

129th MAINE LEGISLATURE

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An Act To Restore Services To Help Certain Noncitizens Meet Their Basic Needs

Preliminary Fiscal Impact Statement for Original Bill Sponsor: Rep. Gattine of Westbrook Committee: Health and Human Services Fiscal Note Required: Yes

Preliminary Fiscal Impact Statement

	FY 2019-20	FY 2020-21	Projections FY 2021-22	Projections FY 2022-23
Net Cost (Savings) General Fund	\$7,327,767	\$7,125,033	\$7,125,033	\$7,125,033
Appropriations/Allocations General Fund	\$7,327,767	\$7,125,033	\$7,125,033	\$7,125,033

Fiscal Detail and Notes

The Department of Health and Human Services will require General Fund appropriations of \$7,327,767 in fiscal year 2019-20 and \$7,125,033 in fiscal year 2020-21 to remove limitations on food supplement program benefits and Temporary Assistance to Needy Families program benefits, provide MaineCare coverage and modify language for state-funded supplemental security income to maintain consistency throughout the law for certain noncitizens who are lawfully present in the United States or pursuing a lawful process to apply for immigration relief. Additionally, there are one-time costs for technology upgrades.