

## ONE HUNDRED SECOND LEGISLATURE

## FIRST SESSION

**LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION 281**

Introduced by Cook, 13.

PURPOSE: The purpose of this interim study is to conduct research and provide recommendations on how Nebraska is currently providing home and community-based health care services to Nebraska seniors. In conducting the study, the committee shall consult with the Department of Health and Human Services, other parties who may provide information on service delivery and costs associated with providing these services, and others who may have an interest in these services. Issues considered by the committee may include, but shall not be limited to:

(1) A review of home and community-based services provided by nonprofit organizations in Nebraska and the costs associated with providing these services;

(2) The evaluation of possible cost savings of providing home and community-based services to Nebraska seniors;

(3) The analysis and evaluation of current home and community-based services provided to Nebraska seniors;

(4) The analysis and evaluation of current home and community-based services currently being provided by other states and communities; and

(5) The analysis of the economic impact placed upon current nonprofit providers and available funding options to ensure a financially sustainable and affordable home and community-based provider system.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MEMBERS OF THE ONE HUNDRED SECOND LEGISLATURE OF NEBRASKA, FIRST SESSION:

1. That the Health and Human Services Committee of the Legislature shall be designated to conduct an interim study to carry out the purposes of this resolution.

2. That the committee shall upon the conclusion of its study make a report of its findings, together with its recommendations, to the Legislative Council or Legislature.