

House Study Bill 509 - Introduced

HOUSE FILE _____
BY (PROPOSED COMMITTEE
ON JUDICIARY BILL BY
CHAIRPERSON HOLT)

A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to medical income assistance trust fees.
2 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

1 Section 1. Section 633C.3, subsection 1, paragraph a, Code
2 2024, is amended to read as follows:

3 a. A reasonable amount may be paid or set aside each month
4 for necessary expenses of the trust, not to exceed ~~ten~~ fifty
5 dollars per month without court approval.

6 EXPLANATION

7 The inclusion of this explanation does not constitute agreement with
8 the explanation's substance by the members of the general assembly.

9 This bill relates to medical income assistance trust fees.
10 The bill increases the amount that may be paid or set aside
11 each month for necessary trust expenses without court approval
12 for beneficiaries whose total monthly income is less than 125
13 percent of the average statewide charge for nursing facility
14 services to a private-pay resident of a nursing facility from
15 \$10 to \$50. If a beneficiary's total monthly income is at or
16 above 125 percent of such charge, the limit remains \$10.