

SB0402/293629/1

BY: Ways and Means Committee

AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL 402
(Third Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, strike beginning with “requirements” in line 4 down through “child;” in line 6 and substitute “the maximum age for children in certain residential child care programs who receive educational support;”; and strike beginning with “requiring” in line 10 down through “renewed;” in line 12 and substitute “prohibiting an individual who holds a certificate as a residential child and youth care practitioner from being required to complete certain training under certain circumstances;”.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, strike beginning with the second “and” in line 21 down through “years” in line 22; and in line 31, after “**(1)**” insert “**SHALL ENSURE THE CHILD REMAINS ENROLLED IN THE SCHOOL IN WHICH THE CHILD WAS PREVIOUSLY ENROLLED, UNLESS A DETERMINATION IS MADE BY A LOCAL DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES THAT REMAINING ENROLLED IS NOT IN THE CHILD’S BEST INTEREST, THEN:**”

(i) THE CHILD SHALL BE ENROLLED IN THE LOCAL SCHOOL SYSTEM WHERE THE RESIDENTIAL CHILD CARE PROGRAM IS LOCATED; OR

(ii) IF THE RESIDENTIAL CHILD CARE PROGRAM OPERATES AN APPROVED EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE LICENSING REGULATIONS THAT GOVERN RESIDENTIAL CHILD CARE PROGRAMS, THE CHILD SHALL BE ENROLLED IN THAT PROGRAM;

(2)”.

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On page 3, in lines 7 and 10, strike “**(2)**”, and “**(3)**”, respectively, and substitute “**(3)**” and “**(4)**”, respectively; strike beginning with “**AND**” in line 15 down through “**PLAN**” in line 16; in line 18, strike “**AND**”; in line 27, after “**(IV)**” insert “**FOR A CHILD WITH AN INDIVIDUALIZED EDUCATION PROGRAM UNDER THE FEDERAL INDIVIDUALS WITH DISABILITIES EDUCATION ACT OR A 504 PLAN UNDER § 504 OF THE FEDERAL REHABILITATION ACT OF 1973, APPLICABLE EDUCATIONAL GOALS TO COMPLETE WITHIN THE RESIDENTIAL CHILD CARE PROGRAM THAT ARE CONSISTENT WITH THE CHILD’S PROGRAM OR PLAN;**”

(V) FOR A CHILD WITH A BEHAVIORAL INTERVENTION PLAN UNDER SUBTITLE 11 OF THIS TITLE, BEHAVIORAL SUPPORTS AND GOALS THAT REINFORCE THE GOALS OF THE CHILD’S PLAN IN THE SCHOOL SETTING; AND

(VI);

and in line 28, strike “**IN**”.

On page 6, strike beginning with “residential” in line 18 down through “Article” in line 21 and substitute “certificate as a residential child and youth care practitioner on July 1, 2026, may not be required to complete:”

(1) any program of training required by § 20–302.1 of the Health Occupations Article, as enacted by Section 1 of this Act, that the individual has already completed; and

(2) any new program of training required by § 20–302.1 of the Health Occupations Article, as enacted by Section 1 of this Act, until the individual’s certificate is due for renewal”.