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**APPROPRIATIONS**

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Passed House, Date \_\_\_\_\_

Passed Senate, Date \_\_\_\_\_

Vote: Ayes \_\_\_\_\_ Nays \_\_\_\_\_

Vote: Ayes \_\_\_\_\_ Nays \_\_\_\_\_

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**A BILL FOR**

1 An Act relating to the healthy opportunities for parents to  
2 experience success-healthy families Iowa program, and making  
3 an appropriation.

4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

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*HF 2322*

1 Section 1. There is appropriated from the general fund of  
2 the state to the Iowa department of public health, for the  
3 fiscal year beginning July 1, 1998, and ending June 30, 1999,  
4 the following amount, or so much thereof as may be necessary,  
5 for the purpose designated:

6 For the expansion of the healthy opportunities for parents  
7 to experience success-healthy families Iowa program to a  
8 statewide program:

9 ..... \$ 4,787,406

10 The funds appropriated shall be utilized to implement the  
11 provisions of section 135.106 regarding the provision of  
12 services to children and families during the prenatal through  
13 preschool years to promote optimal child health and  
14 development, improve family coping skills and functions,  
15 promote positive parenting skills and intrafamilial  
16 interaction, and prevent child abuse and neglect and infant  
17 mortality and morbidity, on a statewide basis.

18 Notwithstanding section 8.33, the moneys appropriated in  
19 this section that remain unencumbered and unobligated on June  
20 30, 1999, shall not revert to the general fund of the state  
21 but shall remain available for expenditure for the purposes  
22 designated during the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1999.

23 EXPLANATION

24 This bill provides for an appropriation to the Iowa  
25 department of public health of \$4,787,406 for the fiscal year  
26 beginning July 1, 1998, and ending June 30, 1999, to expand  
27 the healthy opportunities for parents to experience success-  
28 healthy families Iowa program statewide. The appropriated  
29 funds shall be utilized to implement the provisions of Code  
30 section 135.106 regarding the provision of services to  
31 children and families during the prenatal through preschool  
32 years to promote optimal child health and development, improve  
33 family coping skills and functions, promote positive parenting  
34 skills and intrafamilial interaction, and prevent child abuse  
35 and neglect and infant mortality and morbidity. The bill

1 provides that the appropriated funds remaining unencumbered  
2 and unobligated on June 30, 1999, shall not revert to the  
3 general fund of the state but shall remain available for  
4 expenditure for the purposes designated during the fiscal year  
5 beginning July 1, 1999.

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