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3 By Committee on Children & Family Services

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5 Strike everything after the enacting clause and insert the
6 following:

7 "NEW SECTION. Sec. 1. The legislature finds that a primary
8 goal of public involvement in the lives of children has been to
9 strengthen the family unit.

10 The legislature believes that two-parent families, extended
11 families, and natural family supports, should be encouraged, supported,
12 and strengthened because they are beneficial to children, the family,
13 and the community. To achieve this goal, public support must be
14 directed to expand, strengthen, and help family and community
15 associations to care for children.

16 The legislature finds that a broad variety of services for children
17 and families has been independently designed over the years and that
18 the coordination and cost-effectiveness of these services will be
19 enhanced through the adoption of a common approach to their delivery.
20 The legislature further finds that the most successful programs for
21 reaching and working with at-risk families and children treat
22 individuals' problems in the context of the family, offer a broad
23 spectrum of services, are flexible in the use of program resources, and
24 use staff who are trained in crossing traditional program categories in
25 order to broker services necessary to fully meet a family's needs.

26 The legislature further finds that eligibility criteria,
27 expenditure restrictions, and reporting requirements of state and
28 federal categorical programs often create barriers toward the effective

1 use of resources for addressing the multiple problems of at-risk
2 families and children.

3 The purposes of this chapter are (1) to modify public policy and
4 programs to empower communities to support and respond to the needs of
5 individual families and children and (2) to improve the responsiveness
6 of services for children and families at risk by facilitating greater
7 coordination and flexibility in the use of funds by state and local
8 service agencies."

9 "NEW SECTION. **Sec. 2.** A new section is added to chapter 74.14A
10 RCW to read as follows:

11 To update, specify, and expand the policy stated in RCW 74.14A.020,
12 the following is declared:

13 It is the policy of the state of Washington to promote:

14 (1) Family-oriented services and supports that:

15 (a) Recognize that families include both two-parent traditional and
16 single-parent families;

17 (b) Respond to the changing nature of families;

18 (c) Respond to what individuals and families say they need, and
19 meet those needs in a way that maintains their dignity and respects
20 their choices; and

21 (d) Treat children holistically within the context of their family
22 and community, but when the children's rights of basic nurture,
23 physical and mental health, and safety conflict with the legal rights
24 of the parents, the rights and safety of the child will prevail;

25 (2) Culturally relevant services and supports that:

26 (a) Explicitly recognize the culture and beliefs of each family and
27 use these as resources on behalf of the family;

1 (b) Provide equal access to culturally unique communities in
2 planning and programs, and day-to-day work, and actively address
3 instances where clearly disproportionate needs exist; and

4 (c) Enhance every culture's ability to achieve self-sufficiency and
5 contribute in a productive way to the larger community;

6 (3) Coordinated services that:

7 (a) Develop strategies and skills for collaborative planning,
8 problem solving, and service delivery;

9 (b) Encourage coordination and innovation by providing both formal
10 and informal ways for people to communicate and collaborate in planning
11 and programs;

12 (c) Allow clients, vendors, community people, and other agencies to
13 creatively provide the most effective, responsive, and flexible
14 services; and

15 (d) Commit to an open exchange of skills and information; and
16 expect people throughout the system to treat each other with respect,
17 dignity, and understanding;

18 (4) Locally planned services and supports that:

19 (a) Operate on the belief that each community has special
20 characteristics, needs, and strengths;

21 (b) Include a cross-section of local community partners from the
22 public and private sectors, in the planning and delivery of services
23 and supports; and

24 (c) Support these partners in addressing the needs of their
25 communities through both short-range and long-range planning and in
26 establishing priorities within state and federal standards;

27 (5) Community-based prevention that encourages and supports state
28 residents to create positive conditions in their communities to promote
29 the well-being of families and reduce crises and the need for future
30 services;

1 (6) Outcome-based services and supports that:

2 (a) Include a fair and realistic system for measuring both short-
3 range and long-range progress and determining whether efforts make a
4 difference;

5 (b) Use outcomes and indicators that reflect the goals that
6 communities establish for themselves and their children;

7 (c) Work towards these goals and outcomes at all staff levels and
8 in every agency; and

9 (d) Provide a mechanism for informing the development of program
10 policies;

11 (7) Customer service that:

12 (a) Provides a climate that empowers staff to deliver quality
13 programs and services;

14 (b) Is provided by courteous, sensitive, and competent
15 professionals; and

16 (c) Upholds the dignity and respect of individuals and families by
17 providing appropriate staff recognition, information, training, skills,
18 and support;

19 (8) Creativity that:

20 (a) Increases the flexibility of funding and programs to promote
21 innovation in planning, development, and provision of quality services;
22 and

23 (b) Simplifies and reduces or eliminates rules that are barriers to
24 coordination and quality services."

25 "NEW SECTION. Sec. 3. Unless the context clearly requires
26 otherwise, the definitions in this section apply throughout this
27 chapter.

28 (1) "Comprehensive plan" means a two-year plan that examines
29 available resources and unmet needs for a county or multicounty area,

1 barriers that limit the effective use of resources, and a plan to
2 address these issues that is broadly supported.

3 (2) "Participating state agencies" means the office of the
4 superintendent of public instruction, the department of social and
5 health services, the department of health, the employment security
6 department, the department of community development, and such other
7 departments as may be specifically designated by the governor.

8 (3) "Family policy cabinet" or "cabinet" means the superintendent
9 of public instruction, the secretary of social and health services, the
10 secretary of health, the commissioner of the employment security
11 department, and the director of the department of community development
12 and their designees.

13 (4) "Outcome based" means defined and measurable outcomes and
14 indicators that make it possible for communities to evaluate progress
15 in meeting their goals and whether systems are fulfilling their
16 responsibilities.

17 (5) "Matching funds" means an amount no less than twenty-five
18 percent of the amount budgeted for a consortium's project. Up to half
19 of the consortium's matching funds may be in-kind goods and services.
20 Funding sources allowable for match include appropriate federal or
21 local levy funds, private charitable funding, and other charitable
22 giving. Basic education funds shall not be used as a match.

23 (6) "Consortium" means a diverse group of individuals that includes
24 at least representatives of local service providers, service
25 recipients, local government administering or funding children or
26 family service programs, participating state agencies, school
27 districts, existing children's commissions, ethnic and racial minority
28 populations, and other interested persons organized for the purpose of
29 designing and providing collaborative and coordinated services under
30 this chapter. Consortiums shall represent a county, multicounty, or

1 municipal service area. In addition, consortiums may represent Indian
2 tribes applying either individually or collectively.

3 (7) "Council" means the Washington council on children, youth, and
4 families.

5 (8) "Institute" means the entity established pursuant to section 16
6 of this act."

7 "NEW SECTION. Sec. 4. There is established in the executive
8 office of the governor, reporting directly to the governor and the
9 legislature, the Washington council on children, youth, and families.

10 The council shall be composed of no less than twelve persons to be
11 appointed by the governor and confirmed by the senate, who have direct
12 experience in helping cope with the problems of children, youth, or
13 families, and who, together represent the state's geographic, ethnic,
14 and cultural diversity.

15 Members shall serve four-year terms and may be reimbursed according
16 to RCW 43.03.050 and 43.03.060.

17 The family policy cabinet members who are state agency directors,
18 or their designees, shall serve as ex officio members.

19 In addition, the senate and the house of representatives each shall
20 designate the chair and ranking minority member of one of their
21 relevant standing committees of reference to serve as ex officio
22 members.

23 The governor shall appoint a chair from among the council's voting
24 members.

25 The council shall employ an executive director and a clerical
26 assistant. The council may employ such other personnel as are needed
27 to carry out the council's duties under sections 3 through 5 of this
28 act, within available resources."

1 "NEW SECTION. **Sec. 5.** The council shall:

2 (1) Review the programs, policies, and services for children,
3 youth, and families provided by public and private agencies, including
4 those concerned with education, social services, juvenile justice, law
5 enforcement, community development, employment, and health for the
6 consistency of their efforts with the policy goals stated in this act
7 and RCW 74.14A.020;

8 (2) Search for any interdepartmental gaps, inconsistencies, and
9 inefficiencies in these agencies' efforts relative to attainment of the
10 policy goals in this act and RCW 74.14A.020;

11 (3) Identify and advocate for changes in any statute, regulation,
12 procedure, program, budget, organization, professional training, or
13 other activity that would promote closer harmony with the policy goals
14 in this act and RCW 74.14A.020;

15 (4) Facilitate joint planning and service coordination among public
16 and private agencies as described in subsection (1) of this section;

17 (5) Accept appropriations, gifts, loans, and grants from public and
18 private agencies;

19 (6) Provide leadership to all children and family service efforts
20 in the state by disseminating information on effective programs and
21 activities, and by contracting with public and private agencies for
22 research, demonstration, or pilot projects;

23 (7) Encourage the formation of consortia on children, youth, and
24 families where they do not now exist in any form, or encourage the
25 modification of existing local councils that bring together
26 representatives of public and private agencies described in subsection
27 (1) of this section to jointly plan, coordinate, or operate activities
28 in support of the purposes of sections 4 through 6 of this act;

1 (8) Report regularly to the governor and legislature regarding its
2 progress in implementing this chapter, including any specific
3 recommendations for budgetary, statutory, or regulatory change;

4 (9) Advise the family policy cabinet; and

5 (10) Contract on a competitive bid basis with a college or
6 university to establish a research, training, and program development
7 institute as authorized in section 16 of this act."

8 "NEW SECTION. Sec. 6. To the extent that any power or duty of
9 the council created according to this act may duplicate efforts of
10 existing councils, commissions, advisory committees, or other entities,
11 the governor is authorized to take necessary actions to eliminate such
12 duplication. This shall include authority to consolidate similar
13 councils or activities in a manner consistent with the goals of this
14 chapter."

15 "NEW SECTION. Sec. 7. The sum of five hundred thousand
16 dollars, or as much thereof as may be necessary, is appropriated for
17 the biennium ending June 30, 1993, from the general fund to the
18 governor for the purposes of this act."

19 "NEW SECTION. Sec. 8. If specific funding for the purposes of
20 this act, referencing this act by bill number, is not provided by June
21 30, 1992, in the omnibus appropriations act, this act shall be null and
22 void."

23 "NEW SECTION. Sec. 9. (1) The family policy cabinet shall
24 annually solicit from consortiums proposals to facilitate greater
25 flexibility, coordination, and responsiveness of services at the
26 community level. The cabinet may fund such proposals only if:

1 (a) A comprehensive plan has been prepared by the consortium; and

2 (b) The consortium has identified and agreed to contribute matching
3 funds as specified in section 3 of this act; and

4 (c) An interagency agreement has been prepared by the family policy
5 cabinet and the participating local service and support agencies that
6 governs the use of funds, specifies the relationship of the project to
7 the principles listed in section 2 of this act, and identifies specific
8 outcomes and indicators; and

9 (d) Funds are to be used to provide support or services needed to
10 implement a family's or child's case plan that are not otherwise
11 available through existing categorical services or community programs;
12 and

13 (e) The consortium has provided written agreements that identify a
14 lead agency that will assume fiscal and programmatic responsibility for
15 the project, and identify participants in a consortium council with
16 broad participation and that shall have responsibility for ensuring
17 effective coordination of resources.

18 (2) The family policy cabinet may submit a prioritized list of
19 projects recommended for funding in the governor's budget document.

20 (3) The participating state agencies shall identify funds to
21 implement the proposed projects from budget requests or existing
22 appropriations for services to children and their families."

23 "**Sec. 10.** RCW 28A.300.040 and 1991 c 116 s 2 are each amended to
24 read as follows:

25 In addition to any other powers and duties as provided by law, the
26 powers and duties of the superintendent of public instruction shall be:

27 (1) To have supervision over all matters pertaining to the public
28 schools of the state.

1 (2) To report to the governor and the legislature such information
2 and data as may be required for the management and improvement of the
3 schools.

4 (3) To prepare and have printed such forms, registers, courses of
5 study, rules and regulations for the government of the common schools,
6 questions prepared for the examination of persons as provided for in
7 RCW 28A.305.130(9), and such other material and books as may be
8 necessary for the discharge of the duties of teachers and officials
9 charged with the administration of the laws relating to the common
10 schools, and to distribute the same to educational service district
11 superintendents.

12 (4) To travel, without neglecting his or her other official duties
13 as superintendent of public instruction, for the purpose of attending
14 educational meetings or conventions, of visiting schools, of consulting
15 educational service district superintendents or other school officials.

16 (5) To prepare and from time to time to revise a manual of the
17 Washington state common school code, copies of which shall be provided
18 in such numbers as determined by the superintendent of public
19 instruction at no cost to those public agencies within the common
20 school system and which shall be sold at approximate actual cost of
21 publication and distribution per volume to all other public and
22 nonpublic agencies or individuals, said manual to contain Titles 28A
23 and 28C RCW, rules and regulations related to the common schools, and
24 such other matter as the state superintendent or the state board of
25 education shall determine. Proceeds of the sale of such code shall be
26 transmitted to the public printer who shall credit the state
27 superintendent's account within the state printing plant revolving fund
28 by a like amount.

29 (6) To act as ex officio member and the chief executive officer of
30 the state board of education.

1 (7) To file all papers, reports and public documents transmitted to
2 the superintendent by the school officials of the several counties or
3 districts of the state, each year separately. Copies of all papers
4 filed in the superintendent's office, and the superintendent's official
5 acts, may, or upon request, shall be certified by the superintendent
6 and attested by the superintendent's official seal, and when so
7 certified shall be evidence of the papers or acts so certified to.

8 (8) To require annually, on or before the 15th day of August, of
9 the president, manager, or principal of every educational institution
10 in this state, a report as required by the superintendent of public
11 instruction; and it is the duty of every president, manager or
12 principal, to complete and return such forms within such time as the
13 superintendent of public instruction shall direct.

14 (9) To keep in the superintendent's office a record of all teachers
15 receiving certificates to teach in the common schools of this state.

16 (10) To issue certificates as provided by law.

17 (11) To keep in the superintendent's office at the capital of the
18 state, all books and papers pertaining to the business of the
19 superintendent's office, and to keep and preserve in the
20 superintendent's office a complete record of statistics, as well as a
21 record of the meetings of the state board of education.

22 (12) With the assistance of the office of the attorney general, to
23 decide all points of law which may be submitted to the superintendent
24 in writing by any educational service district superintendent, or that
25 may be submitted to the superintendent by any other person, upon appeal
26 from the decision of any educational service district superintendent;
27 and the superintendent shall publish his or her rulings and decisions
28 from time to time for the information of school officials and teachers;
29 and the superintendent's decision shall be final unless set aside by a
30 court of competent jurisdiction.

1 (13) To administer oaths and affirmations in the discharge of the
2 superintendent's official duties.

3 (14) To deliver to his or her successor, at the expiration of the
4 superintendent's term of office, all records, books, maps, documents
5 and papers of whatever kind belonging to the superintendent's office or
6 which may have been received by the superintendent's for the use of the
7 superintendent's office.

8 (15) To administer family services and programs to promote the
9 state's policy as provided in section 2 of this act.

10 (16) To perform such other duties as may be required by law."

11 "Sec. 11. RCW 43.63A.065 and 1990 1st ex.s. c 17 s 70 are each
12 amended to read as follows:

13 The department shall have the following functions and
14 responsibilities:

15 (1) Cooperate with and provide technical and financial assistance
16 to the local governments and to the local agencies serving the
17 communities of the state for the purpose of aiding and encouraging
18 orderly, productive, and coordinated development of the state, and,
19 unless stipulated otherwise, give priority to local communities with
20 the greatest relative need and the fewest resources.

21 (2) Administer state and federal grants and programs which are
22 assigned to the department by the governor or the legislature.

23 (3) Administer community services programs through private,
24 nonprofit organizations and units of general purpose local government;
25 these programs are directed to the poor and infirm and include
26 community-based efforts to foster self-sufficiency and self-reliance,
27 energy assistance programs, head start, and weatherization.

28 (4) Study issues affecting the structure, operation, and financing
29 of local government as well as those state activities which involve

1 relations with local government and report the results and
2 recommendations to the governor, legislature, local government, and
3 citizens of the state.

4 (5) Assist the governor in coordinating the activities of state
5 agencies which have an impact on local governments and communities.

6 (6) Provide technical assistance to the governor and the
7 legislature on community development policies for the state.

8 (7) Assist in the production, development, rehabilitation, and
9 operation of owner-occupied or rental housing for low and moderate
10 income persons, and qualify as a participating state agency for all
11 programs of the Department of Housing and Urban Development or its
12 successor.

13 (8) Support and coordinate local efforts to promote volunteer
14 activities throughout the state.

15 (9) Participate with other states or subdivisions thereof in
16 interstate programs and assist cities, counties, municipal
17 corporations, governmental conferences or councils, and regional
18 planning commissions to participate with other states or their
19 subdivisions.

20 (10) Hold public hearings and meetings to carry out the purposes of
21 this chapter.

22 (11) Provide a comprehensive state-level focus for state fire
23 protection services, funding, and policy.

24 (12) Administer a program to identify, evaluate, and protect
25 properties which reflect outstanding elements of the state's cultural
26 heritage.

27 (13) Coordinate a comprehensive state program for mitigating,
28 preparing for, responding to, and recovering from emergencies and
29 disasters.

1 (14) Administer family services and programs to promote the state's
2 policy as provided in section 2 of this act."

3 **"Sec. 12.** RCW 43.70.020 and 1989 1st ex.s. c 9 s 103 are each
4 amended to read as follows:

5 (1) There is hereby created a department of state government to be
6 known as the department of health. The department shall be vested with
7 all powers and duties transferred to it by this act and such other
8 powers and duties as may be authorized by law. The main administrative
9 office of the department shall be located in the city of Olympia. The
10 secretary may establish administrative facilities in other locations,
11 if deemed necessary for the efficient operation of the department, and
12 if consistent with the principles set forth in subsection (2) of this
13 section.

14 (2) The department of health shall be organized consistent with the
15 goals of providing state government with a focus in health and serving
16 the people of this state. The legislature recognizes that the
17 secretary needs sufficient organizational flexibility to carry out the
18 department's various duties. To the extent practical, the secretary
19 shall consider the following organizational principles:

20 (a) Clear lines of authority which avoid functional duplication
21 within and between subelements of the department;

22 (b) A clear and simplified organizational design promoting
23 accessibility, responsiveness, and accountability to the legislature,
24 the consumer, and the general public;

25 (c) Maximum span of control without jeopardizing adequate
26 supervision;

27 (d) A substate or regional organizational structure for the
28 department's health service delivery programs and activities that

1 encourages joint working agreements with local health departments and
2 that is consistent between programs;

3 (e) Decentralized authority and responsibility, with clear
4 accountability;

5 (f) A single point of access for persons receiving like services
6 from the department which would limit the number of referrals between
7 divisions.

8 (3) The department shall provide leadership and coordination in
9 identifying and resolving threats to the public health by:

10 (a) Working with local health departments and local governments to
11 strengthen the state and local governmental partnership in providing
12 public protection;

13 (b) Developing intervention strategies;

14 (c) Providing expert advice to the executive and legislative
15 branches of state government;

16 (d) Providing active and fair enforcement of rules;

17 (e) Working with other federal, state, and local agencies and
18 facilitating their involvement in planning and implementing health
19 preservation measures;

20 (f) Providing information to the public; and

21 (g) Carrying out such other related actions as may be appropriate
22 to this purpose.

23 (4) In accordance with the administrative procedure act, chapter
24 34.05 RCW, the department shall ensure an opportunity for consultation,
25 review, and comment by the department's clients before the adoption of
26 standards, guidelines, and rules.

27 (5) Consistent with the principles set forth in subsection (2) of
28 this section, the secretary may create such administrative divisions,
29 offices, bureaus, and programs within the department as the secretary
30 deems necessary. The secretary shall have complete charge of and

1 supervisory powers over the department, except where the secretary's
2 authority is specifically limited by law.

3 (6) The secretary shall appoint such personnel as are necessary to
4 carry out the duties of the department in accordance with chapter 41.06
5 RCW.

6 (7) The secretary shall appoint the state health officer and such
7 deputy secretaries, assistant secretaries, and other administrative
8 positions as deemed necessary consistent with the principles set forth
9 in subsection (2) of this section. All persons who administer the
10 necessary divisions, offices, bureaus, and programs, and five
11 additional employees shall be exempt from the provisions of chapter
12 41.06 RCW. The officers and employees appointed under this subsection
13 shall be paid salaries to be fixed by the governor in accordance with
14 the procedure established by law for the fixing of salaries for
15 officers exempt from the state civil service law.

16 (8) The secretary shall administer family services and programs to
17 promote the state's policy as provided in section 2 of this act."

18 "NEW SECTION. Sec. 13. A new section is added to chapter 43.20A
19 RCW to read as follows:

20 The secretary shall administer family services and programs to
21 promote the state's policy as provided in section 2 of this act."

22 "NEW SECTION. Sec. 14. A new section is added to chapter 50.08
23 RCW to read as follows:

24 The commissioner shall administer family services and programs to
25 promote the state's policy as provided in section 2 of this act."

26 "NEW SECTION. Sec. 15. By June 30, 1993, the family policy
27 cabinet shall report to the appropriate committees of the legislature

1 on the expenditures made, outcomes attained, and other pertinent
2 aspects of its experience in the implementation of section 9 of this
3 act."

4 "NEW SECTION. Sec. 16. (1) The council shall contract with a
5 college or university to establish the state institute for children,
6 youth, and families. The institute shall serve as the clearinghouse
7 for information concerning innovations in children, youth, and family
8 issues aimed at reducing events that weaken a family or community's
9 ability to provide for its children and at empowering families and
10 communities to provide care for children who have no parents able or
11 willing to provide care. Information from the clearinghouse shall be
12 available on request to the family policy cabinet, the council, or
13 consortia. The institute shall also provide technical assistance to
14 consortia on the issues of community empowerment, protection, and
15 prevention of violence toward children, youth, and families,
16 particularly sexual exploitation.

17 (2) The institute may review any data collected by family policy
18 cabinet agencies to:

19 (a) Identify high priority children, youth, and family issues that
20 require study or evaluation. Such issues may include, but are not
21 limited to:

22 (i) Evaluation of outcomes of children, youth, and family
23 interventions to assess their benefit to the people of the state;

24 (ii) Evaluation of specific population groups to identify needed
25 changes in children, youth, and family support services;

26 (iii) Evaluation of the risks and benefits of various incentives
27 aimed at individuals for both preventing family dysfunction and
28 improving community and state support for children, youth, and
29 families.

1 (b) Create a list of issues to study, specifying the objectives of
2 each study, the study timeline, the specific improvements in the
3 ability of communities to support children, youth, and families
4 expected as a result of the study, and the estimated cost of the study.
5 The list shall be submitted to the family policy cabinet and the
6 council, after consultation with the consortia as part of the biennial
7 budget process. However, no study activity may be undertaken by the
8 institute without specific statutory authority and budget from the
9 legislature.

10 (3) Any data, research, or findings obtained at the institute may
11 be made available to the general public, including health
12 professionals; the governor's council for children, youth, and families
13 consortia; health and children, youth, and family associations; the
14 governor; professional boards; regulatory agencies; and any person or
15 group who has provided data for the institute."

16 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 17.** The council shall conduct a study to
17 determine whether a network of consortia on children, youth, and
18 families may be authorized to receive a transfer of authority to
19 administer: (1) The program funds from cabinet agencies including at
20 least: (a) The prevention and early intervention programs that the
21 department of social and health services contracted for with private
22 agencies on January 1, 1992; (b) consolidated juvenile services within
23 the department of social and health services; (c) all residential and
24 foster care services within the department of social and health
25 services; (d) drug and alcohol prevention under chapter 28A.170 RCW;
26 (e) the Fair Start program from the superintendent of public
27 instruction; (f) school psychological and social counseling services
28 from the superintendent of public instruction; (g) school health and
29 nutrition services from the superintendent of public instruction; (h)

1 the early childhood education and assistance program in the department
2 of community development; and (i) the first steps program and for other
3 department of health funded health education and health promotion
4 programs where the primary target population is children; (2) a
5 requirement that consortia prepare two-year plans that respond at a
6 minimum to needs assessments, interagency service plans, and the goals
7 of local school districts, public health departments, juvenile courts,
8 and children's protective services; and (3) ways in which consortia can
9 improve access to assistance that will strengthen the healthy family
10 unit or community organizations, including at a minimum ways to reduce
11 abuse of alcohol and illegal substances by children and their parents,
12 and interpersonal violence and intentional injury to children. The
13 study should recommend specific financial incentives to encourage the
14 transfer of authority as outlined under this section."

15 "NEW SECTION. Sec. 18. A new section is added to chapter 74.14A
16 RCW to read as follows:

17 The implementation of council, cabinet, consortia, and institute,
18 shall be included in all federal and state plans affecting the state's
19 children, youth, and families, including at least those required by
20 this chapter and applicable federal law. These plans shall be
21 consistent with the intent and requirements of this chapter."

22 "NEW SECTION. Sec. 19. Sections 1 and 3 through 6 and 9 of this
23 act shall constitute a new chapter in Title 70 RCW."

24 "NEW SECTION. Sec. 20. If any provision of this act or its
25 application to any person or circumstance is held invalid, the
26 remainder of the act or the application of the provision to other
27 persons or circumstances is not affected."

1 "NEW SECTION. **Sec. 21.** This act shall take effect July 1,
2 1992."

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6 On page 1, line 1 of the title, after "families;" strike the
7 remainder of the title and insert "amending RCW 28A.300.040,
8 43.63A.065, and 43.70.020; adding new sections to chapter 74.14A RCW;
9 adding a new section to chapter 43.20A RCW; adding a new section to
10 chapter 50.08 RCW; adding a new chapter to Title 70 RCW; creating new
11 sections; making an appropriation; and providing an effective date."