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HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

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132ND LEGISLATURE
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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT “ ” to H.P. 1227, L.D. 1843, “An Act to Provide Peer Respite for Individuals with Mental Health Care Needs”

Amend the bill by striking out all of section 2 and inserting the following:

'Sec. 2. Appropriations and allocations. The following appropriations and allocations are made.

**HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, DEPARTMENT OF
Mental Health Services - Community Z198**

Initiative: Provides ongoing funding to operate a peer respite center providing 24-hour short-term mental health services to adults.

| GENERAL FUND | 2025-26 | 2026-27 |
|---------------------------|------------------|------------------|
| All Other | \$927,310 | \$927,310 |
| GENERAL FUND TOTAL | \$927,310 | \$927,310 |

Mental Health Services - Community Z198

Initiative: Provides one-time funding for start-up costs to establish a peer recovery center.

| GENERAL FUND | 2025-26 | 2026-27 |
|---------------------------|------------------|----------------|
| All Other | \$175,000 | \$0 |
| GENERAL FUND TOTAL | \$175,000 | \$0 |

**HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES,
DEPARTMENT OF
DEPARTMENT TOTALS**

| | 2025-26 | 2026-27 |
|---------------------|--------------------|------------------|
| GENERAL FUND | \$1,102,310 | \$927,310 |

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT “ ” to H.P. 1227, L.D. 1843

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|---|-------------------------------------|--------------------|------------------|
| 1 | DEPARTMENT TOTAL - ALL FUNDS | \$1,102,310 | \$927,310 |
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3 Amend the bill by relettering or renumbering any nonconsecutive Part letter or section
4 number to read consecutively.

5 SUMMARY

6 This amendment replaces the appropriations and allocations section.

7 **FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED**

8 (See attached)