TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



FISCAL NOTE

SB 841 - HB 1096

March 27, 2017

SUMMARY OF BILL: Requires managed care organizations (MCOs) participating in the TennCare program, on an annual basis, to deliver a report to the Bureau of TennCare (Bureau), the members of the Health Committee and Insurance and Banking Committee of the House of Representatives, the members of the Health and Welfare Committee of the Senate, the Commissioner of the Department of Finance and Administration, and the Governor that pertains to: the amount of money spent on services for patients in each area of care; the number of patients receiving care in each area of care; the number of facilities and providers that have sought to be credentialed with the managed care organization, along with their credential approval status and, if relevant, reason for denial; and the medical loss ratio for each category listed. Authorizes the Bureau to designate areas of care for the purpose of compliance with this section.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumption:

 Based on information provided by the Bureau, the proposed legislation can be accommodated within existing resources without an increased appropriation or reduced reversion.

IMPACT TO COMMERCE:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumption:

• Requiring MCOs to report information will have no effect on commerce or jobs in Tennessee.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

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