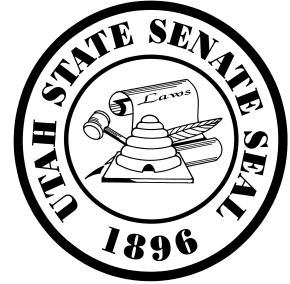




**Performance Note**  
**HB0302 - Utah Medicaid**  
**Amendments**  
Sponsor: Rep. Ward, Raymond P.



Performance Note Report

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Serving a New or Larger Population

Public Benefit:

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**Purpose:** Pay for health care provided to adults aged 19-64 with incomes at or below 138% of the federal poverty level. Keep families together on the same plan. Many of these adults are currently uninsured.

**Services:** Medical care provided in an inpatient and outpatient hospital setting, care provided by physicians or other medical professionals, pharmaceutical products and other medical services.

**Expected Outcome:** By FY2018, it is expected that 98,000 newly eligible adults will become eligible for traditional Medicaid, Employer-sponsored insurance, or premium subsidies in order to purchase an insurance plan through the insurance marketplace. An additional 31,000 children will receive health insurance by enrolling in their parent's plan. This coverage will reduce uncompensated care.

**Implementations and Resources:** UDOH will add these newly eligible adults to the Medicaid program. Medicaid eligibility determination and case management will be handled by DWS through eREP. Medically frail determinations will be made by UDOH, likely using a standard health questionnaire. Claims payment will be made through MMIS (and then PRISM when it is implemented).

**How:** When DWS accepts and approves applications, newly eligible adults will be enrolled in Medicaid. When UDOH pays claims, medical providers will receive reimbursement for services provided to newly eligible adults. When medical providers are reimbursed for services that previously had been provided as uncompensated care, uncompensated care will be reduced.

Performance Measures

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Goal

Title: Newly eligible adults ages 19-64 enrolled in the new program

Description: Newly eligible adults ages 19-64 enrolled in the new program

Collection Method: New category of aid codes will be created for the newly eligible adults. Managers will be able to count the number of adults in the new aid codes.

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