

**Department of Planning and Budget
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State Fiscal Impact Statement**

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ORIGINAL

Bill Number: SB73-S1

Patron: Srinivasan

Bill Title: Medicaid billing navigator positions; Superintendent of Public Instruction to establish, report.

Bill Summary: Requires the Department of Medical Assistance Services (DMAS) to provide training to local school division staff regarding assisting schools in effectively navigating the laws, policies, rules, regulations, and guidelines governing Medicaid billing for reimbursable services rendered at school sites, including the federal Bipartisan Safer Communities Act (P.L. [117-159](#)), and to ensure that all school divisions are able to fully leverage Medicaid funding opportunities to enhance student health services in the Commonwealth. DMAS shall provide such training virtually and not less than semi-annually. DMAS shall coordinate its training efforts with the Department of Education, which shall provide notice to local school divisions as necessary to help facilitate such training opportunities for local school division staff.

Budget Amendment Necessary: No

Items Impacted: None

Fiscal Summary: This bill, as amended, will have no fiscal impact.

Fiscal Analysis: DMAS indicates that the agency currently provides this training to relevant stakeholders; as such, no additional funding is necessary.

The Department of Education indicates that this bill, as amended, does not have a fiscal impact on the agency.

Other: -