



## HOUSE REPUBLICAN STAFF ANALYSIS

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### Psychiatry Residencies

- This bill appropriates funding for 12 new psychiatry residencies at UIHC per year, with a focus on the residents receiving their psychiatric training at the state MHIs, resource centers, Eldora state training school, and Oakdale medical classification center.
- The residencies will prioritize Iowans in the application process.
- Iowa ranks 44<sup>th</sup> in the nation for psychiatrists per capita.
- **Fiscal Note:** Each residency costs \$100,000 and will increase each year until it is \$4.8 million appropriation in FY 2027.

### Section by Section Analysis

#### Section 1 – New Section (Iowa Code 135.180) – State-Funded Psychiatric Residency Program – Fund – Appropriations

Requires the University of Iowa Hospitals and Clinics to administer a state-funded psychiatric residency program in cooperation with the state mental health institutes at Independence and Cherokee, the Iowa medical classification center at Oakdale, the state resource centers at Glenwood and Woodward, and the state training school at Eldora. This section allows any clinical experience not available at these state facilities to be completed at UIHC.

The bill requires there to be 12 residency positions for each class, and preference to be given to candidates who are residents of Iowa, received their undergrad degree in Iowa, or received their medical degree in Iowa.

This bill appropriates the following amounts to UIHC:

- \$1.2 million in FY2024
- \$2.4 million in FY2025
- \$3.6 million in FY2026
- \$4.8 million in FY 2027 and each year after