

STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

RS25193

This bill directs the Department of Health and Welfare to pursue value-based payment opportunities up to and including full-risk, provider-based managed care for the Medicaid program. The purpose is to improve health care for Medicaid participants at a reduced cost to Idaho taxpayers.

FISCAL NOTE

Fiscal impact is mandated to be neutral or cost saving in the proposed legislation. Under the authority granted to pursue value based purchasing by this bill (if approved), the Department may not offer any value based payment opportunities that permit costs to increase above existing levels.

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