



129th MAINE LEGISLATURE

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LR 427(03)

An Act To Facilitate Access to the MaineCare Family Planning Benefit

Fiscal Note for Bill as Engrossed with:

C "A" (H-132)

Committee: Health and Human Services

Fiscal Note

Potential current biennium cost increase - General Fund
Potential current biennium cost increase - Federal Expenditures Fund

Fiscal Detail and Notes

The presumptive eligibility language in the bill could increase costs to the Department of Health and Human Services as new individuals could apply and receive MaineCare eligibility. As it is unknown how many individuals would become eligible who would not have applied for eligibility without the presumptive eligibility determination from the provider, no fiscal estimate of these costs can be provided at this time.

Any additional costs to the Department of Health and Human Services for rule-making are expected to be minor and can be absorbed within existing budgeted resources.