

**ONE HUNDRED NINTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION - 2026**  
**COMMITTEE STATEMENT**  
**LB773**

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**Hearing Date:** Thursday February 05, 2026  
**Committee On:** Health and Human Services  
**Introducer:** Dungan  
**One Liner:** Eliminate a sunset date and change provisions of the Nebraska Prenatal Plus Program

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**Roll Call Vote - Final Committee Action:**  
Advanced to General File with amendment(s)

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**Vote Results:**

<b>Aye:</b>	5	Senators Hardin, Ballard, Fredrickson, Quick, Riepe
<b>Nay:</b>	1	Senator Meyer, G.
<b>Absent:</b>		
<b>Present Not Voting:</b>	1	Senator Hansen

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**Testimony:**

**Proponents:**

Senator George Dungan  
Robert Wergin MD  
Lana Temple-Plotz  
Briley Patterson  
Sydnie Carraher  
Madeline Walker

Marion Miner  
Sandy Danek  
Cleo Zagurski  
Sara Howard

**Representing:**

Opening Presenter  
Nebraska Medical Association  
Nebraska Childrens Home Society  
Nebraska Medicine  
NPQIC  
Nebraska Coalition to End Sexual and Domestic Violence  
Nebraska Catholic Conference  
Nebraska Right to Life  
Reproductive Health Collaborative Nebraska  
First Five Nebraska

**Opponents:**

**Representing:**

**Neutral:**

**Representing:**

\* ADA Accommodation Written Testimony

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**Summary of purpose and/or changes:**

LB773 amends §§68-9,106, 68-9,107 and 68-9,109 of the Nebraska Prenatal Plus Program to eliminate the program's sunset date of June 30, 2028, making it permanent, and extends program services to eligible mothers through the sixtieth day of the postpartum period. The bill also requires a minimum of two breastfeeding support sessions for at-risk mothers served by the program and extends the Department of Health and Human Services' annual reporting requirement to the Legislature through 2034.

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**Explanation of amendments:**

AM 2035 to LB 773 amends §68-9,106 by removing the provision that would have extended program services to eligible mothers through the sixtieth day of the postpartum period.

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Brian Hardin, Chairperson

