



Colorado Legislative Council Staff Fiscal Note
NO FISCAL IMPACT

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Prime Sponsor(s): Rep. Roberts
Rep. Kefalas
Sen. Boyd

Bill Status: House Health and Human Services
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TITLE: CONCERNING CONTINUATION OF THE AUTHORITY OF MUNICIPALITIES TO CONTRACT WITH COMMUNITY HEALTH CARE PROVIDERS.

Summary of Legislation

This bill eliminates the repeal date for the authorization of the use of community contracted health care providers. In addition, the definition of community contracted health care providers is expanded from a physician, a nurse practitioner or a physician's assistant to any licensed health care provider. The bill is effective upon signature of the Governor or upon becoming law without his signature.

Assessment

This bill is assessed at no fiscal impact. Municipalities with 20,000 or fewer residents, are authorized to contract directly with health care providers. No state agency is responsible for oversight, and no state expenditures are required.

Departments Contacted

Public Health and Environment
Regulatory Agencies

Health Care Policy and Financing
Local Affairs