

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 430— ASSEMBLYMEN FRIERSON AND BACKUS

MARCH 25, 2019

Referred to Committee on Health and Human Services

SUMMARY—Providing for a study concerning maternal, infant and early childhood home visitation services. (BDR S-1001)

FISCAL NOTE: Effect on Local Government: May have Fiscal Impact.  
Effect on the State: Yes.

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EXPLANATION – Matter in *bolded italics* is new; matter between brackets [omitted material] is material to be omitted.

AN ACT relating to children; requiring the Legislative Committee on Child Welfare and Juvenile Justice to conduct a study concerning maternal, infant and early childhood home visitation services; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

**Legislative Counsel's Digest:**

- 1 Existing law imposes certain requirements to ensure maternal and child health.  
2 (Chapter 442 of NRS) This bill requires the Legislative Committee on Child  
3 Welfare and Juvenile Justice to conduct a study during the 2019-2020 interim  
4 concerning maternal, infant and early childhood home visitation services.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, REPRESENTED IN  
SENATE AND ASSEMBLY, DO ENACT AS FOLLOWS:

1 **Section 1.** (Deleted by amendment.)

2 **Sec. 1.5.** 1. The Legislative Committee on Child Welfare  
3 and Juvenile Justice shall:

4 (a) Conduct a study during the 2019-2020 interim concerning  
5 maternal, infant and early childhood home visitation services. The  
6 study must, without limitation:

7 (1) Identify communities that demonstrate a high level of risk  
8 factors known to impair childhood development;

9 (2) Identify pregnant women who may benefit from  
10 receiving home visitation services after the birth of the child;



(3) Identify existing programs in this State that provide maternal, infant and early childhood home visitation services;

(4) Analyze past efforts in this State to use identified risk factors to address needs and target resources; and

(5) Evaluate the collection of data concerning families who receive home visitation services in this State.

(b) Include its findings and any recommendations for legislation relating to the study in its report submitted to the Director of the Legislative Counsel Bureau pursuant to subsection 2 of NRS 218E.720.

2. The Legislative Committee on Child Welfare and Juvenile Justice shall not issue a subpoena for any information relating to the study or compel any person to provide such information or otherwise participate in the study.

**Sec. 2.** This act becomes effective upon passage and approval.

