

MONTGOMERY COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

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BILL:	HB1530
TITLE:	Maryland Medical Assistance Program - Provision of School Psychology
	Services
DATE:	3/4/2020
POSITION:	SUPPORT
COMMITTEE:	Health and Government Operations
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The Montgomery County Board of Education (Board) supports HB1530.

House Bill 1530 will allow for the 130 Montgomery County Public Schools (MCPS) school psychologists to bill for Medicaid dollars. This bill will also provide additional revenue to MCPS without a fiscal impact to the school district. As school psychology is an ongoing and growing need, any provisions that help recruit and retain school psychologists and allow the school ssytem to further support school psychologists and the students who need them, is greatly appreciated and supported.

For these reasons, the Board **supports** this legislation and urges a **favorable** report.