



131st MAINE LEGISLATURE

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LR 131(02)

An Act to Expand the Reimbursement to Hospitals for Days Awaiting Placement in Facilities

Fiscal Note for Bill as Amended by Committee Amendment " "

Committee: Health and Human Services

Fiscal Note Required: Yes

Fiscal Note

	FY 2023-24	FY 2024-25	Projections FY 2025-26	Projections FY 2026-27
Net Cost (Savings)				
General Fund	\$152,732	\$305,791	\$305,955	\$305,955
Appropriations/Allocations				
General Fund	\$152,732	\$305,791	\$305,955	\$305,955
Federal Expenditures Fund	\$256,189	\$512,051	\$511,887	\$511,887
Revenue				
Federal Expenditures Fund	\$256,189	\$512,051	\$511,887	\$511,887

Fiscal Detail and Notes

The bill includes General Fund appropriations to the Department of Health and Human Services of \$152,732 in fiscal year 2023-24 and \$305,791 in fiscal year 2024-25 to continue payments for days awaiting placement, as the bill removes the provision that repeals the current law on December 31, 2023 and removes the \$500,000 cap on annual expenditures. Federal Expenditures Fund allocations are also included for the FMAP match.