

SB3959



102ND GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

2021 and 2022

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Introduced 1/21/2022, by Sen. Sara Feigenholtz

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

305 ILCS 5/5-5.07

Amends the Medical Assistance Article of the Illinois Public Aid Code. In a provision requiring the Department of Healthcare and Family Services to pay the DCFS per diem rate for inpatient psychiatric stays at free-standing psychiatric hospitals or hospitals with a pediatric or adolescent inpatient psychiatric unit, removes language making the provision operative only through July 1, 2023.

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A BILL FOR

1 AN ACT concerning public aid.

2 **Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,**
3 **represented in the General Assembly:**

4 Section 5. The Illinois Public Aid Code is amended by
5 changing Section 5-5.07 as follows:

6 (305 ILCS 5/5-5.07)

7 Sec. 5-5.07. Inpatient psychiatric stay; DCFS per diem
8 rate. The Department of Children and Family Services shall pay
9 the DCFS per diem rate for inpatient psychiatric stay at a
10 free-standing psychiatric hospital or a hospital with a
11 pediatric or adolescent inpatient psychiatric unit effective
12 the 11th day when a child is in the hospital beyond medical
13 necessity, and the parent or caregiver has denied the child
14 access to the home and has refused or failed to make provisions
15 for another living arrangement for the child or the child's
16 discharge is being delayed due to a pending inquiry or
17 investigation by the Department of Children and Family
18 Services. If any portion of a hospital stay is reimbursed
19 under this Section, the hospital stay shall not be eligible
20 for payment under the provisions of Section 14-13 of this
21 Code. ~~This Section is inoperative on and after July 1, 2021.~~
22 ~~Notwithstanding the provision of Public Act 101-209 stating~~
23 ~~that this Section is inoperative on and after July 1, 2020,~~

1 ~~this Section is operative from July 1, 2020 through July 1,~~
2 ~~2023.~~

3 (Source: Reenacted by P.A. 101-15, eff. 6-14-19; reenacted by
4 P.A. 101-209, eff. 8-5-19; P.A. 101-655, eff. 3-12-21;
5 102-201, eff. 7-30-21; 102-558, eff. 8-20-21.)