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**LD 70 An Act to Fund Free Health Clinics**

**ENACTED LAW SUMMARY**

Public Law 2025, chapter 439 provides one-time funding in the amount of \$50,000 for each year of the 2025-2027 biennium for the State's free health clinics.

**LD 84 An Act to Improve the Coordination of Health Care for Minors in State Care**

**ENACTED LAW SUMMARY**

Public Law 2025, chapter 332 extends to employees of the Department of Health and Human Services the permission to obtain confidential health care information for the purpose of coordinating health care for a minor in the department's custody. The law specifies certain employees of the Department of Health and Human Services to whom permission is given to obtain confidential health care information for the sole purpose of coordinating health care for an individual who has not attained 18 years of age in the department's custody is given. It also requires the department to request records directly from the individual's providers and allows access to information from a state-designated statewide health information exchange, but only to ascertain current health conditions, medications and immediate medical needs.

**LD 85 An Act to Revitalize the Maine Temporary Assistance for Needy Families Advisory Council**

**ENACTED LAW SUMMARY**

Public Law 2025, chapter 5 makes changes to the laws governing the Maine Temporary Assistance for Needy Families Advisory Council. It changes the matters on which the council provides advice to clarify matters affecting recipients of TANF cash and other TANF recipients. It allows for the removal from the council of a member who fails to attend two meetings within a 12-month period. It removes the provision requiring the establishment of a postsecondary education subcommittee. Finally, it authorizes compensation, in the amount of the legislative per diem, and reimbursement for expenses for a member who is not otherwise compensated for the member's time serving on the council by the member's employer or the entity the member represents.

**LD 93 An Act to Reduce Cost and Increase Access to Disease Prevention by Expanding the Universal Childhood Immunization Program to Include Adults**

**ENACTED LAW SUMMARY**

Public Law 2025, chapter 440 amends the law governing the Universal Childhood Immunization Program to expand the program to provide immunizations to and cover the costs of recommended vaccines for adults in the State. It specifies the process for distributing total annual program costs

**ENACTED LAW SUMMARIES**