

**5476.E AMH APP BLAC 057**

By Representative Cody

**ESB 5476** - H COMM AMD TO APP COMM AMD (H-1608.1/21)

By Committee on Appropriations

1 On page 2, line 27 of the striking amendment, after "for" strike  
2 "those" and insert "(i) indigent youth and adult populations in need  
3 of assessments, services, treatment, and waivers of civil infraction  
4 penalties and (ii)"

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6 On page 7, line 10 of the striking amendment, after "RCW" insert  
7 ", with priority for the use of the funds for very low-income  
8 individuals"

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EFFECT: Requires that the Substance Use Recovery Services Plan's consideration of barriers to accessing the behavioral health system include indigent youth and adult populations in need of assessments, services, treatment, and waivers of civil infraction penalties.

Requires that the grant program for treatment services for low-income individuals with a substance use disorder who are not eligible for medical assistance programs prioritize the use of the funds for very low-income individuals.

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