

ONE HUNDRED FOURTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION - 2015
COMMITTEE STATEMENT
LB366

Hearing Date: Wednesday February 04, 2015
Committee On: Health and Human Services
Introducer: Pansing Brooks
One Liner: Change the personal needs allowance under the Medical Assistance Act

Roll Call Vote - Final Committee Action:
Advanced to General File

Vote Results:

Aye:	5	Senators Campbell, Baker, Cook, Crawford, Howard
Nay:	2	Senators Kolterman, Riepe
Absent:		
Present Not Voting:		

Verbal Testimony:

Proponents:

Senator Patty Pansing Brooks
Lynn Redding
Mark Intermill
Kent Rogert
Nick Faustman

Representing:

District 28
Self
AARP
Leading Age Nebraska
Nebraska Nursing Facility Association; Nebraska Assisted Living Association

Opponents:

Representing:

Neutral:

Representing:

Summary of purpose and/or changes:

The purpose of LB366 is to increase for Medicaid eligible aged, blind and disabled persons, who reside in an alternative living arrangement, the personal needs allowance from fifty to seventy-five dollars.

Section-by-section description:

Section (1): Amends 68-1006.01 regarding assistance to the aged, blind, and disabled to increase the personal needs allowance from \$50/ month to \$75/month if the person lives in an alternative living arrangement.

Section (2): Repealer section.

Kathy Campbell, Chairperson