



Youth State Legislation

LGBTQ Task Force - Youth Commission



AB 1887 - Foster Care: LGBTQ youth

Existing Law

Provides for the placement of foster youth in diverse settings and oversees the delivery of child welfare services

What this bill does

Require the department to assemble a workgroup tasked with generating a report containing recommendations aimed at preventing housing instability among LGBTQ youth in foster care

The bill would require the workgroup to submit that report on or before January 1, 2026

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AB 2007 - Homeless Youth: transitional housing

Existing Law

Establishes homeless youth emergency service pilot projects in the City of Los Angeles and the City and County of San Francisco providing services to homeless minors, including food and access to an overnight shelter and counseling to address immediate emotional crises or problems

What this bill does

Would require the Department of Housing and Community Development to establish the Unicorn Homes Transitional Housing for Homeless LGBTQ+ Youth Program, to be administered by local community-based organizations that provide a majority of its services to the LGBTQ+ community.

The bill would require the department to fund community-based organizations in up to 5 selected counties that provide transitional housing for LGBTQ+ youth, 18 to 24 years of age, inclusive, experiencing homelessness due to family rejection, with the ultimate goal of reunification with the youth's original family.

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