

**LEGISLATIVE BUDGET BOARD**  
**Austin, Texas**

**FISCAL NOTE, 86TH LEGISLATIVE REGULAR SESSION**

**April 23, 2019**

**TO:** Honorable Senfronia Thompson, Chair, House Committee on Public Health

**FROM:** John McGeady, Assistant Director    Sarah Keyton, Assistant Director  
Legislative Budget Board

**IN RE: HB2785** by Burrows (Relating to notice of discount of certain charges by certain hospitals.), **As Introduced**

**No significant fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.**

The bill would require certain hospitals that discount a billed charge for a health care service for a patient who pays cash to notify patients of the discounted price of the service. LBB analysis of the Health and Human Services Commission and the University of Texas System indicates that the bill can be implemented with existing resources.

**Local Government Impact**

According to the Texas Association of Counties, no significant fiscal implication to counties is anticipated.

**Source Agencies:**        529 Health and Human Services Commission, 720 The University of  
Texas System Administration

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