



99TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

2015 and 2016

HB3915

by Rep. Bill Mitchell

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

305 ILCS 5/12-4.49 new

Amends the Illinois Public Aid Code. Provides that subject to federal approval if required, the Department of Human Services, in consultation with the Department of Healthcare and Family Services, shall investigate the paternity of a child applying for child care assistance or medical assistance provided under the Code if the Department has reason to believe the child's father is capable of providing support to the child. Provides that the Department of Human Services, in consultation with the Department of Healthcare and Family Services, shall adopt any rules necessary to implement this provision.

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FISCAL NOTE ACT
MAY APPLY

A BILL FOR

1 AN ACT concerning public aid.

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

4 Section 5. The Illinois Public Aid Code is amended by
5 adding Section 12-4.49 as follows:

6 (305 ILCS 5/12-4.49 new)

7 Sec. 12-4.49. Paternity investigations. Subject to federal
8 approval if required, the Department of Human Services, in
9 consultation with the Department of Healthcare and Family
10 Services, shall investigate the paternity of a child applying
11 for child care assistance or medical assistance provided under
12 this Code if the Department has reason to believe the child's
13 father is capable of providing support to the child. The
14 Department of Human Services, in consultation with the
15 Department of Healthcare and Family Services, shall adopt any
16 rules necessary to implement this Section.