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LD 1428
(Filing No H-383)

HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

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**STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
131ST LEGISLATURE
FIRST SPECIAL SESSION**

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to HP 924, LD 1428, "An Act to Ensure Treatment for MaineCare Recipients with Serious Mental Illness by Prohibiting the Requirements for Prior Authorization and Step Therapy for Medications"

Amend the bill by inserting after section 1 the following

Sec. 2. Appropriations and allocations. The following appropriations and allocations are made

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

Initiative Provides funding associated with changes to the prior authorization requirements and step therapy protocols under the MaineCare program for prescription drugs used to assess or treat serious mental illness

GENERAL FUND	2023-24	2024-25
All Other	\$3,893,991	\$4,008,518
GENERAL FUND TOTAL	<u>\$3,893,991</u>	<u>\$4,008,518</u>
FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND	2023-24	2024-25
All Other	\$9,723,799	\$9,611,636
FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND TOTAL	<u>\$9,723,799</u>	<u>\$9,611,636</u>
FEDERAL BLOCK GRANT FUND	2023-24	2024-25
All Other	\$207,716	\$205,352
FEDERAL BLOCK GRANT FUND TOTAL	<u>\$207,716</u>	<u>\$205,352</u>
State-funded Foster Care/Adoption Assistance 0139		

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT

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Initiative Provides funding associated with changes to the prior authorization requirements and step therapy protocols under the MaineCare program for prescription drugs used to assess or treat serious mental illness

GENERAL FUND	2023-24	2024-25
All Other	\$83,454	\$83,454
GENERAL FUND TOTAL	<u>\$83,454</u>	<u>\$83,454</u>

HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, DEPARTMENT OF DEPARTMENT TOTALS	2023-24	2024-25
GENERAL FUND	\$3,977,445	\$4,091,972
FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND	\$9,723,799	\$9,611,636
FEDERAL BLOCK GRANT FUND	\$207,716	\$205,352
DEPARTMENT TOTAL - ALL FUNDS	<u>\$13,908,960</u>	<u>\$13,908,960</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, adds an appropriations and allocations section

FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED

(See attached)

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT



131st MAINE LEGISLATURE

LD 1428

LR 922(02)

An Act to Ensure Treatment for MaineCare Recipients with Serious Mental Illness by Prohibiting the Requirements for Prior Authorization and Step Therapy for Medications

Fiscal Note for Bill as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-383)

Committee: Health and Human Services

Fiscal Note Required: Yes

Fiscal Note

	FY 2023-24	FY 2024-25	Projections FY 2025-26	Projections FY 2026-27
Net Cost (Savings)				
General Fund	\$3,977,445	\$4,091,972	\$4,091,972	\$4,091,972
Appropriations/Allocations				
General Fund	\$3,977,445	\$4,091,972	\$4,091,972	\$4,091,972
Federal Expenditures Fund	\$9,723,799	\$9,611,636	\$9,611,636	\$9,611,636
Federal Block Grant Fund	\$207,716	\$205,352	\$205,352	\$205,352
Revenue				
Federal Expenditures Fund	\$9,723,799	\$9,611,636	\$9,611,636	\$9,611,636
Federal Block Grant Fund	\$207,716	\$205,352	\$205,352	\$205,352

Fiscal Detail and Notes

The bill includes General Fund appropriations to the Department of Health and Human Services of \$3,977,445 in fiscal year 2023-24 and \$4,091,972 in fiscal year 2024-25 associated with changes to the prior authorization requirements and step therapy protocols under the MaineCare program for prescription drugs used to assess or treat serious mental illness. Federal Expenditures Fund and Federal Block Grant Fund allocations are also included for the FMAP match.