

lowacare Medicaid Reform Act House File 841

*As Amended by the Senate
Senate/House Comparison*

Last Action:

Senate Floor

May 4, 2005

Executive Summary Only

An Act relating to health care reform, including provisions relating to the medical assistance program, providing appropriations, providing effective dates, and providing for retroactive applicability.

**Fiscal Services Division
Legislative Services Agency**

NOTES ON BILLS AND AMENDMENTS (NOBA)

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**SENATE/HOUSE COMPARISON
EXECUTIVE SUMMARY OF MAJOR DIFFERENCES**

**HOUSE FILE 841 AS AMENDED BY THE SENATE
IOWACARE MEDICAID REFORM**

Bill Totals	GENERAL FUND			Comment
	Senate	House	Senate vs. House	
Total General Fund appropriations in HF 841:	0	0	0	
	OTHER FUNDS			
	Senate	House	Senate vs. House	Comment
Total Other Fund appropriations in HF 841:	\$72,405,295	\$72,405,295	0	

Major Language Differences:

- **Senate:**
 - Provides that eligibility for the Medicaid expansion population benefits is dependent on the individual not being eligible for the Medical Assistance Program in effect on “or after” April 1, 2005.
 - Adds that the health risk assessment is part of the criteria developed for cultural variations.
 - Adds that a rural health clinic may be a contracted provider for purposes of the individual’s medical examination and personal health improvement plan.
 - Lengthens from 10 days to 20 days, the requirement for providers for the expansion population network to submit claims for services.
 - Strikes the criteria regarding the 300 children served via a mental health waiver for behavioral care services and adds a reference to a possible statutory change related to the same subject.
 - Strikes and replaces language relating to Case Management for the Frail Elderly. Additional consultation with the Department of Elder Affairs is required, the State savings from Case Management are required to be for services and the Substitute Decision-Making Services, if enacted.
 - Requires the Department of Human Services to collaborate with the Department of Public Health regarding the Smoking Cessation Program for the Medical Assistance population.
 - Adds language that the 12 monthly installments used to pay the University of Iowa Hospitals and Clinics, Broadlawns Hospital, and the four Mental Health Institutes are based on the amount specified for each entity.
 - Requires that the Chapter 28E, Code of Iowa, agreements between the Department of Human Services and Broadlawns Hospital, and between the Department and the University of Iowa Hospitals and Clinics include exceptions to the 20-day claim submittal deadline and data reporting requirements.
 - Specifies that the annual transfer of \$34.0 million from Polk County to the lowacare Account may be reduced by an amount dependent upon the federal matching funds requirement.

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- Increases the amount allocated from the \$40.0 million appropriation from the Iowa Care Account to Broadlawns Hospital for the 12-month distribution from \$36.0 million to \$37.0 million of the \$40.0 million.
- Tiers the financial participation and monthly premium cost for the expansion population dependent upon family income. If less than 100.0% of the Federal Poverty Level, the premium would not exceed 1/12 of 2.0% of the member's family income. If greater than 100.0% of the Federal Poverty Level, the premium would be 1/12 of 5.0% of the member's annual family income.
- Requires the Department of Human Services to waive required out-of-pocket expenditures based upon hardship.
- Requires the Department of Human Services to track the out-of-pocket expenditures for patient enrollment and administrative costs and report the findings to the Medical Assistance Projections and Assessment Council.

Summary Data

General Fund

H.F. 841 as amended by the Senate	Actual FY 2004 <u>(1)</u>	Estimated FY 2005 <u>(2)</u>	House Action FY 2006 <u>(3)</u>	Senate Action FY 2006 <u>(4)</u>	Senate Action vs House Act <u>(5)</u>
Education	\$ 27,354,545	\$ 27,284,584	\$ -27,284,584	\$ -27,284,584	\$ 0
Health and Human Services	\$ 43,686,875	\$ 43,882,052	\$ 27,284,584	\$ 27,284,584	\$ 0
Grand Total	<u>\$ 71,041,420</u>	<u>\$ 71,166,636</u>	<u>\$ 0</u>	<u>\$ 0</u>	<u>\$ 0</u>

Education

General Fund

H.F. 841 as amended by the Senate	Actual FY 2004	Estimated FY 2005	House Action FY 2006	Senate Action FY 2006	Senate Action vs House Act
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
<u>Regents, Board of</u>					
Indigent Patient Program: UIHC	\$ 27,354,545	\$ 27,284,584	\$ -27,284,584	\$ -27,284,584	\$ 0
Grand Total	<u>\$ 27,354,545</u>	<u>\$ 27,284,584</u>	<u>\$ -27,284,584</u>	<u>\$ -27,284,584</u>	<u>\$ 0</u>

Health and Human Services

General Fund

H.F. 841 as amended by the Senate	Actual FY 2004	Estimated FY 2005	House Action FY 2006	Senate Action FY 2006	Senate Action vs House Act
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
<u>Human Services, Department of</u>					
Medical Services					
Medicaid Increase			\$ 53,158,795	\$ 53,158,795	\$ 0
MH/MR/DD/BI					
Cherokee MHI	13,226,585	12,986,389	-9,098,425	-9,098,425	0
Clarinda MHI	7,403,022	7,439,591	-1,977,305	-1,977,305	0
Independence MHI	17,153,722	17,324,891	-9,045,894	-9,045,894	0
Mt. Pleasant MHI	5,903,546	6,131,181	-5,752,587	-5,752,587	0
Total MH/MR/DD/BI	43,686,875	43,882,052	-25,874,211	-25,874,211	0
Total Health and Human Services	\$ 43,686,875	\$ 43,882,052	\$ 27,284,584	\$ 27,284,584	\$ 0

Summary Data

Non General Fund

H.F. 841 as amended by the Senate	Actual FY 2004 <u>(1)</u>	Estimated FY 2005 <u>(2)</u>	House Action FY 2006 <u>(3)</u>	Senate Action FY 2006 <u>(4)</u>	Senate Action vs House Act <u>(5)</u>
Health and Human Services	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 72,405,295	\$ 72,405,295	\$ 0
Grand Total	<u>\$ 0</u>	<u>\$ 0</u>	<u>\$ 72,405,295</u>	<u>\$ 72,405,295</u>	<u>\$ 0</u>

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Non General Fund

H.F. 841 as amended by the Senate	Actual FY 2004	Estimated FY 2005	House Action FY 2006	Senate Action FY 2006	Senate Action vs House Act
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
<u>Human Services, Department of</u>					
UIHC Indigent Patient-ICA			\$ 27,284,584	\$ 27,284,584	\$ 0
Broadlawns Hospital-ICA			40,000,000	40,000,000	0
Cherokee MHI-ICA			9,098,425	9,098,425	0
Clarinda MHI-ICA			1,977,305	1,977,305	0
Independence MHI - ICA			9,045,894	9,045,894	0
Mt. Pleasant MHI-ICA			5,752,587	5,752,587	0
Medical Exams - HCTA			136,500	136,500	0
Medical Hotline - HCTA			150,000	150,000	0
Insurance Subsidy - HCTA			150,000	150,000	0
Health Care Account - HCTA			50,000	50,000	0
Elec. Med. Records - HCTA			100,000	100,000	0
Partner Activities - HCTA			550,000	550,000	0
Audits Studies - HCTA			100,000	100,000	0
DHS Administration - HCTA			910,000	910,000	0
Hospital Trust Fund			-22,900,000	-22,900,000	0
Total Health and Human Services	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 72,405,295	\$ 72,405,295	\$ 0