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FISCAL NOTE  
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House Bill 923 (Delegate Hammen)

Environmental Matters

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**Medical Assistance - Specialty Mental Health Services - Reimbursement**

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This bill requires that standards concerning prompt payment of reimbursement to HMO providers be applicable to the Medicaid specialty mental health system.

The bill takes effect June 1, 1999.

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**Fiscal Summary**

**State Effect:** None. The bill's requirements could be handled with existing budgeted resources.

**Local Effect:** None.

**Small Business Effect:** None.

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