

**LEGISLATIVE BUDGET BOARD**  
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**TO:** Honorable James B. Frank, Chair, House Committee on Human Services

**FROM:** John McGeady, Assistant Director    Sarah Keyton, Assistant Director  
Legislative Budget Board

**IN RE: HB474** by Howard (Relating to a Department of Family and Protective Services plan to address the substitute care capacity needs in certain department regions.), **As Introduced**

**No significant fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.**

The bill would amend Family Code to require the Department of Family and Protective Services (DFPS) to modify the substitute care capacity plan to include the capacity and geographical distribution of foster placements to serve the needs of pregnant and parenting youth in the conservatorship of DFPS.

The bill would take effect September 1, 2019.

It is assumed that the provisions of the bill could be absorbed using existing resources.

**Local Government Impact**

No fiscal implication to units of local government is anticipated.

**Source Agencies:** 530 Family and Protective Services, Department of

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