



General Assembly

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**Committee Bill No. 5730**

LCO No. 4585



Referred to Committee on HUMAN SERVICES

Introduced by:  
(HS)

***AN ACT CONCERNING STAGGERED TERMS FOR MEMBERS OF  
THE TWO-GENERATIONAL ADVISORY BOARD.***

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

1 Section 1. Subsection (d) of section 17b-112l of the general statutes is  
2 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective July 1,*  
3 *2025*):

4 (d) A Two-Generational Advisory Board shall be established as part  
5 of the initiative to advise the state, the legislature and the Secretary of  
6 the Office of Policy and Management on how to foster family economic  
7 self-sufficiency in low income households through a comprehensive  
8 two-generational service delivery approach for early child care,  
9 education and workforce readiness. The board shall work in partnership  
10 with philanthropic organizations, as available, to provide support,  
11 technical assistance, guidance and best practices to the participating  
12 communities in the initiative designated pursuant to subsection (c) of  
13 this section. The board shall consist of (1) one member of the General  
14 Assembly appointed by the speaker of the House of Representatives,  
15 who shall serve as a cochairperson; (2) one member of the Senate  
16 appointed by the president pro tempore of the Senate, who shall serve

17 as a cochairperson; (3) one member representing the interests of  
18 business or trade organizations appointed by the majority leader of the  
19 Senate; (4) one member with expertise on issues concerning physical  
20 and mental health appointed by the majority leader of the House of  
21 Representatives; (5) one member with expertise on issues concerning  
22 children and families appointed by the minority leader of the Senate; (6)  
23 one member of the General Assembly appointed by the minority leader  
24 of the House of Representatives; (7) one member appointed by the  
25 Governor; (8) representatives of nonprofit and philanthropic  
26 organizations and scholars who are experts in two-generational  
27 programs and policies, including, but not limited to, at least one such  
28 representative and scholar with experience in developing strategies to  
29 achieve racial equity and social justice, selected by the cochairpersons;  
30 (9) parent or family leaders representing low-income households  
31 selected by the Commission on Women, Children, Seniors, Equity and  
32 Opportunity, who shall constitute one-fourth of the board; and (10)  
33 other business and academic professionals as needed to achieve goals  
34 for two-generational systems planning, evaluations and outcomes,  
35 selected by the cochairpersons. Beginning July 1, 2025, members of the  
36 board shall be appointed or reappointed by the appointing authorities  
37 to staggered three-year terms, such that not more than one-third of the  
38 board members' terms end on the same date. The Chief Court  
39 Administrator, or the Chief Court Administrator's designee, shall serve  
40 as ex-officio members of the advisory board. The staff of the  
41 Commission on Women, Children, Seniors, Equity and Opportunity  
42 shall serve as the organizing and administrative staff of the advisory  
43 board.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Section 1	July 1, 2025	17b-112l(d)

**HS**      *Joint Favorable*