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Overview

This bill provides reimbursement rate increases for a variety of continuing care providers and ICFs/DD for rate periods beginning on July 1, 2013, and July 1, 2014.

Section

- 1 ICF/DD rate increases effective July 1, 2013, and July 1, 2014.** Amends § 256B.5012, by adding subdivision 14. Increases operating payment rates for ICFs/DD by five percent for the rate periods beginning on July 1, 2013, and July 1, 2014. Specifies the manner in which the commissioner must apply the rate increase.
- 2 Provider rate and grant increases effective July 1, 2013, and July 1, 2014.** Increases reimbursement rates, grants, allocations, individual limits, and rate limits, as applicable, by five percent on July 1, 2013, and July 1, 2014, for a variety of continuing care providers. Requires managed care plans receiving state payments for the services in this section to include these increases in their payments to providers. Requires counties to increase the budget for each recipient of consumer-directed community supports by five percent on July 1, 2013, and July 1, 2014.
- 3 Appropriation.** Appropriates an unspecified amount from the general fund to the commissioner of human services for the biennium beginning July 1, 2013, for the purposes of sections 1 and 2.