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**44TH LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - SECOND SESSION,
2000**

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FOR THE LEGISLATIVE HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES COMMITTEE

AN ACT

MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR A STATEWIDE HOME VISITING PROGRAM
FOR AT-RISK PREGNANT WOMEN, INFANTS AND CHILDREN.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

Section 1. APPROPRIATION.--Two million dollars
(\$2,000,000) is appropriated from the general fund to the
department of health for expenditure in fiscal year 2001 for
the purpose of establishing a statewide voluntary home
visiting program for at-risk pregnant women, infants and
children. The program shall include health and nutrition
screening and education, developmental evaluation and
testing, family assessment and primary prevention efforts.
Any unexpended or unencumbered balance remaining at the end
of fiscal year 2001 shall revert to the general fund.

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