

Fiscal Note

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Identifier: SB231-FCS-API-03-21-2024
Title: MINORS & RESIDENT PSYCH TREATMENT
CENTERS
Sponsor: CLAMAN
Requester: Senate Health and Social Services

Department: Department of Family and Community Services
Appropriation: Alaska Psychiatric Institute
Allocation: Alaska Psychiatric Institute
OMB Component Number: 311

Expenditures/Revenues

Note: Amounts do not include inflation unless otherwise noted below. (Thousands of Dollars)

	FY2025 Appropriation Requested	Included in Governor's FY2025 Request	Out-Year Cost Estimates					
			FY 2025	FY 2026	FY 2027	FY 2028	FY 2029	FY 2030
OPERATING EXPENDITURES								
Personal Services								
Travel								
Services								
Commodities								
Capital Outlay								
Grants & Benefits								
Miscellaneous								
Total Operating	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Fund Source (Operating Only)

None								
Total	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Positions

Full-time								
Part-time								
Temporary								

Change in Revenues

None								
Total	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Estimated SUPPLEMENTAL (FY2024) cost: 0.0 *(separate supplemental appropriation required)*

Estimated CAPITAL (FY2025) cost: 0.0 *(separate capital appropriation required)*

Does the bill create or modify a new fund or account? No
(Supplemental/Capital/New Fund - discuss reasons and fund source(s) in analysis section)

ASSOCIATED REGULATIONS

Does the bill direct, or will the bill result in, regulation changes adopted by your agency? No
If yes, by what date are the regulations to be adopted, amended or repealed? NA

Why this fiscal note differs from previous version/comments:

Initial version

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FISCAL NOTE ANALYSIS

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Analysis

SB231 requires that minors receiving mental health treatment are given access to confidential video communications with a parent or guardian, requires the Department of Health to inspect each residential psychiatric treatment center twice a year, requires the Department of Health to interview residents of the treatment center, and requires that treatment centers report on the use of seclusion, and restraints to the Department of Health and the patient's parent or guardian.

Youth in the custody of the Department of Family and Community Services who are receiving medical treatment at a residential psychiatric treatment center are subject to the provisions of SB231. In cases when parental contact is inappropriate, the department will need to ensure that court orders exempt these children from the parental contact provisions of SB231.

SB231 does not apply to the Department of Family and Community Services - Alaska Psychiatric Institute (API) because API is a hospital, not a residential psychiatric treatment center.

SB231 will no fiscal impact on the department.