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1 AMENDMENT TO HOUSE BILL 3823

2 AMENDMENT NO. _____. Amend House Bill 3823, AS AMENDED,
3 by replacing everything after the enacting clause with the
4 following:

5 "Section 5. The Department of Human Services Act is
6 amended by adding Section 10-68 as follows:

7 (20 ILCS 1305/10-68 new)

8 Sec. 10-68. Pathways for Community Integration Network.

9 (a) The Pathways for Community Integration Network (PCIN)
10 program is established within the Department of Human
11 Services. The program shall create a network of multilingual
12 community integration providers providing access to an array
13 of services to remove barriers to opportunity and to foster
14 pathways to safety, well-being, and economic security for the
15 State's Limited English Proficient (LEP) and related
16 populations.

1 (b) PCIN model. Each PCIN organization must adhere to the
2 PCIN model and, with partner organizations, deliver the full
3 model of care. The PCIN model of care includes the following
4 components:

5 (1) Comprehensive case management. Comprehensive case
6 management shall be driven by a holistic household level
7 needs assessment. Case management is family based and
8 trauma informed and is geared toward self-sufficiency and
9 community integration.

10 (2) Core integrated services:

11 (A) trauma-informed family-based case management;

12 (B) access to health care coverage navigation;

13 (C) access to counseling and behavioral health
14 services (including peer support models);

15 (D) career development and job readiness; and

16 (E) legal assistance.

17 If the PCIN organization does not provide all services
18 outlined in subparagraphs (A) through (E), then it shall
19 refer clients to partner organizations with which the PCIN
20 has established relationships or that are part of the
21 Community Alliance, to provide such services. PCINs are
22 encouraged to use a co-location model, which may include
23 partner or Community Alliance organizations offering
24 services at their locations, when practicable. All
25 services should be provided based on the individual
26 client's needs.

1 (3) Co-location of services. To maximize resources and
2 provide holistic care, the PCIN organization shall
3 leverage publicly and privately funded services to address
4 the needs of the client population that are encouraged to
5 be provided onsite when practicable.

6 (4) Community education. The PCIN shall coordinate
7 workshops, training, and technical assistance
8 opportunities to build the capacity of LEP and related
9 populations in the community and the community providers
10 or institutions that work with them. Community education
11 shall focus on areas that increase community integration
12 and improve engagement.

13 (5) Community Alliance. The PCIN shall establish and
14 facilitate a community planning group which may bring
15 together local actors, including local government,
16 schools, colleges, community-business organizations,
17 health facilities, and others, to respond to emergent
18 issues relevant to LEP and related populations in the
19 community, and develop services, programs, initiatives,
20 and policies that improve supports and community
21 integration for these individuals and families.

22 (c) PCIN capacity building. As deemed necessary, the
23 Department may facilitate engagement between PCIN
24 organizations and technical assistance providers to build the
25 capacity of PCIN organizations and the network as a whole.

26 (d) PCIN certification. The Department shall establish a

1 PCIN formal certification process that outlines the standards
2 for recognition within 2 years of the PCIN program's
3 implementation. A community organization must demonstrate
4 capacity to deliver all program components outlined in this
5 Section to be awarded certification and be formally recognized
6 as a PCIN provider.

7 (e) Rules. The Department may adopt any rules necessary to
8 implement the PCIN program."