# Children, Families, Health, and Human Services

## 5-5-225, MCA provides:

The Children, Families, Health, and Human Services (CFHHS) interim committee has administrative rule review, draft legislation review, program evaluation, and monitoring responsibilities for the Department of Public Health and Human Services and the entities attached to that department for administrative purposes.

### <u>Membership</u>

Not less than half of the members must have served on the following session standing committees:

House Human Services; House Appropriations; Senate Public Health, Welfare, and Safety; Senate Finance.

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## Assigned Studies

SJR 8 Study privatization of foster care and adoption (staff white paper).

Members of the CFHHS committee will also serve on the subcommittees for HJR 1– the study of mental health services with the Legislative Finance Committee, and SJ 22 – the study of health care costs with the Economic Affairs interim committee.

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