

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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**HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES**

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**STATE OF MAINE**

**HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**

**129TH LEGISLATURE**

**FIRST REGULAR SESSION**

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 769, L.D. 1039, "Resolve, To Establish and Fund Interventions for At-risk Families and Children"

Amend the resolve by adding after section 1 the following:

**Sec. 2. Appropriations and allocations. Resolved:** That the following appropriations and allocations are made.

**HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, DEPARTMENT OF  
Mental Health Services - Children Z206**

Initiative: Provides funding for the Department of Health and Human Services to provide grants to behavioral health providers to fund the costs of attracting, retaining and training new professional employees to deliver evidence-based outpatient psychosocial treatment services for children and families involved in the child protective services known as "functional family therapy - child welfare" and "multisystemic therapy for child abuse and neglect."

<b>GENERAL FUND</b>	<b>2019-20</b>	<b>2020-21</b>
All Other	\$3,018,013	\$2,810,620
<b>GENERAL FUND TOTAL</b>	<u>\$3,018,013</u>	<u>\$2,810,620</u>

**SUMMARY**

The amendment adds an appropriations and allocations section.

**FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED**

(See attached)

**COMMITTEE AMENDMENT**



Approved: 05/07/19 *MRC*

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LD 1039

LR 881(02)

Resolve, To Establish and Fund Interventions for At-risk Families and Children

Fiscal Note for Bill as Amended by Committee Amendment *A(H-250)*  
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	\$3,018,013	\$2,810,620	\$2,810,620	\$2,810,620
<b>Appropriations/Allocations</b>				
General Fund	\$3,018,013	\$2,810,620	\$2,810,620	\$2,810,620

### Fiscal Detail and Notes

The bill includes General Fund appropriations to the Department of Health and Human Services of \$3,018,013 in fiscal year 2019-20 and \$2,810,620 in fiscal year 2020-21 to provide grants to behavioral health providers to fund the costs of attracting, retaining and training new professional employees to deliver evidence-based outpatient psychosocial treatment services for children and families involved in the child protective services known as "functional family therapy - child welfare" and "multisystemic therapy for child abuse and neglect."

This resolve also requires the DHHS to consult with behavioral health providers to develop a rate of reimbursement for these services under MaineCare and amend its rules under rule Chapter 101: MaineCare Benefits Manual, Sections 28 and 65 accordingly. However, since this consultation has not occurred, it is not known what, if any, changes will be made to these rates in Mainecare. Thus, no estimate of these additional costs are made at this time.