
A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO MENTAL HEALTH.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF HAWAII:

1 SECTION 1. Chapter 346, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
2 amended by adding a new section to part II to be appropriately
3 designated and to read as follows:

4 "§346- Psychiatric services; reimbursement rate.
5 Beginning July 1, 2007, the reimbursement rate for psychiatric
6 services shall be per cent of the seventy-fifth percentile
7 of the current Hawaii medicaid fee profile; provided that in any
8 county with a population of 200,000 or less, the reimbursement
9 rate for psychiatric services shall be per cent of the
10 seventy-fifth percentile of the current Hawaii medicaid fee
11 profile."

12 SECTION 2. There is appropriated out of the general
13 revenues of the State of Hawaii the sum of \$ or so
14 much thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year 2007-2008 and
15 the same sum or so much thereof as may be necessary for fiscal
16 year 2008-2009 to cover the reimbursement rate increase for
17 psychiatric services provided under medicaid and QUEST.



1 The sums appropriated shall be expended by the department
2 of human services for the purposes of this Act.

3 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2007.



Report Title:

Medicaid; Reimbursement Rate

Description:

Increases the reimbursement rate for medicaid and QUEST psychiatric services according to county population. Appropriates funds for the reimbursement rate increase. (HB385 HD1)

