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SENATE BILL 267

By: Joint Budget Committee

For An Act To Be Entitled

AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES SERVICES FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Subtitle

AN ACT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES SERVICES APPROPRIATION FOR THE 2005-2007 BIENNIUM.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

SECTION 1. REGULAR SALARIES. There is hereby established for the Department of Human Services - Division of Developmental Disabilities Services for the 2005-2007 biennium, the following maximum number of regular employees whose salaries shall be governed by the provisions of the Uniform Classification and Compensation Act (Arkansas Code §§21-5-201 et seq.), or its successor, and all laws amendatory thereto. Provided, however, that any position to which a specific maximum annual salary is set out herein in dollars, shall be exempt from the provisions of said Uniform Classification and Compensation Act. All persons occupying positions authorized herein are hereby governed by the provisions of the Regular Salaries Procedures and Restrictions Act (Arkansas Code §21-5-101), or its successor.



Item	Class	Maximum No. of Employees	Maximum Annual Salary Rate Fiscal Years	
			2005-2006	2006-2007
No.	Code	Title		
(1)	6603	GENERAL PHYSICIAN	7	\$119,887 \$122,595
(2)	6601	DENTIST	3	\$119,887 \$122,595
(3)	9972	DDS COMMISSIONER	1	\$98,316 \$100,700
(4)	8966	DHS DDS SUPT HDC/CONWAY	1	\$90,474 \$92,741
(5)	8949	DDS DIR EVAL, PLAN & MGMT SYSTEMS	1	\$81,859 \$83,964
(6)	8969	DHS DDS SUPT HDC	1	\$81,159 \$83,251
(7)	8970	DHS DDS SUPT HDC	1	\$81,156 \$83,247
(8)	8972	DHS DDS SUPT HDC	1	\$79,209 \$81,263
(9)	8968	DHS DDS SUPT HDC	1	\$78,527 \$80,569
(10)	8967	DHS DDS DIR CLIENT SERVICES	1	\$72,540 \$74,468
(11)	8948	DDS ASST DIR PROGRAM MANAGEMENT	1	\$69,501 \$71,371
(12)	8035	ASSISTANT DIRECTR CMS	1	\$69,476 \$71,346
(13)	8971	DHS DDS SUPT HDC	1	\$68,239 \$70,286
(14)	L014	DIRECTOR OF PHARMACY SERVICES	2	GRADE 26
(15)	L012	PHARMACIST II	2	GRADE 25
(16)	L124	PSYCHOLOGIST	2	GRADE 25
(17)	L096	SR PHARMACIST	3	GRADE 24
(18)	M178	DHS/DDS ASST SUPT - CONWAY	1	GRADE 23
(19)	R184	NURSING SERVICES UNIT MANAGER	6	GRADE 23
(20)	R058	DDS PERSONNEL MANAGER	1	GRADE 22
(21)	X338	ENGINEER, PE	1	GRADE 22
(22)	L078	NURSE SUPERVISOR	13	GRADE 22
(23)	A032	AGENCY FISCAL MANAGER	1	GRADE 22
(24)	809Z	DHS PLANNING & POLICY DEV COORD	1	GRADE 21
(25)	892Z	DHS INSTITUTION BUSINESS MANAGER	6	GRADE 21
(26)	697Z	DHS PRGM MANAGER	8	GRADE 21
(27)	A008	ACCOUNTING SUPERVISOR II	2	GRADE 21
(28)	A251	SR AUDITOR	1	GRADE 21
(29)	E023	DHS/DDS LANGUAGE DEVELOP SUPV	1	GRADE 21
(30)	E104	DHS/DDS ED & TRNG CONSULTANT	2	GRADE 21
(31)	L082	NURSING SERVICES SPECIALIST	3	GRADE 21

1	(32)	L090	OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY SUPERVISOR	1	GRADE 21
2	(33)	L122	PSYCHOLOGICAL EXAMINER II	17	GRADE 21
3	(34)	L030	DIETARY SERVICES DIRECTOR	1	GRADE 21
4	(35)	L019	NUTRITIONIST CONSULTANT	1	GRADE 21
5	(36)	M112	COTTAGE LIFE PROGRAM DIRECTOR	5	GRADE 21
6	(37)	L142	SPEECH PATHOLOGIST SUPV	3	GRADE 21
7	(38)	M046	DHS/DDS TEAM LEADER-CONWAY	5	GRADE 21
8	(39)	R326	QUALITY ASSURANCE COORDINATOR	5	GRADE 21
9	(40)	R488	GRANTS ADMIN SUPV	2	GRADE 21
10	(41)	R266	MANAGEMENT PROJECT ANALYST II	5	GRADE 20
11	(42)	R145	DHS PROGRAM COORDINATOR	4	GRADE 20
12	(43)	X311	DHS/DDS PRGM EVALUATOR SUPV	1	GRADE 20
13	(44)	Y116	MAINTENANCE SYSTEMS SUPV	1	GRADE 20
14	(45)	L140	SPEECH PATHOLOGIST II	15	GRADE 20
15	(46)	M013	DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES SPEC II	44	GRADE 20
16	(47)	M016	SR CHAPLAIN	1	GRADE 20
17	(48)	M116	UTILIZATION REVIEW NURSE	2	GRADE 20
18	(49)	M128	DHS/DDS PRGM COORDINATOR	41	GRADE 20
19	(50)	M140	DHS/DDS TEAM LEADER	3	GRADE 20
20	(51)	M088	SOCIAL WORKER II	5	GRADE 20
21	(52)	L008	SR AUDIOLOGIST	1	GRADE 20
22	(53)	L070	NURSE II	34	GRADE 20
23	(54)	L088	OCCUPATIONAL THERAPIST II	2	GRADE 20
24	(55)	E114	STAFF DEVELOPMENT COORDINATOR	6	GRADE 20
25	(56)	E038	NURSE INSTRUCTOR	2	GRADE 20
26	(57)	G120	PLANT MAINTENANCE COORDINATOR	1	GRADE 20
27	(58)	E026	INSTITUTIONAL INSTRUCTOR SUPERVISOR	2	GRADE 20
28	(59)	B060	MEDICAL TECHNOLOGIST SUPERVISOR	1	GRADE 19
29	(60)	L028	DIETICIAN	2	GRADE 19
30	(61)	L120	PSYCHOLOGICAL EXAMINER I	2	GRADE 19
31	(62)	M086	SOCIAL WORKER I	6	GRADE 19
32	(63)	M154	DHS FIELD REPRESENTATIVE	2	GRADE 19
33	(64)	M044	DHS PRGM CONSULTANT	1	GRADE 19
34	(65)	M057	DHS/DDS FOSTER GRANDPARENT ADMR	1	GRADE 19
35	(66)	R168	GRANTS COORDINATOR II	8	GRADE 19
36	(67)	R030	ASST PERSONNEL MANAGER	1	GRADE 19

1	(68)	W012	MEDICAL RECORDS ADMINISTRATOR	1	GRADE 19
2	(69)	X309	DHS/DDS PRGM EVALUATOR	2	GRADE 19
3	(70)	V040	PURCHASE AGENT II/PURCHASE AGENT	5	GRADE 18
4	(71)	R264	MANAGEMENT PROJECT ANALYST I	3	GRADE 18
5	(72)	M050	RECREATIONAL ACTIVITY LEADER SUPV	3	GRADE 18
6	(73)	L138	SPEECH PATHOLOGIST I	1	GRADE 18
7	(74)	M082	SOCIAL SERVICE WORKER III	19	GRADE 18
8	(75)	M076	SOCIAL SERVICE REPRESENTATIVE III	1	GRADE 18
9	(76)	M078	DHS/DEMS SUPERVISOR	2	GRADE 18
10	(77)	M099	COTTAGE LIFE PROGRAM SUPERVISOR	18	GRADE 18
11	(78)	E037	LIBRARIAN II	2	GRADE 18
12	(79)	E024	INSTITUTIONAL INSTRUCTOR II	23	GRADE 18
13	(80)	H032	FOOD PRODUCTION MANAGER	6	GRADE 18
14	(81)	E050	STAFF DEVELOPMENT SPECIALIST II	2	GRADE 18
15	(82)	E072	TRAINING INSTRUCTOR	1	GRADE 18
16	(83)	E082	VOCATIONAL INSTRUCTOR II	1	GRADE 18
17	(84)	G028	BLDG PLANT MAINTENANCE SUPV II	5	GRADE 18
18	(85)	E086	HABILITATION/REHAB INSTRUCTOR II	135	GRADE 17
19	(86)	E022	INSTITUTIONAL INSTRUCTOR I	1	GRADE 17
20	(87)	B052	MEDICAL TECHNOLOGIST	2	GRADE 17
21	(88)	M102	VOCATIONAL PLAC & EVAL PROG COORD	1	GRADE 17
22	(89)	M095	VOLUNTEER PROGRAM DEVELOPER I	2	GRADE 17
23	(90)	M080	SOCIAL SERVICE WORKER II/SOC SVC WK	4	GRADE 17
24	(91)	R010	ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT II	18	GRADE 17
25	(92)	R190	PERSONNEL OFFICER II	5	GRADE 17
26	(93)	Y107	WELDER	1	GRADE 17
27	(94)	X352	HLTH CARE ANALYST II	2	GRADE 17
28	(95)	Y053	JOURNEYMAN CARPENTER	9	GRADE 17
29	(96)	Y055	JOURNEYMAN ELECTRICIAN	6	GRADE 17
30	(97)	Y057	JOURNEYMAN PAINTER	6	GRADE 17
31	(98)	Y061	JOURNEYMAN PLUMBER	4	GRADE 17
32	(99)	Y065	JOURNEYMAN LOCKSMITH	1	GRADE 17
33	(100)	Y003	AUTO/DIESEL MECHANIC	3	GRADE 17
34	(101)	Y021	STATIONARY ENGINEER	9	GRADE 17
35	(102)	Y039	HEATING & A/C MECHANIC	5	GRADE 17
36	(103)	M141	DHS/DDS TEAM SHIFT COORDINATOR	18	GRADE 16

1	(104)	L153	X-RAY TECH SUPV/X-RAY TECH II	1	GRADE 16
2	(105)	L026	DENTAL HYGIENIST	1	GRADE 16
3	(106)	A053	INSURANCE SPECIALIST II	1	GRADE 16
4	(107)	A063	PAYROLL OFFICER	1	GRADE 15
5	(108)	A108	ACCOUNTING TECHNICIAN II	8	GRADE 15
6	(109)	A155	ICF COORDINATOR	6	GRADE 15
7	(110)	K011	ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE SUPERVISOR	12	GRADE 15
8	(111)	L115	LPN II/LPTN II	132	GRADE 15
9	(112)	L061	LIFE SKILLS TRAINER SUPERVISOR	62	GRADE 15
10	(113)	L183	OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY ASSISTANT	2	GRADE 15
11	(114)	M048	RECREATIONAL ACTIVITY LEADER II	27	GRADE 15
12	(115)	R009	ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT I	3	GRADE 15
13	(116)	V051	STOREROOM SUPV/STORE SUPV	4	GRADE 15
14	(117)	X350	HLTH CARE ANALYST I	1	GRADE 15
15	(118)	V039	PURCHASE AGENT I/ASST PURCHASE AGEN	4	GRADE 15
16	(119)	L184	DIETETIC TECHNICIAN	1	GRADE 14
17	(120)	M036	FOSTER GRANDPARENT SUPERVISOR	1	GRADE 14
18	(121)	K041	EXECUTIVE SECY/ADMINISTRATIVE SECY	11	GRADE 14
19	(122)	K117	MEDICAL OR LEGAL SECRETARY	29	GRADE 14
20	(123)	G014	CHDC LAUNDRY OPERATIONS MANAGER	1	GRADE 14
21	(124)	H023	COMMISSARY MANAGER	1	GRADE 14
22	(125)	G139	WATER FILTER/WASTE DISPOS PLNT OPER	3	GRADE 13
23	(126)	H049	SUPERVISOR OF COOKING	5	GRADE 13
24	(127)	G115	NURSERY ASST & GROUNDSKEEPER SUPV	1	GRADE 13
25	(128)	E027	INSTITUTIONAL TEACHER ASSISTANT	88	GRADE 13
26	(129)	E017	INSTITUTION ASSISTANT LIBRARIAN	1	GRADE 13
27	(130)	K153	SECRETARY II	70	GRADE 13
28	(131)	L059	LIFE SKILLS TRAINER II	806	GRADE 13
29	(132)	L091	OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY WORKER	6	GRADE 13
30	(133)	L093	ORTHOTIST AIDE	5	GRADE 13
31	(134)	M067	SOCIAL SERVICE AIDE II	3	GRADE 13
32	(135)	M047	RECREATIONAL ACTIVITY LEADER I	1	GRADE 13
33	(136)	R125	PERSONNEL OFFICER	4	GRADE 13
34	(137)	K089	PERSONNEL ASSISTANT	2	GRADE 12
35	(138)	K039	DOCUMENT EXAMINER II	13	GRADE 12
36	(139)	C013	SWITCHBOARD OPERATOR SUPERVISOR	1	GRADE 12

1	(140)	H047	MEAT CUTTER II/BUTCHER II	1	GRADE 11
2	(141)	L025	DENTAL ASSISTANT	1	GRADE 11
3	(142)	L057	LIFE SKILLS TRAINER I	278	GRADE 11
4	(143)	K155	SECRETARY I	23	GRADE 11
5	(144)	Y001	APPRENTICE TRADESMAN	6	GRADE 11
6	(145)	V029	INVENTORY CONTROL CLERK	1	GRADE 10
7	(146)	K023	CLERICAL ASSISTANT	3	GRADE 10
8	(147)	K037	DOCUMENT EXAMINER I	4	GRADE 10
9	(148)	L097	PHARMACY ASST	2	GRADE 10
10	(149)	H027	COOK II	40	GRADE 10
11	(150)	H005	BAKER II	6	GRADE 10
12	(151)	G013	WAREHOUSE WORKER	3	GRADE 10
13	(152)	G006	MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATOR	5	GRADE 10
14	(153)	C011	SWITCHBOARD OPERATOR II	12	GRADE 09
15	(154)	L105	PHYSICAL THERAPY AIDE	5	GRADE 09
16	(155)	L089	OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY AIDE	1	GRADE 09
17	(156)	Y045	INSTITUTIONAL BEAUTICIAN	3	GRADE 09
18	(157)	L063	LIFE SKILLS TRAINER TRAINEE	8	GRADE 08
19	(158)	G010	LAUNDRY SUPERVISOR	5	GRADE 08
20	(159)	G039	CUSTODIAL SUPV II	4	GRADE 08
21	(160)	G045	EQUIPMENT OPERATOR	11	GRADE 08
22	(161)	G109	BLDG/EQUIP MAINT REPAIRMAN II	21	GRADE 08
23	(162)	H019	CANTEEN SUPERVISOR	2	GRADE 08
24	(163)	H025	COOK I	1	GRADE 08
25	(164)	H053	FOOD SERVICE WORKER III	10	GRADE 08
26	(165)	G177	MAINTENANCE WORKER SUPERVISOR	1	GRADE 07
27	(166)	G191	CLOTHING SHOP OPERATOR	1	GRADE 07
28	(167)	C009	SWITCHBOARD OPERATOR I	4	GRADE 07
29	(168)	K015	OFFICE CLERK	3	GRADE 07
30	(169)	H043	FOOD SERVICE WORKER II	41	GRADE 05
31	(170)	G175	MAINTENANCE WORKER II	6	GRADE 05
32	(171)	Y095	SEAMSTRESS II	1	GRADE 05
33	(172)	V049	STOCK CLERK II	6	GRADE 05
34	(173)	G035	CUSTODIAL WRKR II	81	GRADE 04
35	(174)	G008	LAUNDRY WORKER	27	GRADE 04
36	(175)	H039	FOOD SERVICE WORKER I	5	GRADE 03

(176)	G171 CUSTODIAL WRKR I	<u>3</u>	GRADE 03
	MAX. NO. OF EMPLOYEES	2,591	

SECTION 2. EXTRA HELP. There is hereby authorized, for the Department of Human Services - Division of Developmental Disabilities Services for the 2005-2007 biennium, the following maximum number of part-time or temporary employees, to be known as "Extra Help", payable from funds appropriated herein for such purposes: two hundred eighty-nine (289) temporary or part-time employees, when needed, at rates of pay not to exceed those provided in the Uniform Classification and Compensation Act, or its successor, or this act for the appropriate classification.

SECTION 3. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. EXTRA HELP - DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES SERVICES. It is hereby authorized for the Department of Human Services - Division of Developmental Disabilities Services for the ~~2003-2005~~ 2005-2007 biennium, that of the extra help positions authorized herein for the Department of Human Services - Division of Developmental Disabilities Services, 89 of those positions, when utilized in a manner which is reimbursable under Title XIX or other federal funds, are specifically exempt from limitation of hours, either by Act or Regulation.

The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, ~~2003~~ 2005 through June 30, ~~2005~~ 2007.

SECTION 4. APPROPRIATION - SPECIAL OLYMPICS. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Human Services - Division of Developmental Disabilities Services, to be payable from the Developmental Disabilities Services Fund Account, for grants to the Arkansas Special Olympics for the biennial period ending June 30, 2007, the following:

ITEM	FISCAL YEARS	
<u>NO.</u>	<u>2005-2006</u>	<u>2006-2007</u>
(01) GRANTS-SPECIAL OLYMPICS	\$ <u>94,459</u>	\$ <u>94,459</u>

SECTION 5. APPROPRIATION - OPERATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Human Services - Division of Developmental Disabilities

Services, to be payable from the paying account as determined by the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State, for personal services and operating expenses of the Department of Human Services - Division of Developmental Disabilities Services for the biennial period ending June 30, 2007, the following:

ITEM	FISCAL YEARS	
NO.	2005-2006	2006-2007
(01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$ 66,819,841	\$ 68,875,812
(02) EXTRA HELP	4,178,972	4,178,972
(03) PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING	23,498,539	23,903,031
(04) OVERTIME	202,360	202,360
(05) EXTRA SALARIES	9,000	9,000
(06) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION		
(A) OPER. EXPENSE	17,097,871	17,097,871
(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	80,000	80,000
(C) PROF. FEES	298,698	298,698
(D) CAP. OUTLAY	900,000	900,000
(E) DATA PROC.	0	0
(07) GRANTS/PATIENT SERVICES	11,391,169	11,391,169
(08) FOSTER GRANDPARENTS STIPENDS	402,000	402,000
(09) DATA PURCHASE SERVICES	850,159	850,159
(10) VOCATIONAL TRAINEES	177,368	177,368
(11) CHILDREN AND ADOLESCENT SERVICES	67,529	67,529
(12) PURCHASE OF SERVICES	<u>6,651,453</u>	<u>6,651,453</u>
TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u>\$ 132,624,959</u>	<u>\$ 135,085,422</u>

SECTION 6. APPROPRIATION - COMMUNITY PROGRAMS. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Human Services - Division of Developmental Disabilities Services, to be payable from the Developmental Disabilities Services-Dog Track Special Revenue Fund, for expenses of the private non-profit community based programs licensed by the Department of Human Services - Division of Developmental Disabilities Services for the biennial period ending June 30, 2007, the following:

ITEM	FISCAL YEARS	
NO.	2005-2006	2006-2007

1 (01) COMMUNITY PROGRAMS \$ 50,000 \$ 50,000

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3 SECTION 7. APPROPRIATION - GRANTS-IN-AID. There is hereby appropriated, to
4 the Department of Human Services - Division of Developmental Disabilities
5 Services, to be payable from the Developmental Disabilities Services Fund
6 Account, for grants-in-aid to the community providers of services to the
7 developmentally disabled of the Department of Human Services - Division of
8 Developmental Disabilities Services for the biennial period ending June 30,
9 2007, the following:

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11	ITEM	FISCAL YEARS	
12	<u>NO.</u>	<u>2005-2006</u>	<u>2006-2007</u>
13	(01) GRANTS TO COMMUNITY PROVIDERS	\$ 10,446,362	\$ 10,446,362

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15 SECTION 8. APPROPRIATION - INTER-DIVISIONAL PROGRAMS. There is hereby
16 appropriated, to the Department of Human Services - Division of Developmental
17 Disabilities Services, to be payable from the Developmental Disabilities
18 Services Fund Account, for integrated services and programs developed by the
19 various divisions, for services and programs developed in conjunction with
20 other state agencies and for the development and implementation of an
21 integrated case management system for the Department of Human Services for
22 the biennial period ending June 30, 2007, the following:

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24	ITEM	FISCAL YEARS	
25	<u>NO.</u>	<u>2005-2006</u>	<u>2006-2007</u>
26	(01) INTER-DIVISIONAL PROGRAMS	\$ 441,469	\$ 441,469

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28 SECTION 9. APPROPRIATION - GRANTS - STATE. There is hereby appropriated,
29 to the Department of Human Services - Division of Developmental Disabilities
30 Services, to be payable from the Department of Human Services Grants Fund
31 Account, for grant payments of the Department of Human Services - Division of
32 Developmental Disabilities Services for the biennial period ending June 30,
33 2007, the following:

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35	ITEM	FISCAL YEARS	
36	<u>NO.</u>	<u>2005-2006</u>	<u>2006-2007</u>

(01) CHILDREN'S MEDICAL SERVICES \$ 1,729,279 \$ 1,729,279

SECTION 10. APPROPRIATION - GRANTS - FEDERAL. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Human Services - Division of Developmental Disabilities Services, to be payable from the federal funds as designated by the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State, for federally funded grants of the Department of Human Services - Division of Developmental Disabilities Services for the biennial period ending June 30, 2007, the following:

ITEM	FISCAL YEARS	
NO.	2005-2006	2006-2007
(01) CHILDREN'S MEDICAL SERVICES-FEDERAL	\$ <u>1,377,338</u>	\$ <u>1,377,338</u>

SECTION 11. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW.

DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES - GRANTS TO COMMUNITY BASED PROVIDERS. Funds allocated under the appropriation for community-based services, for Grants to Community Providers, in the Developmental Disabilities Services - Grants-in-Aid appropriation in this act shall be used only to provide services through private community based services licensed or certified by the Arkansas Division of Developmental Disabilities Services (DDS). Non-profit community-based programs licensed by the Division of Developmental Disabilities Services are quasi-governmental instrumentalities of the state which provide supports and services to individuals who have a developmental disability or delay, who would otherwise require supports and services through state-operated programs and facilities owned by the State of Arkansas. When DDS licensed providers are involved in delivering services which are Medicaid reimbursable, they must enroll as a provider with the Arkansas Medicaid Program and must bill the Arkansas Medicaid Program for all covered services for eligible individuals.

Services which are covered by the Arkansas State Medicaid Program or under the Alternative Community Services Waiver Program (ACS) will be utilized to the maximum extent possible for any individual who is eligible for Medicaid coverage. It is the intent of this section that DDS, as a general policy, maximize the use of Medicaid funding available for appropriate services.

The State shall require each provider funded from this Appropriation for

1 community based services, including funding from the Grants/Patient Services
 2 Line, in the Developmental Disabilities Services - Operations appropriation,
 3 ~~the Early Intervention Line, in the Developmental Disabilities Services—~~
 4 ~~Operations appropriation,~~ or from the Grants to Community Providers Line, in
 5 the Developmental Disabilities Services - Grants-in-Aid appropriation, to
 6 screen each individual to whom services are provided for a determination of
 7 eligibility or ineligibility for Medicaid coverage within thirty days of the
 8 first date that services are provided. It is the intent of this section to
 9 insure that wherever possible and appropriate, Medicaid funds are utilized
 10 for covered or waived services to individuals who are eligible for coverage
 11 under the Arkansas Medicaid Program or the ACS Waiver.

12 Nothing in this Act shall prevent the Division or any provider from
 13 extending emergency services when appropriate measures have been taken in a
 14 timely manner to secure Medicaid eligibility.

15 ~~In the event that components of community-based services now funded from~~
 16 ~~state and/or federal funds are extended to unserved or underserved areas of~~
 17 ~~the state, or in the event that new services categories/codes are made~~
 18 ~~available, to be funded from state and/or federal funds all non-profit~~
 19 ~~community programs licensed by the Division of Developmental Disabilities~~
 20 ~~Services shall be granted an opportunity to make application to expand their~~
 21 ~~service base to unserved or underserved areas or shall be granted an~~
 22 ~~opportunity to make application to offer new services that the State intends~~
 23 ~~to offer. When the Division of Developmental Disabilities Services~~
 24 ~~determines that state and/or federal funding for new or expanded services are~~
 25 ~~to be available, it shall develop a Request for Proposal (RFP) process which~~
 26 ~~includes a provision to provide notice of its intent to existing providers~~
 27 ~~and to the general public. Nothing in this Act shall restrict the Division's~~
 28 ~~discretion to award new or expanded services to the existing community based~~
 29 ~~service providers making application for the same pursuant to this section.~~
 30 ~~The intent of this section is to avoid unnecessary duplication of~~
 31 ~~administrative costs and services in the extension or expansion of services.~~

32 The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, 2003
 33 2005 through June 30, 2005 2007.

35 SECTION 12. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS
 36 CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW.

1 DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES - VOCATIONAL TRAINEES. The Division of
 2 Developmental Disabilities Services of the Department of Human Services is
 3 hereby authorized for the ~~2003-2005~~ 2005-2007 biennium to provide employment
 4 opportunities for people with developmental disabilities residing at the
 5 Human Development Centers who work less than a competitive employment level.

6 The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, ~~2003~~
 7 2005 through June 30, ~~2005~~ 2007.

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 9 SECTION 13. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS
 10 CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW.

11 DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES - CARRY FORWARD. The unexpended balances in
 12 appropriations made from federal funds, for Developmental Disabilities, as
 13 provided for in this Act on June 30, ~~2004~~ 2006 shall be carried forward and
 14 made available for expenditures for the same purpose for the fiscal year
 15 ending June 30, ~~2005~~ 2007.

16 The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, ~~2003~~
 17 2005 through June 30, ~~2005~~ 2007.

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 19 SECTION 14. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS
 20 CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. GRANTS IN
 21 AID-CONDITIONS FOR RECEIVING FUNDS. Private nonprofit community based
 22 programs licensed by the Department of Human Services, Developmental
 23 Disabilities Services, are eligible to receive funds appropriated for Grants
 24 to Community Providers in the Developmental Disabilities Services - Grants-
 25 in-Aid appropriation of this Act, and as a condition of receiving such funds
 26 they shall:

27 1. Meet minimum standards of performance in the delivery of services to
 28 people with disabilities as defined by the Department of Human Services,
 29 Developmental Disabilities Services.

30 2. Supply statistical and financial data to the Department of Human
 31 Services, Developmental Disabilities Services.

32 3. Establish and maintain a sound financial management system in
 33 accordance with guidelines as set forth by the Department of Human Services.

34 4. Establish and maintain community support programs designed to provide
 35 coordinated care and treatment to ensure ongoing involvement and
 36 individualized services for persons with disabilities. Every community

1 support program shall provide services for persons with disabilities who
2 reside within the respective area of the program.

3 The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, 2003
4 2005 through June 30, ~~2005~~ 2007.

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6 SECTION 15. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS
7 CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW.

8 DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES – TIMBER AND LAND SALES PROCEEDS - CAPITAL

9 IMPROVEMENTS AND EQUIPMENT. The Division of Developmental Disabilities

10 Services is authorized to have cash fund accounts for capital improvements to
11 physical plants and for the purchase of capital equipment, and for the

12 operation of the six human development centers operated by the Department of

13 Human Services, Division of Developmental Disabilities Services. The cash

14 funds shall be held by the Department of Human Services, Division of

15 Developmental Disabilities Services from the proceeds of the sale of land and

16 the sale of timber that may be harvested from land owned by the Division of

17 Developmental Disabilities Services. The sale of land and the harvesting of

18 timber is specifically authorized to provide funds to finance capital

19 improvements to the physical plants, for the purchase of major capital

20 equipment, and for the operation of any of the six human development centers

21 from which the land or timber is sold.

22 The Division of Developmental Disabilities Services shall report all income

23 derived from the sale of land and timber management to the Chief Fiscal

24 Officer of the State and the Arkansas Legislative Council. Any contracts

25 initiated for the sale of land or the harvesting of timber shall be submitted

26 to the Review Subcommittee of the Arkansas Legislative Council for prior

27 review. All expenditures of funds derived from the sale of land and the sale

28 of timber will be expended in accordance with relevant state purchasing laws.

29 The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, 2003

30 2005 through June 30, ~~2005~~ 2007.

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32 SECTION 16. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS
33 CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. HUMAN

34 DEVELOPMENT CENTERS AND COMMUNITY PROVIDERS.

35 (A) The Developmental Disabilities Services Board or the Department of Human

36 Services shall not close any of the state administered Human Development

Centers that provide therapy and residential services.

(B) The Department of Human Services shall continue to accept clients for whom it has determined that therapy and residential services are needed at state administered Human Development Centers and Community Programs licensed by DDS shall continue to accept clients for whom it has been determined in accordance with federal law that are in need of services in the community.

(C) Except for use as federal matching funds, no funds for community based services licensed by DDS shall be transferred from Grants to Community Providers line item of the Developmental Disabilities Services - Grants-in-Aid appropriation unless the transfer(s) directly benefits community based services for persons with developmental disabilities or from the appropriation for the Human Development Centers unless the transfer(s) directly benefits the Human Development Centers.

(D) Nor shall any general revenue funding as of March 1, ~~2003~~ 2005 from the Grants to Community Providers line item of the Developmental Disabilities Services - Grants-in-Aid appropriation for persons with developmental disabilities or from any other general revenues as of March 1, ~~2003~~ 2005, applied as federal matching funds for community based services licensed by DDS on March 1, ~~2003~~ 2005 be reduced below the approved funding level on March 1, ~~2003~~ 2005; nor shall the general revenues applied as federal matching funds for the Human Development Centers be reduced below the approved funding level on March 1, ~~2003~~ 2005.

SECTION 17. COMPLIANCE WITH OTHER LAWS. Disbursement of funds authorized by this act shall be limited to the appropriation for such agency and funds made available by law for the support of such appropriations; and the restrictions of the State Procurement Law, the General Accounting and Budgetary Procedures Law, the Revenue Stabilization Law, the Regular Salary Procedures and Restrictions Act, or their successors, and other fiscal control laws of this State, where applicable, and regulations promulgated by the Department of Finance and Administration, as authorized by law, shall be strictly complied with in disbursement of said funds.

SECTION 18. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General Assembly that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations contained in this act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for which this act

1 was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive Recommendations
2 and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget manuals prepared by
3 the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or summarized oral
4 testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative Council or
5 Joint Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.

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7 SECTION 19. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General
8 Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits the
9 appropriation of funds for more than a two (2) year period; that the
10 effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 2005 is essential to the operation of
11 the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided, and that in
12 the event of an extension of the Regular Session, the delay in the effective
13 date of this Act beyond July 1, 2005 could work irreparable harm upon the
14 proper administration and provision of essential governmental programs.
15 Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act being
16 necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and
17 safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 2005.