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**SB 20-195**

# FINAL FISCAL NOTE

**Drafting Number:** LLS 20-0495  
**Prime Sponsors:** Sen. Foote  
Rep. Singer

**Date:** September 8, 2020  
**Bill Status:** Postponed Indefinitely  
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**Bill Topic:** **ADOPTIVE PARENTS PAYMENTS TO OUTSIDE PROVIDERS**

**Summary of Fiscal Impact:** **No fiscal impact.** This bill would have allowed adoptive parents to enter into an agreement with a medical provider to pay for medical services that are not covered by the child's Medicaid benefit. This bill would not have affected the revenue or expenditures of any state or local government and was assessed as having no fiscal impact.

**Appropriation Summary:** No appropriation was required.

**Fiscal Note Status:** This fiscal note reflects the introduced bill. This bill was not enacted into law; therefore, the impacts identified in this analysis do not take effect.

## Summary of Legislation

Under current law, Medicaid clients may choose to enter into agreements with providers to pay for services not covered by Medicaid. This bill allows adoptive parents of children from the child welfare system to enter into an agreement with a medical provider to pay for medical services that are not covered by the child's Medicaid benefit.

## Assessment of No Fiscal Impact

Allowing adoptive parents to pay for medical services will not affect state or local revenue and expenditures. Therefore, this bill has been assessed as having no fiscal impact.

## Effective Date

This bill was postponed indefinitely by the Senate Health and Human Services Committee on May 27, 2020.

## State and Local Government Contacts

Child Welfare  
Human Service

Counties  
Judicial

Health Care Policy And Financing

The revenue and expenditure impacts in this fiscal note represent changes from current law under the bill for each fiscal year. For additional information about fiscal notes, please visit: [leg.colorado.gov/fiscalnotes](http://leg.colorado.gov/fiscalnotes).