

GREEN SHEET REDIGEST

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MEDICAID. Requests the La. Dept. of Health to submit documentation to the federal Medicaid agency to provide financial relief for providers of services for people with developmental disabilities (Item #28)

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Urges and requests the La. Dept. of Health to immediately submit requests for all retainer payments associated with the COVID-19 public health emergency for home- and community-based service providers and to submit all applicable documentation for a temporary rate increase for providers of adult day center services, home- and community-based services, and intermediate care facilities for the developmentally disabled not later than 30 days after the final adjournment of the 2020 2nd Extraordinary Session.

Summary of Amendments Adopted by Senate

Committee Amendments Proposed by Senate Committee on Health and Welfare to the engrossed bill

1. Deletes references to the reimbursement of COVID-19-related expenditures, reimbursement for hazard pay, and overtime compensation.
2. Provides for a temporary rate increase.
3. Specifies that proof of compliance shall be in the form of Appendix k of the state's home- and community-based waivers for people with developmental disabilities applicable to retainer payments.