

SENATE BILL NO. 399

June 21, 2023, Introduced by Senator BELLINO and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

A bill to amend 1974 PA 258, entitled
"Mental health code,"
by amending section 273b (MCL 330.1273b), as added by 2020 PA 402.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 Sec. 273b. Subject to appropriation, the department shall
2 create and operate a competitive grant program to provide grants to
3 recovery community organizations. Each year from available funds,
4 the department shall award grants under this section to recovery
5 community organizations to offer or expand recovery support center
6 services or recovery community center services to individuals
7 seeking long-term recovery from substance use disorders. ~~Each grant~~

~~that the department awards under this section shall not exceed~~
~~\$150,000.00 per applicant.~~ In awarding a grant, the department
shall place priority on recovery community organizations that do
all of the following:

(a) Provide recovery support navigation that includes the
following:

(i) Multiple recovery pathways.

(ii) Assistance for individuals navigating recovery resources
such as detoxification, treatment, recovery housing, support
groups, peer support, and family support.

(iii) The promotion of community wellness and engagement.

(iv) Recovery advocacy that provides hope and encourages
recovery.

(v) A peer-led, peer-driven organization that offers recovery
to any individual seeking recovery from addiction.

(b) Provide recovery outreach education that includes the
following:

(i) On-site recovery education in the workplace.

(ii) All-staff employee meetings.

(iii) On-site support for employees and family members.

(iv) Connections for employees and family members of employees
suffering from addiction to local recovery resources such as
treatment, recovery housing, and support groups.

(v) Connections with employers to provide recovery advocacy.

(c) Provide recovery activities and events that include the
following:

(i) Safe, ongoing recovery activities and events.

(ii) Opportunities to volunteer and participate in activities

1 and events.

2 (iii) Opportunities for family members and supporters of
3 recovery to be involved.

4 (iv) Meetings and activities on nutrition, health, and
5 wellness.

6 (v) Meetings and activities on mindfulness, meditation, and
7 yoga.