

HB2080



103RD GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

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Introduced 2/7/2023, by Rep. Anne Stava-Murray

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

305 ILCS 5/5-2b

Amends the Medical Assistance Article of the Illinois Public Aid Code. Provides that subject to federal approval, on and after July 1, 2023, the reimbursement rates paid to providers of private duty nursing services for medically fragile and technology dependent children shall be 40% higher than the reimbursement rates in effect for nursing services on June 30, 2023. Effective July 1, 2023.

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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 5-2b as follows:

6 (305 ILCS 5/5-2b)

7 Sec. 5-2b. Medically fragile and technology dependent
8 children eligibility and program; provider reimbursement
9 rates.

10 (a) Notwithstanding any other provision of law except as
11 provided in Section 5-30a, on and after September 1, 2012,
12 subject to federal approval, medical assistance under this
13 Article shall be available to children who qualify as persons
14 with a disability, as defined under the federal Supplemental
15 Security Income program and who are medically fragile and
16 technology dependent. The program shall allow eligible
17 children to receive the medical assistance provided under this
18 Article in the community and must maximize, to the fullest
19 extent permissible under federal law, federal reimbursement
20 and family cost-sharing, including co-pays, premiums, or any
21 other family contributions, except that the Department shall
22 be permitted to incentivize the utilization of selected
23 services through the use of cost-sharing adjustments. The

1 Department shall establish the policies, procedures,
2 standards, services, and criteria for this program by rule.

3 (b) Notwithstanding any other provision of this Code,
4 subject to federal approval, on and after July 1, 2023 the
5 reimbursement rates paid to providers of private duty nursing
6 services for children eligible for medical assistance under
7 this Section shall be 40% higher than the reimbursement rates
8 in effect for nursing services on June 30, 2023.

9 (Source: P.A. 100-990, eff. 1-1-19.)

10 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect July 1,
11 2023.