

Department of Planning and Budget

2016 Fiscal Impact Statement

1. Bill Number: HB343ER

House of Origin	<input type="checkbox"/> Introduced	<input type="checkbox"/> Substitute	<input type="checkbox"/> Engrossed
Second House	<input type="checkbox"/> In Committee	<input type="checkbox"/> Substitute	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Enrolled

2. Patron: Pogge

3. Committee: Health, Welfare and Institutions

4. Title: Nursing homes; reimbursement of unexpended patient funds.

5. Summary: Requires the Board of Health to include in its regulations a provision requiring nursing homes to provide a full refund of any unexpended patient funds on deposit with the facility following the discharge or death of a patient within 30 days of a written request for such funds by the discharged patient or, in the case of the death of a patient, the person administering the patient's estate.

6. Budget Amendment Necessary: No.

7. No Fiscal Impact.

8. Fiscal Implications: This bill would not have a fiscal impact on the Commonwealth. The bill directs the Board of Health to promulgate regulations and would not impact agency operations.

9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: Department of Health.

10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No.

11. Other Comments: None.