

**LEGISLATIVE BUDGET BOARD  
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**TO:** Honorable Lois W. Kolkhorst, Chair, Senate Committee on Health & Human Services

**FROM:** Jerry McGinty, Director, Legislative Budget Board

**IN RE: SB921** by Sparks (Relating to conducting an ex parte renewal of a recipient's Medicaid eligibility.),  
**Committee Report 1st House, Substituted**

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

The bill would prohibit the Health and Human Services Commission or any state agency that administers any part of Medicaid from accepting information provided by a recipient in an application for benefits under another public assistance program for the purpose of conducting an ex parte renewal of a recipient's Medicaid eligibility except as expressly required by federal law.

It is assumed that any costs associated with the bill could be absorbed using existing resources.

**Local Government Impact**

No significant fiscal implication to units of local government is anticipated.

**Source Agencies:** 529 Health and Human Services Commission

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