



General Assembly

Substitute Bill No. 6646

January Session, 2007

* HB06646APP 041907 *

**AN ACT CONCERNING MEDICAID BILLING PRACTICES FOR
FEDERALLY QUALIFIED HEALTH CENTERS.**

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

1 Section 1. Section 17b-245b of the general statutes is repealed and
2 the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective July 1, 2007*):

3 The Commissioner of Social Services shall, consistent with federal
4 law, make changes to the cost-based reimbursement methodology in
5 the Medicaid program for federally qualified health centers. To the
6 extent permitted by federal law, the commissioner may reimburse a
7 federally qualified health center under the Medicaid program for
8 multiple medical, behavioral health or dental services provided to an
9 individual during the course of a calendar day, irrespective of the type
10 of service provided. On or before [March 1, 2004] January 1, 2008, the
11 commissioner shall report to the joint standing committees of the
12 General Assembly having cognizance of matters relating to
13 appropriations and the budgets of state agencies and human services
14 on the status of the changes to the cost-based reimbursement
15 methodology.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:

Section 1	<i>July 1, 2007</i>	17b-245b
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APP *Joint Favorable Subst.*