



HOUSE of REPRESENTATIVES

STATE OF MICHIGAN

Appropriations Requests for Legislatively Directed Spending Items

1. The sponsoring representative's first name:
Curt
2. The sponsoring representative's last name:
VanderWall
3. The cosponsoring representatives' names. All cosponsors must be listed. If none, please type 'n/a.' A signed letter from the sponsor approving the co-sponsorship and a signed letter from the member wishing to co-sponsor are required. Attach letters at question #9 below.
n/a
4. Name of the entity that the spending item is intended for:
Corewell Health
5. Physical address of the entity that the spending item is intended for:
100 Corewell Health Drive NW, Grand Rapids, MI 49503
6. If there is not a specific recipient, the intended location of the project or activity:
statewide
7. Name of the representative and the district number where the legislatively directed spending item is located:
Curt VanderWall 102
8. Purpose of the legislatively directed spending item. Please include how it provides a public benefit and why it is an appropriate use of taxpayer funding. Please also demonstrate that the item does not violate Article IV, S 30 of the Michigan Constitution. We aim to strengthen Michigan's 4th trimester ecosystem by, in collaboration with other key stakeholders, launching a statewide campaign to identify and fill gaps in postpartum mental health care and support. Proposed activities include the following:
 1. Convene a multisector coalition comprised of stakeholders that make up Michigan's 4th trimester ecosystem, with a focus on mental health.
 2. Catalog and map the numerous initiatives and programs that comprise the ecosystem.

3. Identify structural gaps in the ecosystem.
4. Develop a portfolio of initiatives to fill those gaps.

Expected Deliverables include the following:

1. Organized statewide multisector, multi-stakeholder coalition committed to improving maternal mental health in the 4th trimester.
2. A visual and accompanying written documentation of Michigan's current state postpartum ecosystem.
3. A list of the structural gaps and deficiencies in the ecosystem.
4. A portfolio of initiatives and programs to address those structural gaps.

Anticipated Outcomes. A documented and resourced plan for the establishment of a coordinated, cohesive, and effective postpartum ecosystem in the state of Michigan.

9. Attach documents here if needed:

Attachments added to the end of this file.

10. The amount of state funding requested for the legislatively directed spending item.
500000

11. Has the legislatively directed spending item previously received any of the following types of funding? Check all that apply.
["None"]

12. Please select one of the following groups that describes the entity requesting the legislatively directed spending item:
Non-profit organization

13. For a non-profit organization, has the organization been operating within Michigan for the preceding 36 months?
Yes

14. For a non-profit organization, has the entity had a physical office within Michigan for the preceding 12 months?
Yes

15. For a non-profit organization, does the organization have a board of directors?
Yes

16. For a non-profit organization, list all the active members on the organization's board of directors and any other officers. If this question is not applicable, please type 'n/a.'
Danielle Brown, Christopher Carpenter, MD, Mark Davidoff, Doug DeVos, Julie Fream, Chair, Tina Freese Decker, President & CEO, Marija Grahovac, MD, Ronald Hall, Angel

Hernandez, MD, Philomena Mantella, PhD, Timothy O'Brien, William Payne, Robert Roth, Thomas Saeli, Michael Todman, Sean Welsh, Vice Chair

17. "I certify that neither the sponsoring representative nor the sponsoring representative's staff or immediate family has a direct or indirect pecuniary interest in the legislatively directed spending item."

Yes, this is correct

18. Anticipated start and end dates for the legislatively directed spending item:

October 1, 2025-Sept 30, 2026

19. "I hereby certify that all information provided in this request is true and accurate."

Yes