

**STATE
FISCAL IMPACT**

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Prime Sponsor(s): Sen. Nicholson
 Rep. Coram

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Bill Status: Senate Health and Human Services
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TITLE: CONCERNING INCENTIVE PAYMENTS IN PREPAID INPATIENT HEALTH PLAN AGREEMENTS.

Fiscal Impact Summary	FY 2013-2014	FY 2014-2015
State Revenue		
State Expenditures	See State Expenditures section.	
FTE Position Change		
Effective Date: Upon signature of the Governor, or upon becoming law without his signature.		
Appropriation Summary for FY 2013-2014: None required.		
Local Government Impact: None.		

Summary of Legislation

This bill adjusts the date by which quality incentive payments for prepaid inpatient health plan agreements must be made. Under current law, such payments are to be distributed to an eligible contractor within six months following the end of each fiscal year. This bill allows payments to be made within a reasonable period of time.

State Expenditures

This bill is anticipated to have a minimal effect on state expenditures. By changing the requirement for the timing of payments, it could alter the fiscal year in which payments are made. However, this analysis assumes that the amount of payments will not change.

Departments Contacted

Health Care Policy and Financing