

SECTION 1. Section 26-3.1-1__ is added as follows:

Section 26-3.1-1__. Adult Protection Allocation Committee:

(1) An Adult Protection allocations committee shall be convened by the state department as necessary in order to make advisory recommendations as described in this section.

(2) The Adult Protection allocations committee shall consist of eleven members, eight of whom shall be appointed by a statewide association of counties and three of whom shall be appointed by the state department. Of the members appointed by the statewide association of counties, at least two members shall be from small or medium-sized counties, and at least three shall be from large counties. The appointing authorities shall consult with each other to ensure that the Adult Protection allocations committee is representative of the counties in the state. A representative from the county that has the greatest percentage of the state's adult protection caseload will automatically be appointed, which appointment shall be credited against the eight appointments allocated to the statewide association of counties.

(3) The adult protection allocations committee shall develop its own operating procedures.

(4) No later than January 15, 2019, the state department, with input from the adult protection allocations committee, shall make recommendations to the joint budget committee of the general assembly for a definition of what shall constitute administration and support functions and a method for identifying costs for such functions.

(5) The adult protection allocations committee shall develop a formula to allocate funding to counties from appropriate grant and other funding sources available to all counties.

(6) In the event that the state department and the adult protection allocations committee do not reach an agreement on the allocation formula on or before June 15 of any state fiscal year for the succeeding state fiscal year, the state department and the adult protection allocations committee shall submit alternatives to the joint budget committee of the general assembly from which such joint budget committee shall select an allocation formula before the beginning of such succeeding state fiscal year.

SECTION 2. Section _____ is added as follows:

Section 26-2-8__. Child Care Allocation Committee:

(1) A child care allocations committee shall be convened by the state department as necessary in order to make advisory recommendations as described in this article.

(2) The child care allocations committee shall consist of eleven members, eight of whom shall be appointed by a statewide association of counties and three of whom shall be appointed by the state department. Of the members appointed by the statewide association of counties, at least two members shall be from small or medium-sized counties, and at least three shall be from large counties. The appointing authorities shall consult with each other to ensure that the child care allocations committee is representative of the counties in the state. A representative from the county that has the greatest

percentage of the state's child care caseload will automatically be appointed, which appointment shall be credited against the eight appointments allocated to the statewide association of counties.

(3) The child care allocations committee shall develop its own operating procedures.

(4) No later than January 15, 2019, the state department, with input from the child care allocations committee, shall make recommendations to the joint budget committee of the general assembly for a definition of what shall constitute administration and support functions and a method for identifying costs for such functions.

(5) The child care allocations committee shall develop a formula to allocate funding to counties from appropriate grant and other funding sources available to all counties.

(6) In the event that the state department and the child care allocations committee do not reach an agreement on the allocation formula on or before June 15 of any state fiscal year for the succeeding state fiscal year, the state department and the child care allocations committee shall submit alternatives to the joint budget committee of the general assembly from which such joint budget committee shall select an allocation formula before the beginning of such succeeding state fiscal year.

SECTION 3. Section 26-2-714 (c) is amended by adding (VI) to as follows:

(VI) The works allocation committee shall develop a formula to allocate funding to counties for the employment first program implemented under the food stamp assistance.