

HB 1481 -- Adoption Awareness

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Current law requires the Department of Social Services to raise public awareness and educate the public about foster care and adoption. This bill allows the department to do this, but does not require it. The bill also allows the department to establish an advertising campaign to recruit adoptive and foster care families, and requires it to establish a 24-hour, toll-free number to assist persons who inquire about becoming adoptive or foster parents.