

Fiscal Note S.B. 155 1st Sub. (Green) 2021 General Session 988 Mental Health Crisis Assistance by Thatcher, D. (Thatcher, Daniel.)



General, Education, and Uniform School Funds			JR4-4-101
	Ongoing	One-time	Total
Net GF/EF/USF (revexp.)	\$(15,903,100)	\$8,932,700	\$(6,970,400)

State Government			UCA 36-12-13(2)(c)
Revenues	FY 2021	FY 2022	FY 2023
Federal Funds	\$0	\$3,324,600	\$3,324,600
Federal Funds, One-time	\$0	\$(3,315,600)	\$(2,194,500)
Expendable Receipts	\$0	\$0	\$394,800
New Account Created By Bill (FN Only)	\$0	\$6,947,200	\$12,091,200
Total Revenues	\$0	\$6,956,200	\$13,616,100

Enactment of this legislation could increase revenue related to the statewide mental health crisis line as follows beginning in FY 2022, assuming a 175% increase in call volume and 40% of clients being Medicaid-eligible by FY 2026: Department of Health: \$3,324,600 ongoing and (\$3,315,600) one-time from federal funds and \$1,161,600 ongoing and (\$1,161,600) one-time from expendable receipts. This legislation could transfer \$15,903,100 ongoing and (\$8,955,900) one-time from the General Fund to the Statewide Behavioral Health Crisis Response Account beginning in FY 2022.

Expenditures	FY 2021	FY 2022	FY 2023
General Fund	\$0	\$15,903,100	\$15,903,100
General Fund, One-time	\$4,640	\$(8,937,340)	\$(3,811,900)
Federal Funds	\$0	\$3,324,600	\$3,324,600
Federal Funds, One-time	\$0	\$(3,315,600)	\$(2,194,500)
Expendable Receipts	\$0	\$0	\$394,800
Transfers	\$0	\$6,820,800	\$13,033,200
New Account Created By Bill (FN Only)	\$0	\$6,947,200	\$12,091,200
Total Expenditures	\$4,640	\$20,742,760	\$38,740,500

Enactment of this legislation could increase expenditures related to the statewide mental health crisis line as follows beginning in FY 2022, assuming a 175% increase in call volume and 40% of clients being Medicaid-eligible by FY 2026: Department of Health: \$3,324,600 ongoing and (\$3,315,600) one-time from federal funds, \$1,161,600 ongoing and (\$1,161,600) one-time from expendable receipts, and \$1,000 one-time from transfers; Division of Substance Abuse and Mental Health: \$15,903,100 ongoing and (\$8,955,900) one-time from the Statewide Behavioral Health Crisis Response Account; and

Huntsman Mental Health Institute at the University of Utah: \$18,915,900 ongoing and (\$12,096,100) one-time from transfers. This legislation could transfer \$15,903,100 ongoing and (\$8,955,900) one-time from the General Fund to the Statewide Behavioral Health Crisis Response Account beginning in FY 2022. This legislation also creates the 988 Mental Health Crisis Assistance Task Force, which could have the following costs: \$1,600 in FY 2021 and \$6,400 in FY 2022 for both the Senate and House of Representatives for legislative members of the task force and \$1,440 in FY 2021 and \$5,760 in FY 2022 for the Department of Human Services to staff the task force and provide per diem and travel reimbursements to task force members who are not government employees, all one-time from the General Fund. Costs associated with the task force are appropriated in the legislation.

	FY 2021	FY 2022	FY 2023
Net All Funds	\$(4,640)	\$(13,786,560)	\$(25,124,400)

Local Government

Enactment of this legislation likely will not result in direct, measurable costs for local governments.

Individuals & Businesses

Enactment of this legislation likely will not result in direct expenditures from tax or fee changes for Utah residents and businesses.

Regulatory Impact

Enactment of this legislation likely will not change the regulatory burden for Utah residents or businesses.

Performance Note

No performance note required for this bill

Notes on Notes

Fiscal notes estimate the direct costs or revenues of enacting a bill. The Legislature uses them to balance the budget. They do not measure a bill's benefits or non-fiscal impacts like opportunity costs, wait times, or inconvenience. A fiscal note is not an appropriation. The Legislature decides appropriations separately.

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