[DISCUSSION DRAFT]

115TH CONGRESS 2D SESSION H.R.
To amend title XIX of the Social Security Act to provide for an extension of the enhanced FMAP for certain Medicaid health homes for individuals with substance use disorders.
IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
M introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on
A BILL
To amend title XIX of the Social Security Act to provide for an extension of the enhanced FMAP for certain Medicaid health homes for individuals with substance use disorders.
1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-
2 tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,
3 SECTION 1. EXTENSION OF ENHANCED FMAP FOR CERTAIN
4 HEALTH HOMES FOR INDIVIDUALS WITH
5 SUBSTANCE USE DISORDERS.

Section 1945 of the Social Security Act (42 U.S.C.

6

7 1396w-4) is amended—

1	(1) in subsection (c)—
2	(A) in paragraph (1), by inserting "subject
3	to paragraph (4)," after "except that,"; and
4	(B) by adding at the end the following new
5	paragraph:
6	"(4) Special rule relating to substance
7	USE DISORDER HEALTH HOMES.—
8	"(A) IN GENERAL.—In the case of a State
9	with an SUD-focused State plan amendment
10	(as defined in subparagraph (B)) approved by
11	the Secretary on or after October 1, 2018, if
12	the State satisfies the requirement described in
13	subparagraph (C) with respect to such State
14	plan amendment, the Secretary may, at the re-
15	quest of the State, extend the application of the
16	Federal medical assistance percentage described
17	in paragraph (1) to payments for the provision
18	of health home services under such State plan
19	amendment, in addition to the first 8 fiscal year
20	quarters the State plan amendment is in effect,
21	for the subsequent 4 fiscal year quarters that
22	the State plan amendment is in effect. Nothing
23	in this section shall be construed as prohibiting
24	a State with a State plan amendment that is
25	approved under this section and that is not an

1	SUD-focused State plan amendment from addi-
2	tionally having approved on or after such date
3	an SUD-focused State plan amendment under
4	this section, including for purposes of applica-
5	tion of this paragraph.
6	"(B) SUD-FOCUSED STATE PLAN AMEND-
7	MENT.—For purposes of this paragraph, the
8	term 'SUD-focused State plan amendment'
9	means a State plan amendment under this sec-
10	tion that is designed to provide health home
11	services primarily to eligible individuals with
12	chronic conditions who are individuals with sub-
13	stance use disorders.
14	"(C) Outcomes requirements.—For
15	purposes of subparagraph (A), a State satisfies
16	the requirement described in this subparagraph,
17	with respect to an SUD-focused State plan
18	amendment and eligible individuals with chronic
19	conditions provided health home services under
20	such State plan amendment, if the State has
21	demonstrated to the satisfaction of the Sec-
22	retary that such State plan amendment has—
23	"(i) improved the quality of health
24	care provided to such individuals;

1	"(ii) improved access of such individ-
2	uals to health care; and
3	"(iii)(I) reduced the total expenditures
4	of such individuals for health care; or
5	"(II) provided health home services to
6	such individuals with no increase to such
7	total expenditures for such individuals.
8	For purposes of this subparagraph, the
9	Secretary shall specify all applicable meas-
10	ures for determining quality, access, and
11	expenditures and provide guidance on how
12	to measure improvement.
13	"(D) Best practices.—Not later than
14	October 1, 2020, the Secretary shall make pub-
15	licly available on the Internet website of the
16	Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services best
17	practices for designing and implementing an
18	SUD-focused State plan amendment, based on
19	the experiences of States that have State plan
20	amendments approved under this section that
21	include eligible individuals with chronic condi-
22	tions who are individuals with substance use
23	disorders.".