



## 103RD GENERAL ASSEMBLY

### State of Illinois

2023 and 2024

**HB3344**

Introduced 2/17/2023, by Rep. Suzanne M. Ness

#### SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

210 ILCS 135/13.3 new

Amends the Community-Integrated Living Arrangements Licensure and Certification Act. Provides that the Division of Developmental Disabilities of the Department of Human Services shall continue, in cases of medically required absences from a community integrated living arrangement, to provide 50% of the per diem reimbursement to providers while the community integrated living arrangement holds the vacancy for the absent resident. Provides that the absent resident shall be able to return to the community integrated living arrangement when the resident is medically able to return. Defines "medically required absences".

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1 AN ACT concerning regulation.

2 **Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,**  
3 **represented in the General Assembly:**

4 Section 5. The Community-Integrated Living Arrangements  
5 Licensure and Certification Act is amended by adding Section  
6 13.3 as follows:

7 (210 ILCS 135/13.3 new)

8 Sec. 13.3. Occupancy factor. The Division of Developmental  
9 Disabilities of the Department shall continue, in cases of  
10 medically required absences from a community integrated living  
11 arrangement, to provide 50% of the per diem reimbursement to  
12 providers while the community integrated living arrangement  
13 holds the vacancy for the absent resident. The absent resident  
14 is authorized to return to the community integrated living  
15 arrangement when the resident is medically able to return.

16 As used in this Section, "medically required absences"  
17 means a situation in which a resident is temporarily absent  
18 from a community integrated living arrangement to receive  
19 medical treatment or for other reasons that have been  
20 recommended by medical personnel. Such reasons include, but  
21 are not limited to, hospitalizations, placements in short-term  
22 stabilization homes or state-operated facilities, stays in  
23 nursing facilities, rehabilitation in long-term care

1 facilities, or other absences for legitimate medical reasons.