

HB1104/453927/1

BY: Health and Government Operations Committee

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 1104  
(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 3, after line 20, insert:

“SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

Article – Health – General”.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 5, strike lines 14 through 19, inclusive; after line 19, insert:

“(K) (1) SUBJECT TO PARAGRAPH (2) OF THIS SUBSECTION, EACH YEAR OF THE TOTAL COST OF CARE MODEL, THE AHEAD MODEL, OR ANY SUCCESSOR MODEL, THE HEALTH SERVICES COST REVIEW COMMISSION MAY ASSESS A UNIFORM, BROAD-BASED, AND REASONABLE AMOUNT IN HOSPITAL RATES TO BE CREDITED TO THE FUND.

(2) THE HEALTH SERVICES COST REVIEW COMMISSION SHALL INCLUDE THE FULL AMOUNT OF THE ASSESSMENT AUTHORIZED UNDER PARAGRAPH (1) OF THIS SUBSECTION IN THE HOSPITAL RATES.

(3) ANY FUNDS GENERATED FROM THE ASSESSMENT AUTHORIZED UNDER PARAGRAPH (1) OF THIS SUBSECTION MAY BE USED ONLY FOR THE EXPENSES DESCRIBED IN SUBSECTION (F) OF THIS SECTION.

(L) (1) ON OR BEFORE JULY 1 EACH YEAR, BEGINNING IN 2026, THE DEPARTMENT SHALL SUBMIT A REPORT TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY, IN ACCORDANCE WITH § 2-1257 OF THE STATE GOVERNMENT ARTICLE.

(2) THE REPORT REQUIRED UNDER PARAGRAPH (1) OF THIS SUBSECTION SHALL:

(I) REFLECT THE REQUIRED ELEMENTS OF THE ANNUAL PROGRESS REPORT AS OUTLINED IN THE STATE AGREEMENT AND SHALL INCLUDE:

1. MEASURES OF EFFECTIVENESS FOR FUNDED PROGRAMS AND TARGETED POPULATIONS;

2. ANY IMPACT ON HEALTH OUTCOMES AND HEALTH DISPARITIES; AND

3. RELEVANT COMPONENTS FROM HOSPITAL REQUIRED REPORTING TO THE HEALTH SERVICES COST REVIEW COMMISSION ON POPULATION HEALTH IMPROVEMENT EFFORTS; AND

(II) AN ACCOUNTING OF ALL SOURCES OF FUNDING ACCEPTED FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE FUND AND THE AMOUNT OF FUNDING FROM EACH SOURCE.”.

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 6, in line 5, strike “2.” and substitute “3.”; and in line 6, after “2025.” insert “It shall remain in effective for a period of 5 years and 6 months and, at the end of December 31, 2030, this Act, with no further action required by the General Assembly, shall be abrogated and of no further force and effect.”.”