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**MINORITY
HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES**

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130TH LEGISLATURE

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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "B" to S.P. 158, L.D. 372, "An Act To Provide
Maine Children Access to Affordable Health Care"

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Amend the bill by striking out all of sections 1 and 2.

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Amend the bill in section 3 in §3174-T in subsection 1 in the 3rd line (page 1, line 27
in L.D.) by striking out the following: ", 2-A or 2-B"

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Amend the bill in section 3 in §3174-T in subsection 2 in paragraph A in the last line
(page 1, line 39 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "200% 300%" and inserting the
following: '200%'

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Amend the bill in section 3 in §3174-T in subsection 2 by striking out all of paragraph
F (page 3, lines 21 and 22 in L.D.).

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Amend the bill in section 3 in §3174-T by striking out all of subsection 2-A (page 3,
lines 23 to 29 in L.D.).

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Amend the bill in section 3 in §3174-T by striking out all of subsection 2-B (page 3,
lines 30 to 36 in L.D.).

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Amend the bill in section 3 in §3174-T in subsection 7 in the last 4 lines (page 5, lines
6 to 9 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "In addition, the department shall apply for
additional federal funds available for Medicaid outreach activities. The goal of outreach
activities under this subsection is to enroll 100% of children eligible for the Cub Care
program or the MaineCare program."

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Amend the bill by striking out all of sections 4 and 5.

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Amend the bill by inserting after section 6 the following:

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'Sec. 7. Appropriations and allocations. 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 appropriations and allocations due to elimination of premiums in the federal Children's Health Insurance Program.

GENERAL FUND	2021-22	2022-23
All Other	\$103,540	\$207,080
GENERAL FUND TOTAL	<u>\$103,540</u>	<u>\$207,080</u>

FEDERAL BLOCK GRANT FUND	2021-22	2022-23
All Other	\$307,333	\$614,665
FEDERAL BLOCK GRANT FUND TOTAL	<u>\$307,333</u>	<u>\$614,665</u>

Office for Family Independence Z020

Initiative: Provides one-time appropriations and allocations for required technology changes.

GENERAL FUND	2021-22	2022-23
All Other	\$17,310	\$0
GENERAL FUND TOTAL	<u>\$17,310</u>	<u>\$0</u>

OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS	2021-22	2022-23
All Other	\$53,124	\$0
OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS TOTAL	<u>\$53,124</u>	<u>\$0</u>

HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, DEPARTMENT OF DEPARTMENT TOTALS	2021-22	2022-23
GENERAL FUND	\$120,850	\$207,080
OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS	\$53,124	\$0
FEDERAL BLOCK GRANT FUND	\$307,333	\$614,665
DEPARTMENT TOTAL - ALL FUNDS	<u>\$481,307</u>	<u>\$821,745</u>

Amend the bill by relettering or renumbering any nonconsecutive Part letter or section number to read consecutively.

SUMMARY

This amendment, which is the minority report of the committee, makes the following changes to the bill.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT

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1. It keeps the maximum eligibility level for family income under the Cub Care program at 200% of the federal poverty level, which is the amount established in current law.

2. It removes the provision that eligibility is not subject to an asset test because current rules do not make eligibility subject to an asset test.

3. It removes the requirement to provide coverage to persons 19 and 20 years of age and to noncitizens under 21 years of age.

4. It removes the requirement that the Department of Health and Human Services seek federal funds for outreach activities and removes the goal of outreach activities.

The amendment also adds an appropriations and allocations section.

FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED

(See attached)

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT



130th MAINE LEGISLATURE

LD 372

LR 876(03)

An Act To Provide Maine Children Access to Affordable Health Care

Fiscal Note for Bill as Amended by Committee Amendment "B"(S-98)
 Committee: Health and Human Services
 Fiscal Note Required: Yes

Fiscal Note

	FY 2021-22	FY 2022-23	Projections FY 2023-24	Projections FY 2024-25
Net Cost (Savings)				
General Fund	\$120,850	\$207,080	\$207,080	\$207,080
Appropriations/Allocations				
General Fund	\$120,850	\$207,080	\$207,080	\$207,080
Other Special Revenue Funds	\$53,124	\$0	\$0	\$0
Federal Block Grant Fund	\$307,333	\$614,665	\$614,665	\$614,665
Revenue				
Federal Block Grant Fund	\$307,333	\$614,665	\$614,665	\$614,665

Fiscal Detail and Notes

This bill includes General Fund appropriations to the Department of Health and Human Services of \$120,850 in fiscal year 2021-22 and \$207,080 in fiscal year 2022-23 due the elimination of premiums in the Children's Health Insurance Program (CHIP) and for required technology changes. Other Special Revenue Funds and Federal Block Grant Fund allocations will also be required for the FMAP match.