

WISCONSIN LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL AMENDMENT MEMO

2017 Assembly Bill 632	Assembly Amendment 1
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2017 ASSEMBLY BILL 632

Assembly Bill 632 requires the Department of Health Services (DHS) to award grants to increase awareness of Alzheimer's disease and dementia in rural and underserved urban areas. DHS must award the grants in a total amount not to exceed \$500,000 in the 2017-19 fiscal biennium. For this purpose, the bill allocates \$500,000 to the health services appropriation for grants for community programs for disability and elder services under ch. 20, Stats.

ASSEMBLY AMENDMENT 1

The amendment moves the statutory provisions in the bill to a different location in ch. 20, Stats., so that the funds will go into, and the grants will be awarded from, the health services appropriation for general aids and local assistance for public health services planning, regulation, and delivery. The amendment does not otherwise modify the specifications for the grant program under the bill.

BILL HISTORY

Assembly Amendment 1 was offered by Representative Rohrkaste on January 4, 2018. On January 9, 2018, the Assembly Committee on Mental Health recommended adoption of the amendment and passage of the bill, as amended, on votes of Ayes, 12; Noes 0.

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