



Fiscal Note

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 Medicaid Funding Modifications
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General, Income Tax, and Uniform School Funds

JR4-4-101

	Ongoing	One-time	Total
Net GF/ITF/USF (rev.-exp.)	\$0	\$0	\$0

State Government

UCA 36-12-13(2)(c)

Revenues	FY 2026	FY 2027	FY 2028
Division of Services for People with Disabilities Restricted Account (GFR)	\$0	\$7,000,000	\$7,000,000
Medicaid Bud Stabilization Restricted Account (GFR)	\$0	\$5,400,000	\$5,400,000
Medicaid ACA Fund	\$0	\$(12,400,000)	\$(12,400,000)
Total Revenues	\$0	\$0	\$0

Enactment of this legislation could result in the Medicaid ACA Fund losing \$12.4 million in ongoing Interest Income. Enactment of this legislation could result in \$7 million ongoing in earned interest income being deposited into the Services for Disabilities Restricted Account starting in FY 2027. As well as \$5.4 million going into the Medicaid Budget Stabilization Restricted Account.

Expenditures	FY 2026	FY 2027	FY 2028
Division of Services for People with Disabilities Restricted Account (GFR)	\$0	\$7,000,000	\$7,000,000
Medicaid Bud Stabilization Restricted Account (GFR)	\$0	\$5,400,000	\$5,400,000
Total Expenditures	\$0	\$12,400,000	\$12,400,000

Enactment of this legislation could result in the Medicaid ACA Fund transferring \$12.4 million ongoing in interest income to the Services for People with Disabilities Restricted Account and the Medicaid Budget Stabilization Restricted Account. The Services for People with Disabilities Restricted Account would receive up to \$7.0 million ongoing in interest income, with the remaining \$5.4 million ongoing deposited into the Medicaid Budget Stabilization Restricted Account. The amount deposited into the Medicaid Budget Stabilization Restricted Account may vary year to year based on actual interest earnings.

	FY 2026	FY 2027	FY 2028
Net All Funds	\$0	\$(12,400,000)	\$(12,400,000)

Local Government

UCA 36-12-13(2)(c)

Enactment of this legislation likely will not result in direct, measurable costs for local governments.

Individuals & Businesses

UCA 36-12-13(2)(c)

Enactment of this legislation likely will not result in direct expenditures from tax or fee changes for Utah residents and businesses.

Regulatory Impact

UCA 36-12-13(2)(d)

Enactment of this legislation likely will not change the regulatory burden for Utah residents or businesses.

Performance Evaluation

JR1-4-601

This bill does not create a new program or significantly expand an existing program.

Notes on Notes

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