



Snohomish County Council

Legislation Text

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Executive/Council Action Form (ECAF)

ITEM TITLE:

Ordinance 23-052, approving agreement with Health Care Authority for the Medicaid Administrative Claiming Program

DEPARTMENT: Health Department

ORIGINATOR: Rhonda Smids-Osborne

EXECUTIVE RECOMMENDATION: Lacey Harper 5/15/23

PURPOSE: The purpose of this Agreement is to support Medicaid related outreach and linkage activities performed by Local Health Jurisdictions (LHJ) to Washington State residents who live within its jurisdiction. These activities assist residents who have no or inadequate medical coverage, and includes explaining the benefits of the Medicaid program, assisting them in the Medicaid application and renewal processes, and linking them to Medicaid covered services. This Agreement provides a process for partially reimbursing the Health Department for allowable and reasonable expenses associated with the time its staff spend performing Medicaid Administrative Claiming (MAC) activities.

BACKGROUND: Prior to its integration into Snohomish County, the Snohomish Health District entered into an interagency agreement with the Washington State Health Care Authority for the Medicaid Administrative Claiming Program and wish to continue this partnership. The Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services is the federal agency with national oversight of the Medicaid program, including Medicaid Administrative Claiming.

FISCAL IMPLICATIONS:

EXPEND: FUND, AGY, ORG, ACTY, OBJ, AU	CURRENT YR	2ND YR	1ST 6 YRS
TOTAL			

REVENUE: FUND, AGY, ORG, REV, SOURCE	CURRENT YR	2ND YR	1ST 6 YRS
125 3 15 625 3778	Revenue varies		
TOTAL			

DEPARTMENT FISCAL IMPACT NOTES: Click or tap here to enter text.

CONTRACT INFORMATION:

ORIGINAL	X	CONTRACT#	6191	AMOUNT	Revenue varies
AMENDMENT		CONTRACT#		AMOUNT	

Contract Period

ORIGINAL	START	01/01/2023	END	12/31/2025
AMENDMENT	START		END	

OTHER DEPARTMENTAL REVIEW/COMMENTS: Reviewed/approved by: Risk Management (Sheila Barker 5/11/23), Finance (Nathan Kennedy 5/12/23) and Deputy Prosecuting Attorney has not approved as to form.