



132nd MAINE LEGISLATURE

LD 2123

LR 2747(02)

An Act to Improve Dental Care Access for Children by Modifying the MaineCare Reimbursement Methodology for the Provision of Anesthesia for Certain Dental Services

Fiscal Note for Bill as Amended by Committee Amendment " "

Committee: Health and Human Services

Fiscal Note Required: Yes

Fiscal Note

	FY 2025-26	FY 2026-27	Projections FY 2027-28	Projections FY 2028-29
Net Cost (Savings)				
General Fund	\$0	\$17,580	\$17,651	\$17,651
Appropriations/Allocations				
General Fund	\$0	\$17,580	\$17,651	\$17,651
Federal Expenditures Fund	\$0	\$31,647	\$31,585	\$31,585
Federal Block Grant Fund	\$0	\$5,787	\$5,778	\$5,778
Revenue				
Federal Expenditures Fund	\$0	\$31,647	\$31,585	\$31,585
Federal Block Grant Fund	\$0	\$5,787	\$5,778	\$5,778

Fiscal Detail and Notes

This bill provides General Fund appropriations of \$17,580 in fiscal year 2026-27 to the Department of Health and Human Services for the Office of MaineCare Services to not require prior authorization for deep sedation or general anesthesia for dental services, and establish a reimbursement rate for these services at 67% of the commercial median benchmark. Federal Expenditures Fund allocations will also be required for the FMAP match.