



104TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

2025 and 2026

HB1135

Introduced 1/9/2025, by Rep. Charles Meier

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

20 ILCS 1705/77 new

Amends the Mental Health and Developmental Disabilities Administrative Act. Requires the Department of Human Services to permit any resident of the Clyde L. Choate Mental Health and Developmental Center at Anna to remain at the facility upon request of the resident or the resident's family or legal guardian if the resident maintains an Illinois home address in a county located within the geographically organized service region designated by the Department as Division of Mental Health Region 5, excluding the following counties: Madison, Bond, Fayette, Clay, Jasper, or Crawford.

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1 AN ACT concerning State government.

2 **Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,**
3 **represented in the General Assembly:**

4 Section 5. The Mental Health and Developmental
5 Disabilities Administrative Act is amended by adding Section
6 77 as follows:

7 (20 ILCS 1705/77 new)

8 Sec. 77. Choate Mental Health and Developmental Center.

9 The Department shall permit any resident of the Clyde L.
10 Choate Mental Health and Developmental Center at Anna to
11 remain at the facility upon request of the resident or the
12 resident's family or legal guardian if the resident maintains
13 an Illinois home in a county located within the geographically
14 organized service region designated by the Department as
15 Division of Mental Health Region 5, excluding the following
16 counties: Madison, Bond, Fayette, Clay, Jasper, or Crawford.