



# HOUSE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

## FISCAL NOTE

HOUSE BILL NO. 1439

PRINTERS NO. 3629

PRIME SPONSOR: Kaufer

### COST / (SAVINGS)

FUND	FY 2019/20	FY 2020/21
General Fund	\$0	\$0

#### SUMMARY:

House Bill 1439 amends Title 40 (Insurance) concerning mental health parity and access to addiction treatment. It would take effect immediately.

#### ANALYSIS:

House Bill 1439 adds a new chapter to Title 40 (Insurance) concerning mental health parity and access to addiction treatment. It requires insurers in the Commonwealth to annually file with the Insurance Department a statement attesting to the insurer's documented analyses of efforts to comply with federal laws and regulations relating to mental health and substance use disorder parity, or to attest that the laws and regulations are not applicable to their insurance products.

#### FISCAL IMPACT:

Enactment of this legislation will have no adverse impact on Commonwealth funds.

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*Estimates are calculated using the best information available. Actual costs and revenue impact incurred may vary from estimates.*