

**LEGISLATIVE BUDGET BOARD**  
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**TO:** Honorable Jerry Madden, Chair, House Committee on Corrections

**FROM:** John S O'Brien, Director, Legislative Budget Board

**IN RE: HB164** by Raymond (Relating to a physical and mental examination of a child subject to the juvenile justice system.), **As Introduced**

<b>No significant fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.</b>
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The bill would amend Section 51.20, Family Code, to permit a juvenile court to order a youth who is detained in facilities operated by the Youth Commission (TYC), pre-adjudication secure detention facilities, and post-adjudication secure correctional facilities to be evaluated by a legally-authorized professional to determine whether the child has a mental illness, is a person with mental retardation, or suffers from chemical dependency. The bill would take effect on September 1, 2011 and would not pose a significant fiscal impact to the state.

**Local Government Impact**

No significant fiscal implication to units of local government is anticipated.

**Source Agencies:** 665 Juvenile Probation Commission, 694 Youth Commission

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