

An Act Improving Outcomes for Transition Age Youth

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BILL SUMMARY

- Requires DCF to annually report on the number of youth who have a service plan goal of another planned permanency living arrangement (APPLA), and requires that this report be posted on DCF's website.
- Requires DCF to reduce its reliance on APPLA as a service plan goal for children or youth under 17 years old by 2% annually until APPLA represents only 5% or fewer of DCF's total consumer service plan goals.
- Requires the Executive Office of Health and Human Services, and its child serving agencies, to continue to convene in furtherance of its transitional planning initiative, whose purpose is to recommend programmatic and regulatory changes that will improve individual transition outcomes for youth.