKER	3	GRADE GS07
13	(53)	S017C MAINTENANCE COORDINATOR	4	GRADE GS07
14	(54)	L061C MEDICAL TECHNOLOGIST	3	GRADE GS07
15	(55)	M025C PROGRAM ELIGIBILITY COORDINATOR I	1	GRADE GS07
16	(56)	X095C QUALITY ASSURANCE ANALYST	6	GRADE GS07
17	(57)	M024C RESIDENTIAL SERVICES MANAGER	14	GRADE GS07
18	(58)	E040C STAFF DEVELOPMENT COORDINATOR	5	GRADE GS07
19	(59)	C037C ADMINISTRATIVE ANALYST	6	GRADE GS06
20	(60)	R027C BUDGET SPECIALIST	1	GRADE GS06
21	(61)	E044C CERTIFIED BACHELORS TEACHER	3	GRADE GS06
22	(62)	M057C CHAPLAIN	1	GRADE GS06
23	(63)	G210C DHS PROGRAM SPECIALIST	5	GRADE GS06
24	(64)	E038C EDUCATION & INSTRUCTION ANALYST	1	GRADE GS06
25	(65)	A074C FISCAL SUPPORT SUPERVISOR	1	GRADE GS06
26	(66)	G180C GRANTS ANALYST	1	GRADE GS06
27	(67)	R025C HUMAN RESOURCES ANALYST	7	GRADE GS06
28	(68)	L069C LICENSED PRACTICAL NURSE	114 104	GRADE GS06
29	(69)	S033C MAINTENANCE SUPERVISOR	6	GRADE GS06
30	(70)	A084C PROGRAM/FIELD AUDIT SPECIALIST	1	GRADE GS06
31	(71)	X136C QUALITY ASSURANCE REVIEWER	1	GRADE GS06
32	(72)	C026C RECORDS/INTAKE SUPERVISOR	1	GRADE GS06
33	(73)	L060C REHAB INSTRUCTOR SUPERVISOR	26	GRADE GS06
34	(74)	M098C RESIDENTIAL CARE SHIFT MANAGER	56	GRADE GS06
35	(75)	X094C SERVICES & PROGRAM LICENSING SPEC	8	GRADE GS06
36	(76)	M054C SOCIAL SERVICE WORKER	11	GRADE GS06