

SENATE BILL SUMMARY

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SB 862 Developmental Disabilities Institutions by Senator Fasano

Requires the Agency for Persons with Disabilities (APD) to submit a report containing a detailed plan to the Governor and the Legislature if the agency or the Legislature proposes to close, or reduce by 20 percent or more, the resident population of the Marianna Sunland or the Tacachale developmental disabilities institutions. Requires the Governor to approve or disapprove the plan.

Requires the APD to provide quarterly reports to the Governor and the Legislature on the progress of the closure of or census reduction at a developmental disabilities institution. This report shall apply to the closure of the Gulf Coast Center and any other developmental disabilities institution closure or census reduction activities approved after July 1, 2008. (See bill for details)