
HOUSE BILL 2209

State of Washington

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By Representative Fortunato

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1 AN ACT Relating to adult family homes and developmental disability
2 group homes; and creating a new section.

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

4 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 1.** The legislature finds that people with
5 similar support needs are being placed appropriately in adult family
6 home and developmental disability group home residential settings in
7 their communities. The legislature finds that different entities
8 within state government with statutory responsibility for services to
9 specific populations are paying adult family home and developmental
10 disability group home providers at different rates for these settings.
11 The legislature recognizes the role state government plays in promoting
12 certain business practices as a result of the payment methodologies it
13 employs. Therefore, it is the intent of the legislature that rates
14 paid to adult family home and developmental disability group home
15 providers, by entities within state government with statutory
16 responsibility for services to specific populations, shall be the same
17 for people with similar support needs.

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