

Department of Planning and Budget 2024 Session Fiscal Impact Statement

1. Bill Number: SB 610

House of Origin Introduced Substitute Engrossed
Second House In Committee Substitute Enrolled

2. Patron: Suetterlein

3. Committee: Education and Health

4. Title: Slot-retention requests; Developmental Disability waivers, sunset date

5. Summary: The proposed legislation directs the Department of Medical Assistance Services and the Department of Behavioral Health and Developmental Services to amend their regulations to allow for support coordinators to request and subsequently obtain approval of consecutive waiver slot-retention requests for a period of 365 calendar days for individuals who have been assigned a Developmental Disability waiver slot. Current regulations allow for four consecutive 30-day slot-retention extensions. The bill sunsets on June 30, 2026.

6. Budget Amendment Necessary: No

7. Minimal Fiscal Impact

8. Fiscal Implications: It is expected that the provisions of this bill can be absorbed within existing resources.

9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected:

Department of Medical Assistance Services

Department of Behavioral Health and Developmental Services

10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No

11. Other Comments: This bill is a companion to HB 577.