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Racine County nursing home labor region (Motion 113.A.10)

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in 2020-21 for a new grant program for regional crisis stability facilities.

4. *Physician and Behavioral Health Services (Paper #363)*. Increase base funding for provider reimbursement for physician and behavioral health services by \$12,303,100 (\$5,000,000 GPR and \$7,303,100 FED) in 2019-20 and \$12,360,900 (\$5,000,000 GPR and \$7,360,900 FED) in 2020-21, but transfer \$5,000,000 GPR annually to the Committee's program supplements appropriation, which would enable the Department to submit a request under s. 13.10 of the statutes for an appropriation supplement for reimbursement rate increases.

5. *SeniorCare Cost-to-Continue Estimate (Paper #366)*. Adopt the cost-to-continue reestimate modification, resulting in a decrease to base funding of \$4,892,600 (-\$4,436,000 GPR, -\$6,897,700 FED, and \$6,441,100 PR) in 2019-20 and an increase in base funding of \$6,003,700 (-\$837,300 GPR, -\$3,734,200 FED, and \$10,575,200 PR) in 2020-21.

6. *Family Care Direct Care Funding (Paper #368)*. Increase base funding by \$29,527,600 (\$12,000,000 GPR and \$17,527,600 FED) in 2019-20 and \$37,009,800 (\$15,000,000 GPR and \$22,082,800 FED) in 2020-21 to support the Family Care direct care supplement.

7. *Nursing Home Reimbursement (Paper #369)*. Increase base funding by \$36,909,400 (\$15,000,000 GPR and \$21,909,400 FED) in 2019-20 and by \$37,082,800 (\$15,000,000 GPR and \$22,082,800 FED) in 2020-21 to increase the average MA daily reimbursement rate for nursing homes on July 1, 2019.

8. *Personal Care Reimbursement Rate (Paper #370)*. Increase base funding by \$37,647,600 (\$15,300,000 GPR and \$22,347,600 FED) in 2019-20 and \$53,399,300 (\$21,600,000 GPR and \$31,799,300 FED) in 2020-21 to increase the MA personal care reimbursement rates.

9. *Children's Long-Term Care Services (Paper #371)*. Adopt Alternatives A1 to approve the Governor's recommendation to fund intake, application, and screening costs for children's long-term care services, and provide \$1,604,200 (\$444,700 GPR and \$1,159,500 FED) in 2019-20 and \$1,523,000 (\$416,500 GPR and \$1,106,500 FED) in 2020-21. In addition, transfer the GPR funding provided under A1 from the MA benefits appropriations to the Committee's program supplements appropriation, and enable the Department to submit a request under s. 13.10 of the statutes to seek the release of this funding and transfer the FED funding provided to the MA contracts appropriation.

10. *Racine County Nursing Home Labor Region*. Require that the Department shall in the single labor region that is composed of Milwaukee, Ozaukee, Washington, and Waukesha Counties include Racine County and shall adjust payment so that the direct care cost targets of facilities in Milwaukee, Ozaukee, Washington, and Waukesha Counties are not reduced as a result of including facilities in Racine in this labor region.

11. *Telehealth Expansion (LFB Summary #17)*. Adopt the Governor's recommendation, which would modify the definition of telehealth and provide an increase in base funding for telehealth reimbursement of \$2,681,100 (\$1,088,200 GPR and \$1,592,900 FED) in 2019-20 and \$4,170,600 (\$1,692,900 GPR and \$2,477,700 FED) in 2020-21, but transfer the GPR funding to the Committee's program supplements appropriation, which would enable the Department to submit a request under



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7 sample of all of those facilities in this state and separate standards for payment of
8 allowable direct care costs, for facilities that primarily serve the developmentally
9 disabled, that take into account direct care costs for a sample of all of those facilities
10 in this state. The standards shall be adjusted by the department for regional labor
11 cost variations. The department shall in the single labor region that is composed of

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7 targets of facilities in Dane, Iowa, Columbia, and Sauk counties are not reduced as
8 a result of including facilities in Dodge, Richland, and Rock Counties in this labor
9 region. For facilities in Douglas, Dunn, Pierce, and St. Croix counties, the
10 department shall perform the adjustment by use of the wage index that is used by
11 the federal department of health and human services for hospital reimbursement
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