

SF1918 - 0 - Various Healthcare Prov.; Advisory Council Mod.

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State Fiscal Impact	Yes	No
Expenditures	X	
Fee/Departmental Earnings		X
Tax Revenue		X
Information Technology		X
Local Fiscal Impact		X

This table shows direct impact to state government only. Local government impact, if any, is discussed in the narrative.
 Reductions shown in the parentheses.

State Cost (Savings) Dollars in Thousands	Biennium			Biennium	
	FY2025	FY2026	FY2027	FY2028	FY2029
General Fund	-	5	3	3	3
Total	-	5	3	3	3
Biennial Total			8		6

Full Time Equivalent Positions (FTE)	Biennium			Biennium	
	FY2025	FY2026	FY2027	FY2028	FY2029
General Fund	-	.02	.01	.01	.01
Total	-	.02	.01	.01	.01

LBO Analyst's Comment

I have reviewed this fiscal note for reasonableness of content and consistency with the LBO's Uniform Standards and Procedures.

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State Cost (Savings) Calculation Details

This table shows direct impact to state government only. Local government impact, if any, is discussed in the narrative. Reductions are shown in parentheses.

*Transfers In/Out and Absorbed Costs are only displayed when reported.

State Cost (Savings) = 1-2		Biennium			Biennium	
Dollars in Thousands		FY2025	FY2026	FY2027	FY2028	FY2029
General Fund	-	5	3	3	3	3
Total	-	5	3	3	3	3
Biennial Total			8			6
1 - Expenditures, Absorbed Costs*, Transfers Out*						
General Fund	-	5	3	3	3	3
Total	-	5	3	3	3	3
Biennial Total			8			6
2 - Revenues, Transfers In*						
General Fund	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	-	-	-	-	-	-
Biennial Total			-			-

Bill Description

The bill requires an attestation from the resident's representative in a long-term care facility that the resident has been medically determined to lack the ability to understand to consent to electronic monitoring. A resident in a nursing home has a right to be free from retaliation and may bring an action against a nursing home. Employees of a nursing home must have annual training on preventing retaliation.

The bill removes an expired paragraph and requires the department to publish on the website a report on the fines collected and how the appropriated money was allocated. It expands the Home Care and Assisted Living Program Advisory Council from 13 to 15 members and adds additional topics to provide advice on. It adds additional language to the Hospice Bill of Rights. It amends assisted living arbitration and medical management language, defines "registered nurse", and amends language pertaining to health care directives.

Assumptions

This bill adds two additional members to the Home Care and Assisted Living Program Advisory Council. Based on the departments experience managing this council, we require the following. The department will need to draft a notice of appointment, update the Secretary of State's website and review applications for the two new positions. In addition, the two new members will receive a \$55 per diem each. Each member will be compensated \$8 per meeting for parking.

This bill adds additional language to the Hospice Bill of Rights. The department will need to update the documents on the website including any documents that need to be translated.

The department must publish on the website a report on the fines collected and how the appropriated money was allocated.

Expenditure and/or Revenue Formula

Program Implementation						
Expenditure (Actual Dollars)	Amount		FY 2026	FY 2027	FY 2028	FY 2029
Full-time Equivalent (FTE) Staff		New or Maintained?	FTE	FTE	FTE	FTE

Health Program Manager Senior	241,812	Maintained	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01
Communications Specialist 3	180,697	Maintained	0.01			
	FTE		0.02	0.01	0.01	0.01
	Subtotal		4,225	2,418	2,418	2,418
Information Technology:						
	Subtotal		0	0	0	0
Other Operating Costs:						
Adding 2 members for Advisory Council expenses for 6 meetings			756	756	756	756
	Subtotal		756	756	756	756
Total Expenditures	Total		4,981	3,174	3,174	3,174
Fiscal Tracking (Dollars in Thousands)			FY 2026	FY 2027	FY 2028	FY 2029
1000 - General Fund (GF)						
Health Protection BACT 03			5	3	3	3
Program Implementation			5	3	3	3

Long-Term Fiscal Considerations

Local Fiscal Impact

References/Sources

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