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L.D. 498

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**HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES**

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**STATE OF MAINE**

**SENATE**

**129TH LEGISLATURE**

**FIRST REGULAR SESSION**

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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to S.P. 163, L.D. 498, "Resolve, Regarding Reimbursement of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation Codes under MaineCare"

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Amend the resolve by adding after section 2 the following:

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'Sec. 3. Appropriations and allocations. Resolved: That the following appropriations and allocations are made.

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**HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, DEPARTMENT OF  
Medical Care - Payments to Providers 0147**

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Initiative: Provides funding to set the reimbursement rates for occupational therapy and physical therapy services under the Department of Health and Human Services rule Chapter 101: MaineCare Benefits Manual, Chapter III, Sections 68 and 85 at 70% of the federal Medicare reimbursement rate as long as the rate is no lower than the rate in effect on January 1, 2019.

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<b>GENERAL FUND</b>	<b>2019-20</b>	<b>2020-21</b>
All Other	\$370,435	\$493,913
<b>GENERAL FUND TOTAL</b>	<u>\$370,435</u>	<u>\$493,913</u>

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<b>FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND</b>	<b>2019-20</b>	<b>2020-21</b>
All Other	\$652,865	\$870,487
<b>FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND TOTAL</b>	<u>\$652,865</u>	<u>\$870,487</u>

**COMMITTEE AMENDMENT**

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**SUMMARY**

This amendment adds an appropriations and allocations section.

**FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED**

(See attached)



# 129th MAINE LEGISLATURE

LD 498

LR 1734(02)

Resolve, Regarding Reimbursement of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation Codes under MaineCare

Fiscal Note for Bill as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (5-144)  
Committee: Health and Human Services

Fiscal Note Required: Yes

## Fiscal Note

	FY 2019-20	FY 2020-21	Projections FY 2021-22	Projections FY 2022-23
<b>Net Cost (Savings)</b>				
General Fund	\$370,435	\$493,913	\$493,913	\$493,913
<b>Appropriations/Allocations</b>				
General Fund	\$370,435	\$493,913	\$493,913	\$493,913
Federal Expenditures Fund	\$652,865	\$870,487	\$870,487	\$870,487
<b>Revenue</b>				
Federal Expenditures Fund	\$652,865	\$870,487	\$870,487	\$870,487

### Fiscal Detail and Notes

The bill includes General Fund appropriations to the Department of Health and Human Services of \$370,435 in fiscal year 2019-20 and \$493,913 in fiscal year 2020-21 to set the reimbursement rates for occupational therapy and physical therapy services under the Department of Health and Human Services rule Chapter 101: MaineCare Benefits Manual, Chapter III, Sections 68 and 85 at 70% of the federal Medicare reimbursement rate as long as the rate is no lower than the rate in effect on January 1, 2019. Federal Expenditures Fund allocations are also included for the FMAP match.