

H.B. 483
As Introduced

Topic: Changes to resident assessment forms and grouper methodology

_____ moved to amend as follows:

In line 6 of the title, after "5123.452," insert "5124.195," 1

In line 21, after "5123.452," insert "5124.195," 2

Between lines 1717 and 1718, insert: 3

"Sec. 5124.195. (A) No change that the department of 4
developmental disabilities makes to either of the following is 5
valid unless the change is applied prospectively and the 6
department complies with division (B) of this section: 7

(1) The department's instructions or guidelines for the 8
resident assessment forms that are used for the purpose of section 9
5124.191 of the Revised Code; 10

(2) The manner in which the grouper methodology prescribed in 11
rules authorized by section 5124.192 of the Revised Code is 12
applied in determining case-mix scores under that section. 13

(B) Before making a change described in division (A) of this 14
section, the department shall do all of the following: 15

(1) Notify all ICF/IID providers of the proposed change; 16

(2) Provide representatives of ICF/IID providers an 17
opportunity to provide the department their concerns about, and 18

suggestions to revise, the proposed change; 19

(3) In the case of a proposed change described in division 20

(A)(2) of this section, determine that the proposed change is 21

consistent with the documentation of ICF/IID staff time that was 22

used to create the grouper methodology." 23

Between lines 2233 and 2234, insert:

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"**Section 752.10.** (A) As used in this section, "ICF/IID,"
"ICF/IID services," and "provider" have the same meanings as in
section 5124.01 of the Revised Code.

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(B) Notwithstanding sections 5124.192, 5124.193, 5124.40, and
5124.41 of the Revised Code and subject to division (C) of this
section, the Department of Developmental Disabilities shall
disregard, for the purpose of the Medicaid payment rates for
ICF/IID services provided during fiscal year 2017, the results of
an exception review conducted under section 5124.193 of the
Revised Code during calendar year 2015 if the results are based on
a change the Department made to either of the following:

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(1) The Department's instructions or guidelines for the
resident assessment forms used for the purpose of section 5124.191
of the Revised Code;

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(2) The manner in which the grouper methodology prescribed in
rules authorized by section 5124.192 of the Revised Code is
applied in determining case-mix scores under that section.

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(C) Division (B) of this section does not apply to the
results of an exception review if the results are based on a
change described in division (B) of this section unless either of
the following applies:

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(1) The Department applied the change retroactively.

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(2) Before making the change, the Department failed to do any
of the following:

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(a) Notify all ICF/IID providers of the proposed change;

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(b) Provide representatives of ICF/IID providers an
opportunity to provide the Department their concerns about, and

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suggestions to revise, the proposed change; 52

(c) In the case of the proposed change described in division 53
(B)(2) of this section, determine that the proposed change is 54
consistent with the documentation of ICF/IID staff time that was 55
used to create the grouper methodology." 56

The motion was _____ agreed to.