



104TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

2025 and 2026

HB1912

Introduced 1/29/2025, by Rep. Bradley Fritts

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

20 ILCS 505/5.36 new

Amends the Children and Family Services Act. Requires the Department of Children and Family Services to adopt a rule that requires a youth in care who is under the age of 18 to demonstrate, as prescribed by the Department, that the youth has a stable and permanent living arrangement in place prior to and as a condition of eligibility for independent living and related services. Requires the rule to be implemented no later than January 1, 2026 and to be in addition to any other eligibility requirements for independent living and related services. Effective immediately.

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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 1. References to Act. This Act may be referred to
5 as Jaedyn's Law.

6 Section 5. The Children and Family Services Act is amended
7 by adding Section 5.36 as follows:

8 (20 ILCS 505/5.36 new)

9 Sec. 5.36. Independent living; permanent living
10 arrangement requirement. The Department shall adopt a rule
11 that requires a youth in care who is under the age of 18 to
12 demonstrate, as prescribed by the Department, that the youth
13 has a stable and permanent living arrangement in place prior
14 to and as a condition of eligibility for independent living
15 and related services. The rule shall be implemented no later
16 than January 1, 2026 and shall be in addition to any other
17 eligibility requirements for independent living and related
18 services.

19 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon
20 becoming law.