



131st MAINE LEGISLATURE

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An Act to Regulate Insurance Carrier Prior Authorization Requirements for Physical and Occupational Therapy Services

Fiscal Note for Bill as Amended by Committee Amendment " "

Committee: Health Coverage, Insurance and Financial Services

Fiscal Note Required: Yes

Fiscal Note

Minor cost increase - All funds

Fiscal Detail and Notes

Any additional costs to the Department of Professional and Financial Regulation, Bureau of Insurance and to the State Employee Health Plan associated with prohibiting health insurance carriers from requiring prior authorization for physical therapy, occupational therapy or chiropractic services for the first 12 visits of per episode of care are expected to be minor and can be absorbed within existing budgeted resources.