

LEGISLATURE OF NEBRASKA  
ONE HUNDRED SEVENTH LEGISLATURE  
SECOND SESSION

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 1172**

Introduced by Hilkemann, 4.

Read first time January 19, 2022

Committee: Appropriations

- 1 A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to appropriations; to appropriate federal
- 2 funds to the Department of Health and Human Services; and to declare
- 3 an emergency.
- 4 Be it enacted by the people of the State of Nebraska,

1           Section 1. There is hereby appropriated \$37,000,000 from Federal  
2 Funds for FY2021-22 to the Department of Health and Human Services, for  
3 Program 424, Developmental Disability Aid. The Federal Funds appropriated  
4 in this section are from the funds allocated to the State of Nebraska  
5 from the federal Coronavirus State Fiscal Recovery Fund pursuant to the  
6 federal American Rescue Plan Act of 2021, Public Law 117-2, Subtitle M,  
7 Sec. 9901.

8           There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2021-22  
9 \$37,000,000 Federal Funds for state aid, which shall only be used for  
10 such purpose.

11           No expenditures for permanent and temporary salaries and per diems  
12 for state employees shall be made from funds appropriated in this  
13 section.

14           There is included in the appropriation for this program for  
15 FY2021-22 \$37,000,000 for rate increases for agency providers for the  
16 following services, which shall only be used for such purpose:  
17 Prevocational; Residential Habilitation, excluding Shared Living  
18 Services; Supported Employment - Individual; Enclave; Behavioral In-Home  
19 Habilitation; Community Inclusion; Community Integration; Consultative  
20 Assessment; Crisis Intervention Support; Habilitative Workshop;  
21 Independent Living; In-Home Residential Habilitation; Medical In-Home  
22 Habilitation; Supported Family Living; Supported Employment - Follow  
23 Along; and Child Day Habilitation.

24           Sec. 2. Since an emergency exists, this act takes effect when  
25 passed and approved according to law.