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Fiscal Note On: **HB**

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Bill Text Version: **REENGROSSED**

Opp. Chamb. Action: W/ SEN FLOOR AMD

Proposed Amd.:

Sub. Bill For.: HB 122

Date: May 31, 2023

Dept./Agy.:LDH

Subject: Cytomegalovirus

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CHILDREN/NEWBORNS

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Provides relative to the mandatory screening of all newborns for early detection of the cytomegalovirus (CMV)

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<u>Proposed law</u>, under certain circumstances, requires a healthcare provider attending a newborn child to test for the cytomegalovirus (CMV) if the newborn fails the newborn hearing screen.

<u>Proposed law</u> further requires the La. Dept. of Health (LDH) to provide payment directly to Medicaid providers for the costs incurred as a result of CMV testing.

| EXPENDITURES | 2023-24 | 2024-25 | 2025-26 | 2026-27 | 2027-28 | 5 -YEAR TOTAL |
|----------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|---------------|
| State Gen. Fd. | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Agy. Self-Gen. | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Ded./Other | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Federal Funds | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Local Funds | <u>\$0</u> | <u>\$0</u> | <u>\$0</u> | <u>\$0</u> | <u>\$0</u> | <u>\$0</u> |
| Annual Total | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
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| Annual Total | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |

EXPENDITURE EXPLANATION

There is no anticipated direct material effect on governmental expenditures as a result of this measure. LDH indicates that CMV testing will not be performed in an OPH lab and that the Medicaid inpatient per diem rate will not change, resulting in no additional cost to the department. However, providers and insurance companies will incur the cost of administering the test. The impact of this cost on providers and insurance companies is indeterminable at this time.

REVENUE EXPLANATION

There is no anticipated direct material effect on governmental revenues as a result of this measure.

<u>House</u>

| <u>Senate</u> | | Dual Referral Rules |
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| | 13.5.1 >= \$ | 100,000 Annual Fiscal Cost {S & H} |
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| | 13.5.2 >= \$ | 500,000 Annual Tax or Fee |

Change {S & H}

6.8(G) >= \$500,000 Tax or Fee Increase or a Net Fee Decrease {S}

 $6.8(F)(1) >= $100,000 SGF Fiscal Cost {H & S}$

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