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**HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES**

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**STATE OF MAINE  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
130TH LEGISLATURE  
FIRST SPECIAL SESSION**

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT “ ” to H.P. 299, L.D. 415, “Resolve, Directing the Department of Health and Human Services To Increase MaineCare Reimbursement Rates for Targeted Case Management Services To Reflect Inflation”

Amend the resolve by striking out the title and substituting the following:

**'Resolve, Directing the Department of Health and Human Services To Increase MaineCare Reimbursement Rates for Targeted Case Management Services and To Expand Eligibility for Targeted Case Management Services for Adults with Substance Use Disorder'**

Amend the resolve by inserting after the 7th indented paragraph after the title the following:

**'Whereas,** in 2020 the State experienced an increase in fatal overdoses and is on track in 2021 to exceed the overdose deaths from the prior year; and

**'Whereas,** accessing necessary treatment services for substance use disorder is vital to recovery and to saving lives; and'

Amend the resolve in the 8th indented paragraph after the title in the last 2 lines (page 1, lines 21 and 22 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "no later than April 1, 2021" and inserting the following: 'and to expand eligibility for targeted case management services for adults with substance use disorder'

Amend the resolve in section 1 in the first line (page 1, line 27 in L.D.) by inserting after the following: "**rules**" the following: '**for reimbursing targeted case management services**'

Amend the resolve in section 1 in the 2nd and 3rd lines (page 1, lines 28 and 29 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "no later than April 1, 2021,"

Amend the resolve in section 1 in the 5th line (page 1, line 31 in L.D.) by inserting after the following: "rates" the following: 'effective April 1, 2021'

**COMMITTEE AMENDMENT**

1 Amend the resolve in section 1 in the last line (page 1, line 34 in L.D.) by inserting  
 2 after the following: "2020." the following: 'Rules adopted pursuant to this section are  
 3 routine technical rules pursuant to the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 5, chapter 375,  
 4 subchapter 2-A.'

5 Amend the resolve by inserting after section 1 the following:

6 **'Sec. 2. Department of Health and Human Services to amend rules for**  
 7 **eligibility for targeted case management services. Resolved:** That the Department  
 8 of Health and Human Services shall amend its rule Chapter 101: MaineCare Benefits  
 9 Manual, Chapter II, Section 13.03-4 to remove from the eligibility requirements for  
 10 targeted case management services for adults with substance use disorder the provision  
 11 regarding pregnancy, living with minor children and intravenous drug use. Rules adopted  
 12 pursuant to this section are routine technical rules pursuant to the Maine Revised Statutes,  
 13 Title 5, chapter 375, subchapter 2-A.

14 **Sec. 3. Appropriations and allocations. Resolved:** That the following  
 15 appropriations and allocations are made.

16 **HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, DEPARTMENT OF**

17 **Medical Care - Payments to Providers 0147**

18 Initiative: Provides funding for additional targeted case management services for adults  
 19 with substance use disorder.

20	<b>GENERAL FUND</b>	<b>2020-21</b>	<b>2021-22</b>	<b>2022-23</b>
21	All Other	\$626,428	\$2,491,586	\$2,486,673
22				
23	GENERAL FUND TOTAL	<u>\$626,428</u>	<u>\$2,491,586</u>	<u>\$2,486,673</u>

25	<b>FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND</b>	<b>2020-21</b>	<b>2021-22</b>	<b>2022-23</b>
26	All Other	\$1,598,584	\$6,408,460	\$6,413,373
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28	FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND	<u>\$1,598,584</u>	<u>\$6,408,460</u>	<u>\$6,413,373</u>
29	TOTAL			

30 **Medical Care - Payments to Providers 0147**

31 Initiative: Provides funding to increase rates for targeted case management services to  
 32 reflect cost increases from 2010 to 2020.

33	<b>GENERAL FUND</b>	<b>2020-21</b>	<b>2021-22</b>	<b>2022-23</b>
34	All Other	\$1,034,685	\$4,112,762	\$4,103,726
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36	GENERAL FUND TOTAL	<u>\$1,034,685</u>	<u>\$4,112,762</u>	<u>\$4,103,726</u>

38	<b>FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND</b>	<b>2020-21</b>	<b>2021-22</b>	<b>2022-23</b>
39	All Other	\$1,883,193	\$7,558,748	\$7,567,784
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41	FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND	<u>\$1,883,193</u>	<u>\$7,558,748</u>	<u>\$7,567,784</u>
42	TOTAL			

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**HEALTH AND HUMAN  
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DEPARTMENT TOTALS**

	<b>2020-21</b>	<b>2021-22</b>	<b>2022-23</b>
<b>GENERAL FUND</b>	<b>\$1,661,113</b>	<b>\$6,604,348</b>	<b>\$6,590,399</b>
<b>FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND</b>	<b>\$3,481,777</b>	<b>\$13,967,208</b>	<b>\$13,981,157</b>
<b>DEPARTMENT TOTAL - ALL FUNDS</b>	<b>\$5,142,890</b>	<b>\$20,571,556</b>	<b>\$20,571,556</b>

Amend the resolve by relettering or renumbering any nonconsecutive Part letter or section number to read consecutively.

**SUMMARY**

This amendment, which is the unanimous report of the committee, amends the resolve to add the provision from L.D. 360, "Resolve, To Reduce Barriers to Recovery from Addiction by Expanding Eligibility for Targeted Case Management Services," that expands eligibility for targeted case management services for adults with substance use disorder. The amendment adds an appropriations and allocations section.

**FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED**

**(See attached)**