

SUMMARY—Appropriates money to establish a Pediatric Stem Cell and Bone Marrow Transplant Program. (BDR S-124)

FISCAL NOTE: Effect on Local Government: No.

Effect on the State: Contains Appropriation not included in Executive Budget.

AN ACT relating to health care; appropriating money to establish a Pediatric Stem Cell and Bone Marrow Transplant Program in this State; requiring certain reports to the Interim Finance Committee; requiring the authorization of certain audits; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

**Legislative Counsel's Digest:**

This bill appropriates money to the Alliance for Childhood Diseases, doing business as the Cure 4 The Kids Foundation, to establish a Pediatric Stem Cell and Bone Marrow Transplant Program in this State. **Section 1** of this bill appropriates money to the Cure 4 The Kids Foundation for: (1) the infrastructure and equipment necessary to operate the program; and (2) the costs of applying for and obtaining accreditation from the Foundation for the Accreditation of Cellular Therapy. **Section 2** of this bill appropriates money to the Cure 4 The Kids Foundation for the costs of operating the program during its first 2 years of existence, including staffing and administration costs. **Section 3** of this bill requires the Cure 4 The Kids Foundation to: (1) submit reports to the Interim Finance Committee concerning expenditure of the money appropriated by **sections 1 and**



2; and (2) allow the Legislative Auditor to audit the books and records of the Cure 4 The Kids Foundation.

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

**Section 1.** 1. There is hereby appropriated from the State General Fund to the Alliance for Childhood Diseases, doing business as the Cure 4 The Kids Foundation:

(a) The sum of \$7,000,000 to:

(1) Build and upgrade infrastructure and acquire equipment and supplies as necessary to establish and operate a Pediatric Stem Cell and Bone Marrow Transplant Program in this State; and

(2) Apply to the Foundation for the Accreditation of Cellular Therapy for the accreditation of the Pediatric Stem Cell and Bone Marrow Transplant Program in this State.

(b) The sum of \$2,500,000 for all costs related to conducting the first five bone marrow transplant operations, including, without limitation, costs incurred in conducting pre-transplant evaluations, searching for donors, hospitalization, supplying and administering medications and providing follow-up care, for the purpose of obtaining the accreditation described in subparagraph (2) of paragraph (a).



2. Any remaining balance of an appropriation made by subsection 1 must not be committed for expenditure after June 30, 2027, by the entity to which the appropriation is made or any entity to which money from the appropriation is granted or otherwise transferred in any manner, and any portion of the appropriated money remaining must not be spent for any purpose after September 17, 2027, by either the entity to which the money was appropriated or the entity to which the money was subsequently granted or transferred, and must be reverted to the State General Fund on or before September 17, 2027.

**Sec. 2.** 1. There is hereby appropriated from the State General Fund to the Alliance for Childhood Diseases, doing business as the Cure 4 The Kids Foundation, for the costs of operating a Pediatric Stem Cell and Bone Marrow Transplant Program in this State, including, without limitation, the costs of recruiting, salaries, benefits and training for providers of health care, providers of support services and other staff and the payment of administrative costs, the following sums:

For the Fiscal Year 2025-2026.....\$3,500,000

For the Fiscal Year 2026-2027.....\$3,000,000

2. Any balance of the sums appropriated by subsection 1 remaining at the end of the respective fiscal years must not be committed for expenditure after June 30 of the respective fiscal years by the entity to which the appropriation is made or any entity to which money from the appropriation is granted or otherwise transferred in any manner, and any portion of the appropriated money remaining must not be spent for any purpose after September 18, 2026, and September 17, 2027, respectively, by either the entity to which the money was appropriated or the entity to which the



money was subsequently granted or transferred, and must be reverted to the State General Fund on or before September 18, 2026, and September 17, 2027, respectively.

**Sec. 3.** Upon acceptance of the money appropriated by sections 1 and 2 of this act, the Alliance for Childhood Diseases, doing business as the Cure 4 The Kids Foundation, agrees to:

1. Prepare and transmit a report to the Interim Finance Committee on or before December 18, 2026, that describes each expenditure made from the money appropriated by sections 1 and 2 of this act from the date on which the money was received by the Alliance for Childhood Diseases through December 1, 2026;
2. Prepare and transmit a final report to the Interim Finance Committee on or before September 17, 2027, that describes each expenditure made from the money appropriated by sections 1 and 2 of this act from the date on which the money was received by the Alliance for Childhood Diseases through June 30, 2027; and
3. Upon request of the Legislative Commission, make available to the Legislative Auditor any of the books, accounts, claims, reports, vouchers or other records of information, confidential or otherwise, of the Alliance for Childhood Diseases, regardless of their form or location, that the Legislative Auditor deems necessary to conduct an audit of the use of the money appropriated pursuant to sections 1 and 2 of this act.

**Sec. 4.** This act becomes effective on July 1, 2025.

