

Fiscal Estimate Narratives

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Description Ambulatory surgical center assessment reporting					

Assumptions Used in Arriving at Fiscal Estimate

This Bill creates a provision requiring the Department to submit an annual report to the Joint Committee on Finance in regards to assessments levied on ambulatory surgical centers (ASCs) by the Department of Revenue. The report is required to contain 1) the total revenue from ASCs from this assessment, 2) the amount each ASC paid under the assessment, 3) the amount of money managed care organizations received in the form of Medical Assistance (MA) payments as a result of this assessment, 4) the amount of money paid to ASCs by managed care organizations as a result of this assessment, and 5) the increase in MA payments to ASCs on a fee-for-service basis resulting from this assessment.

The Department will incur costs for staff time and other resources to assemble and analyze assessment data for the new report. However, the Department will be able to absorb this responsibility into existing work related to assessments levied on health care facilities.

Long-Range Fiscal Implications