

Subject DHS direct care and treatment modifications

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Overview

This bill modifies direct care and treatment report, census data, and fiscal projection requirements, establishes a process for persons committed as persons with a mental illness and who are dangerous to the public to voluntarily transfer back to a secure facility, and repeals obsolete sections of statute.

Summary

Section	Description
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1	Report on Anoka-Metro Regional Treatment Center (AMRTC), Minnesota Security Hospital (MSH), and Community Behavioral Health Hospitals (CBHH).
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Amends § 246.131. Modifies AMRTC, MSH, and CBHH required report from a quarterly report to an annual report.

2	Transfer.
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Amends § 253B.18, subd. 6. Paragraph (c) permits a person who has been committed as a person with a mental illness and who is dangerous to the public to voluntarily transfer back to a secure facility for up to 60 days.

Paragraph (d) specifies that the person's transfer is revoked if the person is not returned to the nonsecure facility within 60 days of the voluntary transfer.

Paragraphs (e) and (f) specify a process for review of the transfer revocation.

Paragraph (g) outlines when the head of the treatment facility may revoke a transfer to a nonsecure facility.

Paragraphs (h) and (i) specify procedural requirements related to a transfer revocation.

Paragraph (j) allows a person whose transfer is revoked to re-petition for a transfer.

Paragraph (k) outlines revocation review petition procedures.

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3	<p>State-operated services; forecast and census data.</p> <p>Amends Laws 2009, chapter 79, article 13, section 3, subdivision 10, as amended by Laws 2009, chapter 173, article 2, section 1. Requires the commissioner to include census data and fiscal projections for direct care and treatment and Minnesota sex offender services in only the February budget forecast, rather than both November and February.</p>
4	<p>Repealer.</p> <p>Repeals sections 246.0136 (establishing enterprise activities in state-operated services); 252.025, subdivision 7 (Minnesota extended treatment options for people who have developmental disabilities and exhibit severe behaviors); and 252.035 (regional treatment center catchment areas).</p>



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