

[DISCUSSION DRAFT]

115TH CONGRESS
2^D 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

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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.**

6 Section 1945 of the Social Security Act (42 U.S.C.
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 approved by the Secretary on or after October
11 1, 2018, the Secretary may, at the request of
12 the State, extend the application of the Federal
13 medical assistance percentage described in
14 paragraph (1) to payments for the provision of
15 health home services to SUD-eligible individuals
16 under such State plan amendment, in addition
17 to the first 8 fiscal year quarters the State plan
18 amendment is in effect, for the [subsequent 4
19 fiscal year quarters] that the State plan
20 amendment is in effect. Nothing in this section
21 shall be construed as prohibiting a State with
22 a State plan amendment that is approved under
23 this section and that is not an SUD-focused
24 State plan amendment from additionally having
25 approved on or after such date an SUD-focused

1 State plan amendment under this section, in-
2 cluding for purposes of application of this para-
3 graph.

4 “(B) REPORT REQUIREMENTS.—In the
5 case of a State with an SUD-focused State plan
6 amendment for which the application of the
7 Federal medical assistance percentage has been
8 extended under subparagraph (A), such State
9 shall, at the end of the period of such State
10 plan amendment, submit to the Secretary a re-
11 port on the following, with respect to SUD-eli-
12 gible individuals provided health home services
13 under such State plan amendment:

14 “(i) The quality of health care pro-
15 vided to such individuals.

16 “(ii) The access of such individuals to
17 health care.

18 “(iii) The total expenditures of such
19 individuals for health care.

20 For purposes of this subparagraph, the
21 Secretary shall specify all applicable meas-
22 ures for determining quality, access, and
23 expenditures.

24 “(C) BEST PRACTICES.—Not later than
25 October 1, 2020, the Secretary shall make pub-

1 likely available on the Internet website of the
2 Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services best
3 practices for designing and implementing an
4 SUD-focused State plan amendment, based on
5 the experiences of States that have State plan
6 amendments approved under this section that
7 include SUD-eligible individuals.

8 “(D) DEFINITIONS.—For purposes of this
9 paragraph:

10 “(i) SUD-ELIGIBLE INDIVIDUALS.—
11 The term ‘SUD-eligible individual’ means,
12 with respect to a State, an individual who
13 satisfies all of the following:

14 “(I) The individual is an eligible
15 individual with chronic conditions.

16 “(II) The individual is an indi-
17 vidual with a substance use disorder.

18 “(III) The individual has not pre-
19 viously received health home services
20 under any other State plan amend-
21 ment approved for the State under
22 this section by the Secretary.

23 “(ii) SUD-FOCUSED STATE PLAN
24 AMENDMENT.—The term ‘SUD-focused
25 State plan amendment’ means a State plan

1 amendment under this section that is de-
2 signed to provide health home services pri-
3 marily to SUD-eligible individuals.”.