

 KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Legislative Bill	Red Bill # 32						
	Referred to Committee: Senate 1						
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1 An act to require all foster parents to be drug tested every 6 months.
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3 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**
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5 Section 1: Each year thousands of children of various ages are placed in and out of foster care. It is
6 important to ensure that these children are placed in a drug free environment. In addition, this bill serves to
7 make certain that the funds provided to the individuals to care for the children are utilized appropriately.
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9 Section 2: Each foster parent will be sent a letter notifying them that they will be drug tested every 6
10 months.
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12 Section 3: This bill effects foster care guardians in the Commonwealth Of Kentucky.
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14 Section 4: The cost of the drug test range from \$10 to \$25. It will be the responsibility for the individual
15 foster care guardians to pay for the test. Those individuals who choose not to be drug tested will forfeit
16 their ability to foster children. In addition, individuals who fail a drug test will also have their license to
17 foster children revoked.
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19 Section 5: This bill will go into effect January 1, 2015.