



Fiscal Note

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HB 25-1317: CORRECT ERROR IN SELF-PAY ESTIMATE STATUTE

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Fiscal note status: The fiscal note reflects the introduced bill, which was recommended by the Statutory Revision Committee.

Summary Information

Overview. The bill makes technical changes to statute related to health care service costs to codify current practice.

No fiscal impact. The bill has no fiscal impact on state or local government.

Appropriations. No appropriation is required.

Table 1
State Fiscal Impacts

Type of Impact	Budget Year FY 2025-26	Out Year FY 2026-27
State Revenue	\$0	\$0
State Expenditures	\$0	\$0
Transferred Funds	\$0	\$0
Change in TABOR Refunds	\$0	\$0
Change in State FTE	0.0 FTE	0.0 FTE

Summary of Legislation

Currently, healthcare providers who issue a self-pay estimated cost of service cannot charge more than 15 percent or \$400 over the estimate, whichever is lower, unless there's an emergency or unforeseen circumstance.

The bill clarifies that the \$400 limit only applies to extra charges beyond the estimate and total costs are not capped at \$400.

Assessment of No Fiscal Impact

The technical changes in the bill codify current practice, and will not change the revenue or expenditures of any state agency or local government. For this reason, the bill is assessed as having no fiscal impact

Effective Date

The bill takes effect 90 days following adjournment of the General Assembly sine die, assuming no referendum petition is filed.

State and Local Government Contacts

Public Health and Environment

The revenue and expenditure impacts in this fiscal note represent changes from current law under the bill for each fiscal year. For additional information about fiscal notes, please visit the [General Assembly website](#).