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Sec. P-1. Establishment of Opioid Health Home Grant. The Opioid Home Health Grant program, referred to in this Part as "the program," is established in the Department of Health and Human Services. The department shall determine criteria to allow a provider to qualify as an opioid health home and to obtain funding from the department. As used in this Part, an "opioid health home" means a provider of services based on an integrated care delivery model focused on whole-person treatment including, but not limited to, counseling, care coordination, medication-assisted treatment, peer support and medical consultation for individuals who have been diagnosed with an opioid addiction and who are also:

- 1. Uninsured;
- 2. MaineCare members; or
- 3. Uninsured and MaineCare-eligible.

The department shall establish by emergency rule pursuant to section 5 of this Part the criteria for qualification as an opioid health home and the amount of the grant provided to each qualified Opioid Health Home.

Sec. P-2. Report. Within 30 days after the end of each quarter of a year, beginning with the quarter commencing on April 1, 2017 and ending with the quarter commencing on April 1, 2018, the department shall provide to the Joint Standing Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs and the Joint Standing Committee on Health and Human Services for the quarter immediately preceding the report the following information concerning the program:

1. The number of uninsured people who have received opioid health home services;

2. The number of MaineCare members who have received opioid health home services;

3. The amount of money spent by the department to provide opioid health home services to the uninsured;

4. The amount of money spent by the department to provide opioid health home services to MaineCare members;

5. A list of the providers of opioid health home services; and

6. Any barriers to implementation of the program or operational issues or problems identified with the program and proposed resolutions to those barriers, issues or problems.

Sec. P-3. Funds may not be transferred. Notwithstanding the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 5, section 1585 or any other provision of law to the contrary, funding provided in this Part may not be transferred to any other appropriation or subdivision of an appropriation made by the Legislature.

Sec. P-4. Funds may not lapse. Notwithstanding the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 5, section 1589 or any other provision of law to the contrary, any unencumbered balance of appropriations contained in this Part remaining at the end of fiscal year 2016-17 may not lapse but must be carried forward to be used for the same purposes.

Sec. P-5. Emergency rulemaking. The Department of Health and Human Services may adopt emergency rules under the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 5, sections 8054 and 8073 as necessary to implement the provisions of this Part without the necessity of demonstrating that immediate adoption is necessary to avoid a threat to public health, safety or general welfare.

Sec. P-6. Appropriations and allocations. The following appropriations and allocations are made.

HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, DEPARTMENT OF (FORMERLY BDS)

Office of Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services 0679

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Initiative: Provides one-time funds for uninsured patients to receive services through the Opioid Health Home Grant program.

GENERAL FUND All Other	2016-17 \$2,000,000	2017-18 \$0	2018-19 \$0
GENERAL FUND TOTAL	\$2,000,000	\$0	\$0
HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, DEPARTMENT OF (FORMERLY BDS) DEPARTMENT TOTALS	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19
GENERAL FUND	\$2,000,000	\$0	\$0
DEPARTMENT TOTAL - ALL FUNDS	\$2,000,000	\$0	\$0

HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, DEPARTMENT OF (FORMERLY DHS)

Medical Care - Payments to Providers 0147

Initiative: Provides one-time funds for MaineCare patients to receive services through the Opioid Health Home Grant program.

GENERAL FUND All Other	2016-1 7 \$1,000,000	2017-18 \$0	2018-19 \$0
GENERAL FUND TOTAL	\$1,000,000	\$0	\$0
FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19
All Other	\$1,807,400	\$0	\$0
FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND TOTAL	\$1,807,400	\$0	\$0
HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, DEPARTMENT OF (FORMERLY DHS) DEPARTMENT TOTALS	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19
GENERAL FUND FEDERAL EXPENDITURES	\$1,000,000 \$1,807,400	\$0 \$0	\$0 \$0

FUNDS	\$2,807,400	20	\$0
SECTION TOTALS	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19
GENERAL FUND FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND	\$3,000,000 \$1,807,400	\$0 \$0	\$0 \$0

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This Part establishes an Opioid Health Home Grant program administered by the Department of Health and Human Services to provide services to individuals who have been diagnosed with an opioid addiction and who are either uninsured, MaineCare members or uninsured and MaineCareeligible. This Part also requires the Department of Health and Human Services report quarterly for a year, commencing with the quarter beginning April 1, 2017 to the Joint Standing Committee on Health and Human Services and the Joint Standing Committee on Appropriation and Financial Affairs on certain metrics related to the implementation of the program. Additionally, this Part establishes that the funds provided are not to be transferred and may not lapse at the end of the current fiscal year. Finally, this Part authorizes the department to adopt emergency rules as necessary to implement the provisions of this Part without the necessity of demonstrating that immediate adoption is necessary to avoid a threat to public health, safety or general welfare.

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