



SF0106

Welfare Fraud Prevention Act Amendments.

Sponsored By: Senator(s) Biteman and Hutchings

AN ACT relating to welfare; amending the intervals at which the department of health and department of family services shall determine specified information of an applicant for or recipient of public welfare and assistance; making conforming amendments; amending the requirements for public welfare and assistance qualification and participation; establishing citizen, noncitizen and qualified alien eligibility for public welfare and assistance; requiring the reporting of illegal alien status; requiring specified hospitals to collect citizenship status information; requiring rulemaking; requiring reporting; providing definitions; specifying applicability; and providing for an effective date.

2/10/2026 Bill Number Assigned
2/11/2026 S Received for Introduction
2/12/2026 S Introduced and Referred to S02 - Appropriations 31-0-0-0-0

ROLL CALL

Ayes: Senator(s) Anderson, Barlow, Biteman, Boner, Brennan, Case, Cooper, Crago, Crum, Dockstader, Driskill, French, Gierau, Hicks, Hutchings, Ide, Jones, Kolb, Landen, Laursen, Love, Mckeown, Nethercott, Olsen, Pappas, Pearson, Rothfuss, Salazar, Schuler, Scott, Steinmetz

Ayes 31 **Nays** 0 **Excused** 0 **Absent** 0 **Conflicts** 0

2/16/2026 S02 - Appropriations:Recommend Do Pass 5-0-0-0-0

ROLL CALL

Ayes: Senator(s) Driskill, French, Gierau, Laursen, Salazar

Ayes 5 **Nays** 0 **Excused** 0 **Absent** 0 **Conflicts** 0

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Page 1-line 2 After "health" insert "and department of family services".

Page 2-line 2 Delete "42-10-111" and insert "42-10-110"; delete "42-10-204" and insert "42-10-201".

Page 2-line 9 Delete "with zero".

Page 2-line 10 Delete "(0) net income, households".

Page 2-line 11 Delete "or" and insert "and".

Page 3-line 12 After "Income" insert "in excess of zero dollars (\$0.00)".

Page 3-line 18 Delete entirely and renumber as necessary.

Page 3-line 20 Delete "(v)" and insert "(iv)"; delete "Citizenship" and insert "Except for any presumptive eligibility period, citizenship".

Page 4-line 12 After "department" insert "of health".

Page 4-line 16 After "department" insert "of health".

Page 4-lines 21 and 22 Delete entirely and renumber as necessary.

Page 5-lines 1 and 2 Delete entirely.

Page 5-line 4 Delete "(e)" and insert "(d)"; after "department"
insert "of health".

Page 5-line 6 Delete "or public benefits".

Page 5-line 10 Delete "(f)" and insert "(e)".

Page 5-line 11 After "department" insert "of health".

Page 6-line 2 After "department" insert "of health".

Page 6-line 8 After "program." delete balance of line.

Page 6-lines 9 through 12 Delete entirely.

Page 7-line 11 After "department" insert "of health".

Page 7-line 15 After "department" insert "of health".

Page 8-lines 8 through 21 Delete entirely.

Page 9-line 3 Delete "42-10-204" and insert "42-10-201".

Page 9-line 6 After "department" insert "of family services".

Page 9-line 12 After "department" insert "of family services".

Page 10-line 1 Before "No" insert "Unless required by federal law,".

Page 11-line 2 After "department" insert "of family services".

Page 11-line 15 After "department" insert "of health".

Page 12-line 2 After "department" insert "of family services or other
applicable agency".

Page 12-line 12 After "department" insert "of family services".

Page 12-line 14 Delete "household" and insert "assistance unit".

Page 12-line 17 After "department" insert "of health".

Page 12-line 19 Delete "household member" and insert "person".

Page 13-line 2 Delete "The department of human resources" and insert
"The department of health and department of family
services".

Page 13-line 5 After "member" insert "or assistance unit member".

Page 13-line 6 After "determined" insert "by the applicable department while applying the requirements of this title".

Page 13-line 7 After "member" insert "or assistance unit member".

Page 14-line 4 After "department" insert "of health".

Page 15-line 2 After "applicant" insert "for medicaid".

Page 15-line 7 After "**integrity**" insert "; **medicaid**".

Page 15-line 9 After "department" insert "of health".

Page 15-line 21 After "department" insert "of health".

Page 16-line 15 Delete "agency" and insert "department of health".

Page 16-line 22 After "answer" insert "together with other information required by the department".

Page 17-line 2 After "the governor" delete balance of line.

Page 17-line 3 Delete "of the house of representatives" and insert "and the joint labor, health and social services interim committee"

Page 18-line 10 After "Conduct the" insert "applicable".

Page 18-line 12 Delete "42-10-111" and insert "42-10-110".

Page 19-line 3 Delete "not less than on a monthly basis" and insert "at every application and recertification period".

Page 19-line 16 Delete "not less than on a monthly basis" and insert "of family services at every application and recertification period".

Page 19-line 19 After "department" insert "of family services".

Page 19-line 20 Delete "not less than on a monthly basis" and insert "at every application and recertification period".

Page 20-line 2 Delete "not less" and insert "of family service".

Page 20-line 3 Delete "than on a monthly basis" and insert "at every application and recertification period".

Page 20-line 8 Delete "not less than".

Page 20-line 9 Delete "on a monthly basis" and insert "at every application and recertification period".

Page 20-line 14 Delete "not less than on a monthly basis" and insert "at every application and recertification period".

Page 20-line 18 Delete "not less than on a monthly basis" and insert "of family services at every application and recertification period and by the department of health upon the receipt of applicable information from the Wyoming retirement system".

Page 20-line 20 Strike "maintained by the".

Page 20-line 21 Strike "department of workforce services".

Page 20-line 22 Delete "not less than on a monthly basis" and insert "at every application and recertification period".

Page 21-line 4 Delete "not less than on a monthly basis" and insert "of family services at every application and recertification period".

Page 21-line 9 Delete "not less than".

Page 21-line 10 Delete "on a monthly basis" and insert "at every application and recertification period".

Page 21-line 13 After "department" insert "of family services and department of health"; after "shall" insert "each"; delete "its" and insert "their"; delete "website" and insert "websites".

Page 22-lines 10 through 13 Delete entirely and insert:

"Section 3. This act is effective January 1, 2027."
BITEMAN

2/20/2026 S COW:Passed
2/23/2026 S 2nd Reading:Passed

SF0106S3001/WITHDRAWN

SF0106S3002/FAILED

Page 22-lines 10 through 13 Delete entirely including the Biteman committee of the whole amendment (SF0106SW001/A) to these lines, and insert "**Section 3.** This act is effective April 1, 2027.". SCOTT

2/24/2026 S 3rd Reading:Passed 29-2-0-0-0

ROLL CALL

Ayes: Senator(s) Anderson, Barlow, Biteman, Boner, Brennan, Cooper, Crago, Crum, Dockstader, Driskill, French, Gierau, Hicks, Hutchings, Ide, Jones, Kolb, Landen, Laursen, Love, Mckeown, Nethercott, Olsen, Pappas, Pearson, Salazar, Schuler, Scott, Steinmetz

Nays: Senator(s) Case, Rothfuss

Ayes 29 **Nays** 2 **Excused** 0 **Absent** 0 **Conflicts** 0

2/25/2026 H Received for Introduction
2/25/2026 H Introduced and Referred to H10 - Labor
3/2/2026 H10 - Labor:Recommend Amend and Do Pass 9-0-0-0-0

ROLL CALL

Ayes: Representative(s) Clouston, Guggenmos, Hoeft, Mccann, Ottman, Rodriguez-Williams, Thayer, Wasserburger, Yin

Ayes 9 **Nays** 0 **Excused** 0 **Absent** 0 **Conflicts** 0

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- Page 2-line 22 Delete "paragraphs" and insert "subsections".
- Page 5-line 17 Delete "(g)" and insert "(f)".
- Page 8-line 9 After "7 U.S.C. § 2015(o)(6)(F)" insert ", except for family caregivers as defined in section 2 of the Recognize, Assist, Include, Support and Engage Family Caregivers Act of 2017".
- Page 14-line 19 After "(i)" insert "Beginning not later than April 1, 2027,".
- Page 15-line 4 After "(ii)" insert "Beginning not later than April 1, 2027,".
- Page 15-line 10 After "(iii)" insert "Beginning with the calendar year ending on December 31, 2027 and each calendar year thereafter,"; delete "a".
- Page 15-line 11 Delete "quarterly" and insert "an annual".
- Page 15-line 12 Delete "quarter" and insert "year".
- Page 15-line 13 After "reports the" insert "total deidentified"; delete "or" and insert "and".
- Page 15-line 14 Delete "quarter which were".
- Page 15-line 15 Delete "made by a" and insert "calendar year, disaggregated based on whether the"; delete "who" and insert "or the patient's representative"; after "was" insert "or was not".
- Page 15-line 17 After "States" delete balance of line.
- Page 15-line 18 Delete "States,".
- Page 15-line 21 Delete "By April 1 of each year" and insert "Beginning on April 1, 2028 and each April 1 thereafter".
- Page 16-line 1 Before "hospital" insert "total deidentified".
- Page 16-line 2 Delete "where" and insert ", disaggregated based on whether".
- Page 16-line 3 After "was" insert "or was not".
- Page 16-line 4 After "States" insert "or lawfully present in the United States".

(v) The low-income energy assistance program reporting utility expenses database maintained by the state."

Page 17-line 17 After "shall" strike ",,".

Page 17-line 18 Strike "to the extent practicable,".

Page 18-line 1 After "department" delete balance of line.

Page 18-line 2 Delete "period" and insert "not less than on a monthly basis".

Page 18-line 15 After "services" delete balance of line.

Page 18-line 16 Delete all new language and insert "not less than on a monthly basis".

Page 18-line 20 After "services" delete balance of line.

Page 18-line 21 Delete "period" and insert "not less than on a monthly basis".

Page 19-line 3 After "services" delete all new language and insert "not less than on a monthly basis".

Page 19-line 8 Delete "at every".

Page 19-line 9 Delete all new language and insert "not less than on a monthly basis".

Page 19-line 14 After "department" delete balance of line.

Page 19-line 15 Delete "period" and insert "not less than on a monthly basis".

Page 19-line 19 After "services" delete balance of line.

Page 19-lines 20 and 21 Delete entirely.

Page 19-line 22 Delete "retirement system" and insert "and the department not less than on a monthly basis".

Page 20-line 3 Delete all new language and insert "not less than on a monthly basis".

Page 20-line 8 After "services" delete balance of line.

Page 20-line 9 Delete "recertification period" and insert "not less than on a monthly basis".

Page 20-line 14 Delete "at every".

Page 20-line 15 Delete all new language and insert "not less than on a monthly basis". BRADY

ROLL CALL

Ayes: Representative(s) Allemand, Andrew, Angelos, Banks, Bear, Brady, Bratten, Brown, G, Brown, L, Byron, Campbell, E, Campbell, K, Clouston, Connolly, Davis, Erickson, Filer, Fornstrom, Geringer, Guggenmos, Haroldson, Harshman, Heiner, Hoeft, Jarvis, Johnson, Knapp, Larsen, L, Larson, Jt, Lawley, Lien, Locke, Lucas, Mccann, Neiman, Ottman, Pendergraft, Posey, Riggins, Rodriguez-Williams, Schmid, Singh, Smith, Strock, Styvar, Tarver, Thayer, Washut, Wasserburger, Webb, Webber, Wharff, Williams, Winter, Wylie

Nays: Representative(s) Chestek, Nicholas, Provenza, Sherwood, Storer, Yin

Excused: Representative Kelly

Ayes 55 **Nays** 6 **Excused** 1 **Absent** 0 **Conflicts** 0

3/6/2026 S Received for Concurrence

3/6/2026 S Concur:Passed 27-2-2-0-0

ROLL CALL

Ayes: Senator(s) Anderson, Barlow, Biteman, Boner, Brennan, Cooper, Crago, Crum, Dockstader, French, Gierau, Hicks, Hutchings, Ide, Jones, Kolb, Landen, Laursen, Love, Mckeown, Nethercott, Olsen, Pappas, Pearson, Salazar, Schuler, Scott

Nays: Senator(s) Case, Rothfuss

Excused: Senator(s) Driskill, Steinmetz

Ayes 27 **Nays** 2 **Excused** 2 **Absent** 0 **Conflicts** 0

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