

Proposal for Legislation – 2023 Legislative Session Fiscal Accountability for HCBS

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1. What is the problem or issue?

MCA 53-6-406 directs providers of state plan, community first choice, and HCBS services for the elderly and physically disabled to submit cost information to the department each year. The provider rate study outcome may require this section to be repealed to comply with the results of the provider rate study.

2. What do you want the legislation to do?

Repeal MCA 53-6-406 if the recommendations for cost reporting from the provider rate study indicate a need for a different method of collection.

3. If possible, please list the MCA (Montana Code Annotated) sections that would need to be amended.

MCA 53-6-406.

4. If the proposed change requires additional funding, what funding sources do you propose?

No

5. Has similar legislation been requested in the past, been introduced in another state, or provided as a model act? If so, please provide a citation, reference, or point of contact.

No.