

Fiscal Estimate - 2017 Session

Original
 Updated
 Corrected
 Supplemental

LRB Number **17-1471/1** Introduction Number **AB-0007 (JR7)**

Description
 grants to establish and expand graduate training in an addiction specialty and making an appropriation.

Fiscal Effect

State:

- No State Fiscal Effect
- Indeterminate
- Increase Existing Appropriations
- Decrease Existing Appropriations
- Create New Appropriations
- Increase Existing Revenues
- Decrease Existing Revenues
- Increase Costs - May be possible to absorb within agency's budget
 - Yes No
- Decrease Costs

Local:

- No Local Government Costs
 - Indeterminate
 - 1. Increase Costs 3. Increase Revenue
 - Permissive Mandatory Permissive Mandatory
 - 2. Decrease Costs 4. Decrease Revenue
 - Permissive Mandatory Permissive Mandatory
- 5. Types of Local Government Units Affected**
- Towns Village Cities
 - Counties Others
 - School Districts WTCS Districts

Fund Sources Affected **Affected Ch. 20 Appropriations**

- GPR
 FED
 PRO
 PRS
 SEG
 SEGS 20.435 (4)(b)

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Fiscal Estimate Narratives

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Assumptions Used in Arriving at Fiscal Estimate

Under current law, a hospital can receive grants to fund additional positions for family medicine, general surgery, pediatrics, psychiatry, and internal medicine residents at their facilities. This bill would allow hospitals to receive grants for addiction medicine or addiction psychiatry specialists if they are both practicing the categories listed and enrolled in an existing accredited graduate medical training program.

Under current law, a hospital can receive grants to establish a graduate medical training program for programs in family medicine, general surgery, pediatrics, psychiatry, and internal medicine at rural hospitals. This bill would also permit the grants to be used to create of addiction medicine or addiction psychiatry training programs for physicians practicing the specialties listed at rural hospitals.

The bill provides \$63,000 GPR to support grants for additional fellowships in existing graduate medical training programs. The grants to establish a graduate medical addiction medicine training program will be provided through the same GPR-funded grants graduate medical training programs can apply for now.

Long-Range Fiscal Implications