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Senate Bill 617 (Substitute S-1 as reported)
Sponsor: Senator Jim Marleau
Committee: Health Policy

CONTENT

The bill would create the "Michigan Brain Injury Law" as Part 52A of the Public Health Code to do the following:

- Establish the Michigan Brain Injury Services and Prevention Council in the Department of Community Health (DCH), and abolish the Traumatic Brain Injury Services and Prevention Council.
- Require the proposed Council to collaborate with the DCH to develop a comprehensive statewide plan to address the needs of individuals with acquired brain injury (ABI).
- Require the Council to submit to the DCH Director and the Legislature an annual report that included recommendations to address the needs of individuals with ABI.
- Require the DCH to coordinate services for individuals with ABI, and encourage and facilitate collaboration among entities that provide those services.

Proposed MCL 333.5231-333.5239

Legislative Analyst: Julie Cassidy

FISCAL IMPACT

The bill would create a new council within the DCH and would require the DCH to facilitate coordination of services. These requirements would result in a small indeterminate administrative fiscal impact.

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