

ONE HUNDRED NINTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION - 2026
COMMITTEE STATEMENT
LB721

Hearing Date: Thursday January 22, 2026
Committee On: Health and Human Services
Introducer: Quick
One Liner: Change provisions relating to eligibility for grants under the Intergenerational Care Facility Incentive Grant Program

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

Vote Results:
Aye: 7 Senators Hardin, Ballard, Fredrickson, Hansen, Meyer, G., Quick, Riepe
Nay:
Absent:
Present Not Voting:

Testimony:

Proponents:

Senator Dan Quick
Mitchell Clark
Jalene Carpenter

Representing:

Opening Presenter
First Five Nebraska
NE Health Care Association

Opponents:

Representing:

Neutral:

Representing:

* ADA Accommodation Written Testimony

Summary of purpose and/or changes:

LB721 amends Section 81-3145 to require the Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS) to accept applications from existing intergenerational care facilities for grant funding under the Intergenerational Care Facility Grant Program related to child care expansion costs. The bill also amends the eligibility criteria to explicitly include all nursing homes, both nonprofit and proprietary, thereby expanding access to the existing grant program.

Explanation of amendments:

AM1786 to LB721 adds a restriction prohibiting a facility from reapplying if it has previously received a grant under the program.



