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03/25/2015	1332	Comm report: To pass and re-referred to Finance See SF1458, Art. 11, Sec. 27

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A bill for an act

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relating to human services; modifying medical assistance payments to federally

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qualified health centers and rural health clinics; amending Minnesota Statutes

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2014, section 256B.0625, subdivision 57.

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BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA:

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Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2014, section 256B.0625, subdivision 57, is amended to

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Subd. 57. **Payment for Part B Medicare crossover claims.** (a) Effective for

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services provided on or after January 1, 2012, medical assistance payment for an enrollee's

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cost-sharing associated with Medicare Part B is limited to an amount up to the medical

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assistance total allowed, when the medical assistance rate exceeds the amount paid by

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Medicare.

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(b) Excluded from this limitation are payments for mental health services and

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payments for dialysis services provided to end-stage renal disease patients. The exclusion

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for mental health services does not apply to payments for physician services provided by

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psychiatrists and advanced practice nurses with a specialty in mental health.

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(c) Excluded from this limitation are payments to federally qualified health centers

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and rural health clinics. Medical assistance payments to federally qualified health centers

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and rural health clinics shall equal the difference between the provider rate specified in

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United States Code, title 42, section 1396a(bb), and the amount paid by Medicare.