

**132nd MAINE LEGISLATURE****LD 1746****LR 1212(02)****An Act to Reduce Dental Disease and Ensure Access to Essential Preventive Dental Care Among  
Maine Children****Fiscal Note for Bill as Amended by Committee Amendment " "****Committee: Health and Human Services****Fiscal Note Required: Yes**

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**Fiscal Note**

	<b>FY 2025-26</b>	<b>FY 2026-27</b>	<b>Projections FY 2027-28</b>	<b>Projections FY 2028-29</b>
<b>Net Cost (Savings)</b>				
General Fund	\$466,666	\$649,999	\$832,332	\$1,016,665
<b>Appropriations/Allocations</b>				
General Fund	\$466,666	\$649,999	\$832,332	\$1,016,665
Federal Expenditures Fund	\$210,031	\$218,777	\$224,930	\$230,929
<b>Revenue</b>				
Federal Expenditures Fund	\$210,031	\$218,776	\$224,930	\$230,930

**Fiscal Detail and Notes**

The bill includes ongoing General Fund appropriations to the Department of Health and Human Services of \$466,666 in fiscal year 2025-26 and \$649,999 in fiscal year 2026-27 to contract with mobile dental service providers to deliver services in public schools. The bill requires the department to provide for at least one mobile dental services provider to be implemented each school year in a different public health district until each of the state's 8 public health districts has at least one mobile dental services provider.

The bill also provides ongoing Federal Expenditure Fund allocations to the Department of Health and Human Services to continue and make permanent one Public Health Educator III position and one Planning and Research to support oral health services provided in public schools.