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By Representatives H. Sommers, Hankins, Cody, Tokuda, Ogden, Mitchell, Conway, Kagi, Kessler and McIntire; by request of Department of Social and Health Services

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1 AN ACT Relating to department of social and health services family
2 planning services; reenacting and amending RCW 74.09.510; and adding a
3 new section to chapter 74.09 RCW.

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

5 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 1.** A new section is added to chapter 74.09 RCW
6 to read as follows:

7 The department may, upon receipt of approval from the federal
8 health care financing administration, implement a waiver under section
9 1115 of the federal social security act to provide family planning
10 services to persons with family incomes at or below two hundred percent
11 of the federal poverty level. For purposes of this section, family
12 planning services includes all federal food and drug administration-
13 approved contraceptives, sterilization services, and medical services
14 associated with use of contraceptive and sterilization services,
15 educational services, social services, and interpretive services
16 necessary to aid individuals to avoid unintended pregnancy.

17 **Sec. 2.** RCW 74.09.510 and 1997 c 59 s 14 and 1997 c 58 s 201 are
18 each reenacted and amended to read as follows:

1 Medical assistance may be provided in accordance with eligibility
2 requirements established by the department, as defined in the social
3 security Title XIX state plan for mandatory categorically needy persons
4 and: (1) Individuals who would be eligible for cash assistance except
5 for their institutional status; (2) individuals who are under twenty-
6 one years of age, who would be eligible for temporary assistance for
7 needy families or medicaid, but do not qualify as dependent children
8 and who are in (a) foster care, (b) subsidized adoption, (c) a nursing
9 facility or an intermediate care facility for the mentally retarded, or
10 (d) inpatient psychiatric facilities; (3) the aged, blind, and disabled
11 who: (a) Receive only a state supplement, or (b) would not be eligible
12 for cash assistance if they were not institutionalized; (4)
13 categorically eligible individuals who meet the income and resource
14 requirements of the cash assistance programs; (5) individuals who are
15 enrolled in managed health care systems, who have otherwise lost
16 eligibility for medical assistance, but who have not completed a
17 current six-month enrollment in a managed health care system, and who
18 are eligible for federal financial participation under Title XIX of the
19 social security act; (6) children and pregnant women allowed by federal
20 statute for whom funding is appropriated; (7) other individuals
21 eligible for medical services under RCW 74.09.035 (~~and~~) 74.09.700
22 and section 1 of this act for whom federal financial participation is
23 available under Title XIX of the social security act; and (8) persons
24 allowed by section 1931 of the social security act for whom funding is
25 appropriated.

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