
ENGROSSED SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL 3048

State of Washington

61st Legislature

2010 Regular Session

By House Ways & Means (originally sponsored by Representatives Cody, Armstrong, and Pettigrew; by request of Governor Gregoire)

READ FIRST TIME 02/09/10.

1 AN ACT Relating to administration of the medicaid program; and
2 creating a new section.

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

4 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 1.** By December 1, 2010, the governor shall
5 submit to the appropriate policy and fiscal committees of the
6 legislature a report that identifies the agency designated by the
7 governor as the single state medicaid agency and a plan for
8 transferring, as necessary, the functions related to that designation.
9 In preparing the plan, the governor must consider, at a minimum, the
10 following:

11 (1) The terms and conditions of any federal medicaid waiver related
12 to financing the basic health plan granted as a result of the request
13 submitted to the federal department of health and human services by the
14 department on January 19, 2010;

15 (2) The policy goal of integrating medical, behavioral health, and
16 long-term care services for individuals with co-occurring disorders or
17 complex health needs;

18 (3) The need for uniform policies, based on the best available

1 scientific and medical evidence, across state purchased health care
2 programs as provided in RCW 41.05.013;

3 (4) The labor impacts, including the transfer of employees and the
4 effect on current bargaining units and collective bargaining
5 agreements.

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