

# SB0100



## 102ND GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

2021 and 2022

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Introduced 2/3/2021, by Sen. Ram Villivalam

### SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

305 ILCS 5/5-2.07

Amends the Medical Assistance Article of the Illinois Public Aid Code. Provides that a person who uses Medicaid spend-down to qualify for medical assistance shall not be eligible for medical assistance if the person does not meet his or her monthly spend-down for 6 consecutive months. Effective immediately.

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FISCAL NOTE ACT  
MAY APPLY

A BILL FOR

1 AN ACT concerning public aid.

2 **Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,**  
3 **represented in the General Assembly:**

4 Section 5. The Illinois Public Aid Code is amended by  
5 changing Section 5-2.07 as follows:

6 (305 ILCS 5/5-2.07)

7 Sec. 5-2.07. Use of Medicaid spend-down. No later than  
8 July 1, 2007, subject to federal approval of a State Medicaid  
9 Plan amendment, which shall be sought by the Department of  
10 Healthcare and Family Services or its successor agency,  
11 persons described in item 2(a) of Section 5-2, who fail to  
12 qualify for basic maintenance under Article III of this Code  
13 on the basis of need because of excess income or assets, or  
14 both, may establish eligibility for medical assistance by  
15 paying the amount of their monthly spend-down under this  
16 Article (as described in 42 CFR 435.831) to the Department of  
17 Healthcare and Family Services or its successor agency or by  
18 having a third party pay that amount to the Department on their  
19 behalf. A person who uses Medicaid spend-down to qualify for  
20 medical assistance shall not be eligible for medical  
21 assistance if the person does not meet his or her monthly  
22 spend-down for 6 consecutive months.

23 (Source: P.A. 94-847, eff. 1-1-07.)

1           Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon  
2    becoming law.