

## WISCONSIN LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL STAFF MEMORANDUM

Memo No. 13

TO: MEMBERS OF THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON STRENGTHENING WISCONSIN

**FAMILIES** 

FROM: Anne Sappenfield, Senior Staff Attorney

RE: Proposal to Modify Current Law Relating to the Family Foundations Home Visitation

**Program** 

DATE: October 30, 2007

Please review the attached proposal for legislation to modify s. 46.515, Stats., relating to the Family Foundations home visitation program administered by the Department of Health and Family Services. The proposal was prepared by Sandy Ellis, Director of Prevention, Children's Service Society of Wisconsin; Jennifer Hammel, Child Abuse Prevention Fund Director, Children's Hospital and Health System; Audrey Laszewski, Project Director, The Early Years Home Visitation Outcome Project of Wisconsin; and Polly Snodgrass, Program Director, Healthy Families/Prenatal Care Coordination, Family Services of Northeast Wisconsin. I will prepare a bill draft based upon the proposal for the committee to consider at the November 5, 2007 meeting.

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Attachment