



## 2021 ASSEMBLY BILL 479

July 26, 2021 - Introduced by Representatives MURPHY, DITTRICH, CABRAL-GUEVARA, KRUG, MOSES, MURSAU, PETRYK, SPREITZER, SUBECK, TAUCHEN and TITTL, cosponsored by Senators JACQUE and L. TAYLOR. Referred to Committee on Health.

1     **AN ACT relating to:** reimbursement rates for behavioral treatment services  
2             under the Medical Assistance program.

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***Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau***

This bill increases the reimbursement rates for behavioral treatment services related to autism under the Medical Assistance program by 25 percent. The Medical Assistance program is a joint federal and state program that provides health services to individuals who have limited financial resources.

For further information see the state fiscal estimate, which will be printed as an appendix to this bill.

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***The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:***

3             **SECTION 1. Nonstatutory provisions.**

4             (1) BEHAVIORAL TREATMENT RATE INCREASE. The department of health services  
5 shall increase reimbursement rates for behavioral treatment services related to  
6 autism under the Medical Assistance program by 25 percent.

7             **SECTION 2. Effective date.**

