



General Assembly

Substitute Bill No. 5371

February Session, 2024



AN ACT CONCERNING A STUDY OF MAXIMIZING MEDICAID AND OTHER FUNDING FOR HEALTH CARE NEEDS.

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

1 Section 1. (*Effective from passage*) (a) The Commissioner of Social
2 Services shall study ways to maximize Medicaid funding and other state
3 and federal funding sources to address gaps in health care services in
4 the state. The study shall include, but need not be limited to, how best
5 to ensure adequate funding for (1) remote fetal monitoring, (2) peer
6 support services for persons being treated for substance use disorder,
7 (3) services for uninsured victims of violence, and (4) Medicaid waiver
8 program services for terminally ill children with severe health
9 challenges, including rare genetic conditions.

10 (b) Not later than December 1, 2024, the commissioner shall file a
11 report on the study, in accordance with the provisions of section 11-4a
12 of the general statutes, with the joint standing committee of the General
13 Assembly having cognizance of matters relating to human services.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Section 1	<i>from passage</i>	New section

HS Joint Favorable Subst.