



## 98TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

### State of Illinois

2013 and 2014

HB5479

by Rep. Charles E. Meier

#### SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

405 ILCS 5/4-710 new

Amends the Mental Health and Developmental Disabilities Code. Provides that the Department of Human Services shall develop a monitoring program for any client that is discharged from a developmental disability facility under the Admission, Transfer, and Discharge Procedures for the Developmentally Disabled Chapter of the Code to a facility licensed under the Community-Integrated Living Arrangements Licensure and Certification Act. Provides that the program shall include weekly face-to-face visits for the first 8 weeks after discharge with an employee of the Department and monthly face-to-face visits after the first 8 weeks with an employee of the Department for one year after discharge.

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FISCAL NOTE ACT  
MAY APPLY

A BILL FOR

1 AN ACT concerning health.

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 Code is amended by adding Section 4-710 as  
6 follows:

7 (405 ILCS 5/4-710 new)

8 Sec. 4-710. Department monitoring program. The Department  
9 shall develop a monitoring program for any client that is  
10 discharged from a developmental disability facility under this  
11 Chapter to a facility licensed under the Community-Integrated  
12 Living Arrangements Licensure and Certification Act. The  
13 program shall include weekly face-to-face visits with an  
14 employee of the Department for the first 8 weeks after  
15 discharge and monthly face-to-face visits with an employee of  
16 the Department after the first 8 weeks for one year after  
17 discharge.