

**Explanation of Changes Reflected in the Chairman’s
Amendment in the Nature of a Substitute to
H.R. 2824, *Increasing Opportunity through Evidence-Based Home Visiting Act*
September 13, 2017**

The Chairman’s amendment in the nature of a substitute includes the following changes to H.R. 2824 as introduced (page and line references are to H.R. 2824 as introduced):

1. Page 1, lines 4-5: Change the short title to the “Increasing Opportunity and Success for Children and Parents through Evidence-Based Home Visiting Act”
2. Throughout, renumber sections to be 1-10, rather than 101-111.
3. Strike “service delivery model or models selected by the entity are intended to improve” and insert “service delivery model or models, selected by the entity, intend to improve”
 - a. Page 3, lines 20-22
 - b. Page 4, lines 4-6
 - c. Page 5, lines 15-17
4. Page 3, lines 14-17: Amend to read “not later than 30 days after the end of fiscal year 2020 and every three years thereafter, information demonstrating that the program results in improvements for the”
5. Page 5
 - a. Line 4: Insert “that the service delivery model or models intend to improve” before the comma
 - b. Line 25 through page 6 line 3: Amend to read “State under section 502, review and update the statewide needs assessment not later than October 1, 2020 (which may be separate from but in coordination with the statewide”
6. Page 6
 - a. Lines 10-11: Amend to read “the eligible entity may need to develop for the model to operate and demonstrate improvements for eligible families”.
 - b. Line 12 through page 8, line 9: Strike section 105, and renumber sections.
7. Page 8, lines 14-15: Amend to read “(which shall include measures of employment and earnings)”
8. Page 9
 - a. Line 1: strike “for” and insert “to pay for the result of”

- b. Line 2: Add before the period “and that will not result in a reduction of funding for services delivered under this section while an eligible entity develops or operates such an initiative”
- c. Line 8: Amend to read “. . .grant, contract, cooperative agreement, or other agreement”

9. Page 11

- a. Line 7: Strike “Federal” and insert “Program”
- b. Line 9: Strike “subsection” and insert “section”
- c. Line 18 through line 23: Strike and insert the following:
 - “(i) in the case of an eligible entity that is a State or nonprofit organization—
 - “(I) 70 percent, in the case of fiscal year 2020;
 - “(II) 60 percent, in the case of fiscal year 2021; or
 - “(III) 50 percent, in the case of fiscal year 2022 or any succeeding fiscal year; or
 - “(ii) in the case of an eligible entity is an Indian Tribe (or a consortium of that Indian Tribes), a Tribal Organization, or an Urban Indian Organization—
 - “(I) 100 percent, in the case of fiscal year 2020 or 2021; or
 - “(II) 70 percent, in the case of fiscal year 2022 or any succeeding fiscal year.
- d. Line 24 through page 12 line 4: Strike and insert the following:
 - “(2) Non-Program Home Visiting Share.— The share of the costs of providing services or conducting activities under this section not covered by grant funds may include—
 - “(A) State expenditures of Federal funds made available other than under this section expended for activities under this section;
 - “(B) State expenditures of State funds expended for activities under this section as a condition of receiving Federal funds other than under this section; and
 - “(C) contributions made for activities under this section from any other source, paid in cash or in kind, valued at the fair market value of such contribution.”.

10. Page 12, line 20: Add “government” before “perspectives”

11. Page 15, lines 19-20: Strike “Act” and replace with “Section” in two places

12. Page 16, line 1 through page 17, line 12: Strike Title II