



State of Wisconsin  
2025 - 2026 LEGISLATURE

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DOA:.....Bollhorst, BB0072 - Community Support Program GPR Funding

**FOR 2025-2027 BUDGET -- NOT READY FOR INTRODUCTION**

**AN ACT ...; relating to:** the budget.

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*Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau*

**HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICE**

**MEDICAL ASSISTANCE**

***Community support program***

Currently, mental health and psychosocial rehabilitative services provided by a community support program are a benefit provided by the Medical Assistance program. Under current law, for these services, a county pays the nonfederal share of the Medical Assistance reimbursement and DHS reimburses the service provider for the federal share of the Medical Assistance reimbursement. Under the bill, DHS must reimburse a county for both the federal and nonfederal share of the allowable charges for mental health and psychosocial rehabilitative services provided by a community support program.

For further information see the state and local 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:***

**SECTION 1.** 49.45 (30) (a) of the statutes is repealed.

**SECTION 2.** 49.45 (30) (b) of the statutes is renumbered 49.45 (30) and amended to read:

49.45 (30) SERVICES PROVIDED BY COMMUNITY SUPPORT PROGRAMS. The department shall reimburse a ~~provider of~~ county that provides services under s. 49.46 (2) (b) 6. L. ~~only~~ for the amount of the allowable charges for those services under the Medical Assistance program that is provided by the federal government

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and for the amount of the allowable charges for those services under the Medical Assistance program that is not provided by the federal government.

**SECTION 3.** 49.45 (52) (a) 1. of the statutes is amended to read:

49.45 **(52)** (a) 1. If the department provides the notice under par. (c) selecting the payment procedure in this paragraph, the department may, from the appropriation account under s. 20.435 (7) (b), make Medical Assistance payment adjustments to county departments under s. 46.215, 46.22, 46.23, 51.42, or 51.437 or to local health departments, as defined in s. 250.01 (4), as appropriate, for covered services under s. 49.46 (2) (a) 2. and 4. d. and f. and (b) 6. b., c., f., fm., g., j., k., ~~L.~~, Lm., and m., 9., 12., 12m., 13., 15., and 16., except for services specified under s. 49.46 (2) (b) 6. b. and c. provided to children participating in the early intervention program under s. 51.44. Payment adjustments under this paragraph shall include the state share of the payments. The total of any payment adjustments under this paragraph and Medical Assistance payments made from appropriation accounts under s. 20.435 (4) (b), (gm), (o), and (w), may not exceed applicable limitations on payments under [42 USC 1396a](#) (a) (30) (A).

**SECTION 4.** 49.45 (52) (b) 1. of the statutes is amended to read:

49.45 **(52)** (b) 1. Annually, a county department under s. 46.215, 46.22, 46.23, 51.42, or 51.437 shall submit a certified cost report that meets the requirements of the federal department of health and human services for covered services under s. 49.46 (2) (a) 2. and 4. d. and f. and (b) 6. b., c., f., fm., g., j., k., ~~L.~~, Lm., and m., 9., 12.,

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