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Bill Summary

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Overview

This bill would permit medical assistance reimbursement for targeted case management services conducted through interactive video under certain circumstances. Federal approval is required.

Section

- Payment rates. Amends § 256B.0621, subd. 10. Adds that to assist a client from moving from an institution to the community, a case manager may bill medical assistance for relocation targeted case management activities conducted by interactive video in accordance with section 256B.0924, subd. 4a.
- Mental health targeted case management. Amends § 256B.0625, subd. 20. Adds that case management services for an adult with serious and persistent mental illness may be conducted by interactive video in accordance with section 256B.0924, subd. 4a.
- Targeted case management through interactive video. Amends § 256B.0924, subd. 4a. Provides, subject to federal approval, that targeted case management services provided by interactive video shall be eligible for medical assistance reimbursement if the person receiving services is in a setting staffed 24 hours a day, seven days a week; use of interactive video is in the best interest of the person being served; use of the video is approved as part of the person's care plan; and interactive video is not used for more than 50 percent of the required face-to-face contacts.