

General Assembly

January Session, 2025

Committee Bill No. 1122

LCO No. **4767**

Referred to Committee on HUMAN SERVICES

Introduced by: (HS)

AN ACT REQUIRING ANNUAL PERFORMANCE AUDITS OF MEDICAID-FUNDED PROGRAMS BY THE AUDITORS OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTS.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

1 Section 1. (NEW) (Effective July 1, 2025) Not later than December 1, 2 2025, and annually thereafter, the Senate chairperson and the House 3 chairperson of the joint standing committee of the General Assembly 4 having cognizance of matters relating to human services shall provide 5 to the Auditors of Public Accounts a written list of not less than two 6 Medicaid-funded programs to be subject to performance audits by said 7 auditors in accordance with section 2-90 of the general statutes, as 8 amended by this act. Not later than thirty days after the completion of 9 the performance audits, the Commissioner of Social Services shall post 10 a link to the audit results and recommendations on the Internet web site 11 of the Department of Social Services.

12 Sec. 2. Section 2-90 of the general statutes is amended by adding 13 subsection (j) as follows (*Effective January 1, 2026*):

14 (NEW) (j) Notwithstanding the provisions of subsection (c) of this 15 section, said auditors shall conduct not less than two performance

16 audits annually of Medicaid-funded programs from a list of such 17 programs provided to the auditors, in writing, by the Senate 18 chairperson and the House chairperson of the joint standing committee 19 of the General Assembly having cognizance of matters relating to 20 human services, in accordance with section 1 of this act. Any such 21 program being audited by the auditors shall provide any information 22 the auditors deem necessary to conduct such audit. The auditors shall 23 report their findings and recommendations, in accordance with the 24 provisions of section 11-4a, to the Governor, the State Comptroller and 25 the joint standing committees of the General Assembly having 26 cognizance of matters relating to appropriations and the budgets of state 27 agencies and human services.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following
sections:Section 1July 1, 2025New section

Statement of Purpose:

To ensure optimum use of Medicaid dollars toward providing human services through utilization of performance audits conducted by the Auditors of Public Accounts.

2-90(j)

[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]

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