COMPREHENSIVE HEALTH INSURANCE PLAN

Human Services

FY14 Headcount: Unknown

http://www.chip.state.il.us/default.htm

Summary of Agency Operations

The Comprehensive Health Insurance Plan (CHIP) provides health insurance coverage for Illinois residents through two coverage pools. The traditional pool, for medically uninsurable people, is funded by premiums and state general funds. People eligible for portability of coverage pursuant to the federal Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA) are covered through the HIPAA pool, funded by premiums, insurance industry assessments and federal grant funds.

Internal Hiring

Agency positions subject to criminal history restrictions, by statute, regulation or agency policy

None

System of personnel administration

Comprehensive Health Insurance Plan Act 215 ILCS 105/4

i. [The Board shall] employ and fix the compensation of employees. Such employees may be paid on a warrant issued by the State Treasurer pursuant to a payroll voucher certified by the Board and drawn by the Comptroller against appropriations or trust funds held by the State Treasurer.

Background Check Procedures:

(1) Self-disclosure on application

Not mentioned in agency report

(2) Background check review procedure

The agency does not conduct background checks, per agency's report

Exemption, waiver, or review mechanisms

N/A

Total number of people who underwent a background check

0

Occupational Licensing, Certification, Regulation

Occupational licenses issued by agency that are subject to criminal history restrictions $N\!/\!A$

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Employment Contracting

Contracting restrictions based on criminal history, by statute or regulation $N\!/\!A$

Summary of Employment Restrictions from Agency Report

According to the Comprehensive Health Insurance Plan (CHIP)report to the Task Force, the CHIP Board has not set any restrictions on employee hiring, including any restrictions based on criminal records. Further, the agency does not conduct background checks on current or potential employees.