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AGENCY BILL ANALYSIS - 2026 REGULAR SESSION

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SECTION I: GENERAL INFORMATION

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Date Prepared: _____ *Check all that apply:*
Bill Number: SM020 Original Correction
 Amendment Substitute

		Agency Name	
		and Code	CYFD - 690
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SECTION II: FISCAL IMPACT

APPROPRIATION (dollars in thousands)

Appropriation		Recurring or Nonrecurring	Fund Affected
FY26	FY27		

REVENUE (dollars in thousands)

Estimated Revenue			Recurring or Nonrecurring	Fund Affected
FY26	FY27	FY28		

(Parenthesis () indicate revenue decreases)

ESTIMATED ADDITIONAL OPERATING BUDGET IMPACT (dollars in thousands)

	FY26	FY27	FY28	3 Year Total Cost	Recurring or Nonrecurring	Fund Affected
Total						

(Parenthesis () Indicate Expenditure Decreases)

Duplicates/Conflicts with/Companion to/Relates to:
 Duplicates/Relates to Appropriation in the General Appropriation Act

SECTION III: NARRATIVE

BILL SUMMARY

Synopsis: This memorial asks the Department of Health to:

- convene a statewide youth violence summit to develop a comprehensive statewide approach to mitigate youth violence, strengthen public safety and improve youth and community outcomes and to develop a strategy to expand research-based community violence prevention and intervention services;
- create a planning group consisting of representatives from CYFD, the HCA, PED, the AODA, and the Chief Public Defender, as well as members appointed by the secretary of health to represent state and local law enforcement agencies, the children's court, community-based organizations that focus on helping troubled youth and youth and families who have lived experience with the juvenile justice system;
- develop an agenda to include speakers and facilitators from New Mexico, other states that have successful youth violence mitigation strategies and national experts; educational and problem-solving panels; and plenary sessions and to advertise the youth violence summit as a public event; and
- use the summit to:
 - o disseminate research and best practices on youth violence prevention and intervention;
 - o disseminate state and local as well as other states' examples of successful programs;
 - o understand current data trends in youth violence across New Mexico and the needs of communities;
 - o identify promising approaches and gaps in youth violence prevention and intervention strategies in New Mexico;
 - o develop recommendations for a statewide vision for youth violence prevention and intervention that centers the voices of youth, families and communities, including recommendations related to needed investments in research-based community violence programs;
 - o develop strategies for scaling promising approaches in the state;
 - o strengthen data collection and reporting;
 - o provide technical assistance and training and additional support to localities and community stakeholders; and
 - o develop a vision and plan for a statewide office to oversee and support efforts to mitigate youth violence; and
- write a final report detailing the findings and recommendations of the youth violence summit, including recommendations for investments and proposed legislation to implement a comprehensive statewide approach to mitigate youth violence that includes tested and innovative community-based violence intervention strategies, to be presented to the interim committees by November 1, 2026.

FISCAL IMPLICATIONS

There is no appropriation contained within this memorial. Summits of this nature tend to run in the tens to hundreds of thousands. CYFD will assist with planning and representation.

SIGNIFICANT ISSUES

There is no funding tied to this summit.

PERFORMANCE IMPLICATIONS

CYFD has no performance measures related to the convening of a summit.

ADMINISTRATIVE IMPLICATIONS

CYFD will assist to the extent that its resources permit.

CONFLICT, DUPLICATION, COMPANIONSHIP, RELATIONSHIP

None identified.

TECHNICAL ISSUES

None identified.

OTHER SUBSTANTIVE ISSUES

None identified.

ALTERNATIVES

None proposed.

WHAT WILL BE THE CONSEQUENCES OF NOT ENACTING THIS BILL

Status quo.

AMENDMENTS

None proposed.