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Bill Analysis

SB 1983 directs the Department of Human Services to provide foster care data to resource family partners. Resource family partners are defined by the measure as a private, child-placing agency under contract with the Department to recruit, retain, and support foster homes to meet the child's needs through service coordination and delivery in conjunction with the Department. Such data shall include the number of children without placement each day, demographic and geographic data of foster parents and children, areas where there is a high need for placements, areas experiencing a high number of disruptions in placement, the number of sibling groups that are separated in different placements, the number of foster children that are in placements a long distance from their home community, and any other data deemed relevant by the Department.

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