

STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

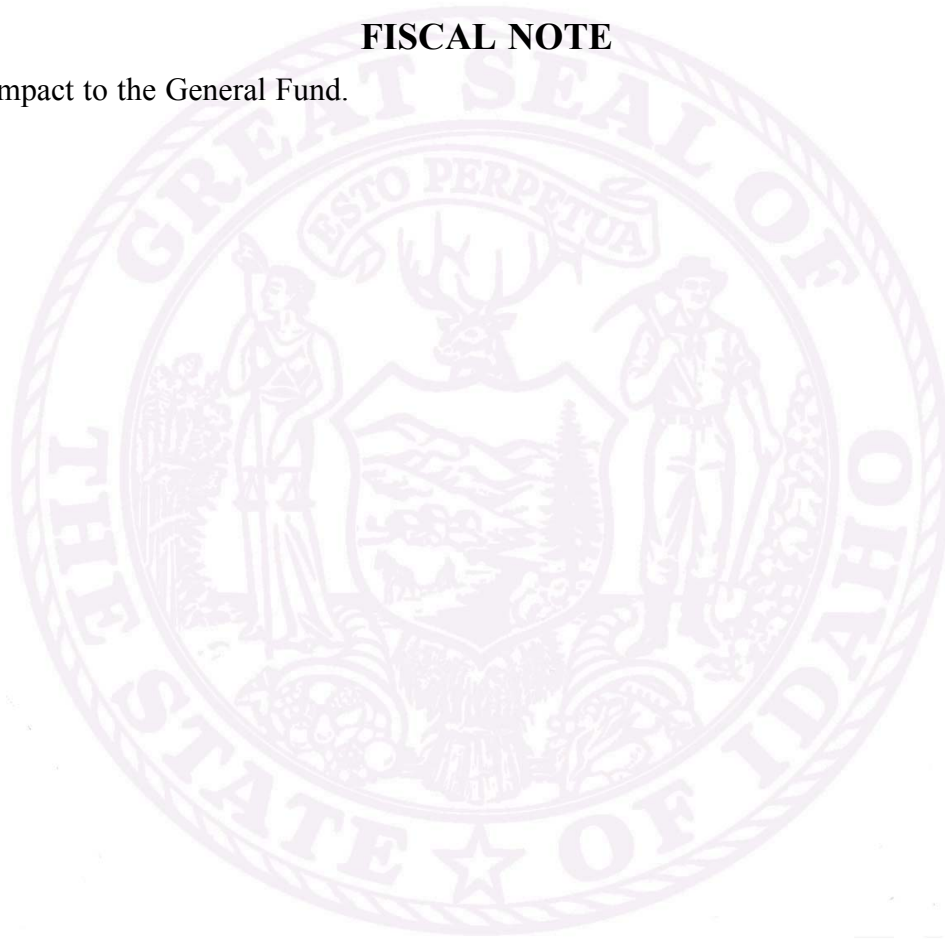
RS24661

Telehealth services eligible for coverage under Medicaid or Medicare cannot be excluded from health plans offered in the State of Idaho. Contractual payment rates for the services are left to the health plan or managed care entity to negotiate as they wish.

This will allow providers of services to develop a consistent business plan to serve all of their patients. And enhance the ability of patients to receive appropriate services in a convenient and cost effective manner. There is no requirement to provide or of patients to use telehealth services in this bill.

FISCAL NOTE

No fiscal impact to the General Fund.



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