

COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH  
OVERSIGHT DIVISION

**FISCAL NOTE**

L.R. No.: 3224-02  
Bill No.: HCS for HB 1484  
Subject: Health and Senior Services Department; Elderly; Attorneys; Cities, Towns, and Villages; Counties  
Type: Original  
Date: February 14, 2020

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Bill Summary: This proposal establishes multidisciplinary adult protection teams.

**FISCAL SUMMARY**

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON GENERAL REVENUE FUND			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2021	FY 2022	FY 2023
<b>Total Estimated Net Effect on General Revenue</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON OTHER STATE FUNDS			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2021	FY 2022	FY 2023
<b>Total Estimated Net Effect on <u>Other</u> State Funds</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>

Numbers within parentheses: ( ) indicate costs or losses.

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<b>ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON FEDERAL FUNDS</b>			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2021	FY 2022	FY 2023
<b>Total Estimated Net Effect on <u>All</u> Federal Funds</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>

<b>ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON FULL TIME EQUIVALENT (FTE)</b>			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2021	FY 2022	FY 2023
<b>Total Estimated Net Effect on FTE</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

☐ Estimated Net Effect (expenditures or reduced revenues) expected to exceed \$100,000 in any of the three fiscal years after implementation of the act.

<b>ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON LOCAL FUNDS</b>			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2021	FY 2022	FY 2023
<b>Local Government</b>	<b>\$0 or (Unknown)</b>	<b>\$0 or (Unknown)</b>	<b>\$0 or (Unknown)</b>

## FISCAL ANALYSIS

### ASSUMPTION

#### §§ 56.086 and 192.2435 - Multidisciplinary adult protection teams and reports

**Oversight** notes the **Missouri Office of Prosecution Services** has stated the proposal would not have a fiscal impact on their organization. The creation of additional responsibilities for county prosecutors may result in additional costs which are difficult to determine at the present time.

**Oversight** notes the **Department of Health and Senior Services**, the **Department of Mental Health**, the **Department of Social Services**, the **Office of State Courts Administrator**, and the **Springfield Police Department** have each stated the proposal would not have a direct fiscal impact on their respective organizations. Oversight does not have any information to the contrary. Therefore, Oversight will reflect a zero impact in the fiscal note for these organizations.

**Oversight** notes, in response to similar legislation from the current session (SB 625), the **St. Louis County Police Department** and **St. Louis County Department of Justice Services** have each stated the proposal would not have a direct fiscal impact on their respective organizations.

**Oversight** notes the provisions of this proposal provide that each prosecuting attorney of a county or the circuit attorney may develop, maintain, and coordinate the services of one or more multidisciplinary adult protection teams. Oversight assumes this is permissive and is not a required duty and, therefore, Oversight assumes the proposal will either have no fiscal impact or an unknown cost to local governments to establish adult protection teams or a database of cases.

**Oversight** only reflects the responses that we have received from state agencies and political subdivisions; however, other sheriff's and police departments, counties and circuit courts were requested to respond to this proposed legislation but did not. A general listing of political subdivisions included in our database is available upon request.

<u>FISCAL IMPACT - State Government</u>	FY 2021 (10 Mo.)	FY 2022	FY 2023
	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>

<u>FISCAL IMPACT - Local Government</u>	FY 2021 (10 Mo.)	FY 2022	FY 2023
<b>POLITICAL SUBDIVISIONS</b>			
<u>Cost - Multidisciplinary Adult Protection Teams (\$56.086)</u>	<u>\$0 or</u> <u>(Unknown)</u>	<u>\$0 or</u> <u>(Unknown)</u>	<u>\$0 or</u> <u>(Unknown)</u>
<b>NET EFFECT TO POLITICAL SUBDIVISIONS</b>	<b><u>\$0 or</u></b> <b><u>(Unknown)</u></b>	<b><u>\$0 or</u></b> <b><u>(Unknown)</u></b>	<b><u>\$0 or</u></b> <b><u>(Unknown)</u></b>

FISCAL IMPACT - Small Business

No direct fiscal impact to small businesses would be expected as a result of this proposal.

FISCAL DESCRIPTION

This bill allows prosecuting attorneys to develop multidisciplinary adult protection teams that protect elderly and other dependent persons from abuse. A "multidisciplinary adult protection team" is defined as a team of two or more persons trained in the investigation, prosecution, prevention, identification, and treatment of abuse of vulnerable, elderly, or disabled persons and are qualified to provide a broad range of services to these individuals.

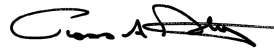
This legislation is not federally mandated, would not duplicate any other program and would not require additional capital improvements or rental space.

SOURCES OF INFORMATION

Department of Health and Senior Services  
Department of Mental Health  
Department of Social Services  
Missouri Office of Prosecution Services  
Office of State Courts Administrator  
St. Louis County Police Department  
St. Louis County Department of Justice Services  
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