

Title X Funding for Family Planning Services; SB 248

SB 248 prescribes the priority for expenditures and grants for family planning services financed with federal Title X funds. The bill specifies the Kansas Department of Health and Environment, Division of Public Health, shall make any expenditure or grant first to public entities, including state, county, and local health departments and health clinics and, second, if funds remain, to non-public entities that are hospitals or federally qualified health centers that provide comprehensive primary and preventive care in addition to family planning services. The bill codifies in statute a proviso which has been included in the appropriations bills since 2011.