### COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH OVERSIGHT DIVISION

#### **FISCAL NOTE**

L.R. No.: 2642H.01I
Bill No.: HB 1286
Subject: Department of Health and Senior Services; Drugs and Controlled Substances
Type: Original
Date: April 10, 2023

Bill Summary: This proposal creates provisions relating to voluntary nonopioid directive forms.

# FISCAL SUMMARY

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON GENERAL REVENUE FUND				
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2024	FY 2025	FY 2026	
Total Estimated Net				
Effect on General				
Revenue	\$0	\$0	\$0	

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON OTHER STATE FUNDS				
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2024	FY 2025	FY 2026	
<b>Total Estimated Net</b>				
Effect on Other State				
Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0	

Numbers within parentheses: () indicate costs or losses.

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON FEDERAL FUNDS				
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2024	FY 2025	FY 2026	
<b>Total Estimated Net</b>				
Effect on <u>All</u> Federal				
Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0	

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON FULL TIME EQUIVALENT (FTE)				
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2024	FY 2025	FY 2026	
<b>Total Estimated Net</b>				
Effect on FTE	0	0	0	

□ Estimated Net Effect (expenditures or reduced revenues) expected to exceed \$250,000 in any of the three fiscal years after implementation of the act or at full implementation of the act.

□ Estimated Net Effect (savings or increased revenues) expected to exceed \$250,000 in any of the three fiscal years after implementation of the act or at full implementation of the act.

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON LOCAL FUNDS				
FUND AFFECTEDFY 2024FY 2025				
Local Government	\$0	\$0	\$0	

## FISCAL ANALYSIS

### ASSUMPTION

#### <u>§192.530 – Voluntary nonopioid directive forms</u>

Officials from the **Department of Health and Senior Services (DHSS)** state the proposed legislation would require the DHSS to develop a voluntary non-opioid direct form for patients who want to deny or refuse the administration or prescription of a controlled substance containing opioids by a health care provider. DHSS would be responsible for the following:

• Developing the forms in consultation with the board of registration for the healing arts and the board of pharmacy;

- Provide guidance for the form;
- Place the form on its website; and,
- Promulgate rules.

It is anticipated that this level of effort would be less than 100 hours for Public Health Program Specialist. The total amount for this level of effort is \$25.01 per hour for a total of \$2,501 (\$25.01/hr \* 100 hours). This is based on the salary of a Public Health Program Specialist, a total cost of \$52.016 annually as of March 2023.

It is assumed that the DHSS can absorb the costs of this bill with current resources. However, if the workload significantly increased or other legislation was enacted, additional resources would be requested through the appropriation process.

**Oversight** does not have any information to the contrary. Oversight assumes the DHSS has sufficient staff and resources available to absorb the minimal additional duties required by this proposal and will reflect no fiscal impact for this agency.

Officials from the **Department of Commerce and Insurance**, the **Department of Mental Health** and the **Department of Social Services** each assume the proposal will have no fiscal impact on their respective organizations. **Oversight** does not have any information to the contrary. Therefore, Oversight will reflect a zero impact in the fiscal note for these agencies.

#### **Rule Promulgation**

Officials from the **Joint Committee on Administrative Rules** assume this proposal is not anticipated to cause a fiscal impact beyond its current appropriation.

Officials from the **Office of the Secretary of State (SOS)** note many bills considered by the General Assembly include provisions allowing or requiring agencies to submit rules and regulations to implement the act. The SOS is provided with core funding to handle a certain

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amount of normal activity resulting from each year's legislative session. The fiscal impact for this fiscal note to the SOS for Administrative Rules is less than \$5,000. The SOS recognizes that this is a small amount and does not expect that additional funding would be required to meet these costs. However, the SOS also recognizes that many such bills may be passed by the General Assembly in a given year and that collectively the costs may be in excess of what the office can sustain with its core budget. Therefore, the SOS reserves the right to request funding for the cost of supporting administrative rules requirements should the need arise based on a review of the finally approved bills signed by the governor.

FISCAL IMPACT – State Government	FY 2024	FY 2025	FY 2026
	(10 Mo.)		
	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>

FISCAL IMPACT – Local Government	FY 2024	FY 2025	FY 2026
	(10 Mo.)		
	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>

## FISCAL IMPACT – Small Business

No direct fiscal impact to small businesses would be expected as a result of this proposal.

### FISCAL DESCRIPTION

The proposed legislation appears to have no direct fiscal impact.

This legislation is not federally mandated, would not duplicate any other program and would not require additional capital improvements or rental space.

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#### SOURCES OF INFORMATION

Department of Commerce and Insurance Department of Health and Senior Services Department of Mental Health Department of Social Services Office of the Secretary of State Joint Committee on Administrative Rules

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