



**Fiscal Note**  
**S.B. 126**

2023 General Session  
Hospital Assessment Amendments - As Amended  
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**General, Income Tax, and Uniform School Funds**

JR4-4-101

	Ongoing	One-time	Total
Net GF/ITF/USF (rev.-exp.)	\$ (211,300)	\$ 0	\$ (211,300)

**State Government**

UCA 36-12-13(2)(c)

Revenues	FY 2023	FY 2024	FY 2025
Federal Funds	\$ 0	\$ 221,211,300	\$ 221,211,300
Federal Funds, One-time	\$ 0	\$ 2,014,000	\$ 0
Hospital Provider Assessment	\$ 0	\$ 54,986,000	\$ 57,000,000
<b>Total Revenues</b>	<b>\$ 0</b>	<b>\$ 278,211,300</b>	<b>\$ 278,211,300</b>

Enactment of this legislation may increase revenues to the Hospital Provider Assessment Fund by \$54,986,000 in FY 2024 and \$57,000,000 ongoing in FY 2025 as well as more federal funds of \$223,225,300 in FY 2024 and \$221,211,300 ongoing in FY 2025.

Expenditures	FY 2023	FY 2024	FY 2025
General Fund	\$ 0	\$ 211,300	\$ 211,300
Federal Funds	\$ 0	\$ 221,211,300	\$ 221,211,300
Federal Funds, One-time	\$ 0	\$ 2,014,000	\$ 0
Restricted Accounts (FN Only)	\$ 0	\$ 54,986,000	\$ 57,000,000
<b>Total Expenditures</b>	<b>\$ 0</b>	<b>\$ 278,422,600</b>	<b>\$ 278,422,600</b>

Enactment of this legislation may increase expenditures from the General Fund by \$211,300 General Fund ongoing in FY 2024, Hospital Provider Assessment Fund by \$54,986,000 in FY 2024, and \$57,000,000 ongoing in FY 2025 as well as federal funds of \$223,225,300 in FY 2024 and \$221,211,300 ongoing in FY 2025 to increase Medicaid hospital reimbursement for inpatient and outpatient services and to hire two staff to improve quality strategies.

	FY 2023	FY 2024	FY 2025
<b>Net All Funds</b>	<b>\$ 0</b>	<b>\$ (211,300)</b>	<b>\$ (211,300)</b>

**Local Government**

UCA 36-12-13(2)(c)

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

**Individuals & Businesses**

UCA 36-12-13(2)(c)

Certain privately-owned hospitals would pay more hospital assessments, generating one-time revenues of around \$54,986,000 in FY 2024 and ongoing revenues of around \$57,000,000 beginning in FY 2025.

**Regulatory Impact**

UCA 36-12-13(2)(d)

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

**Performance Evaluation**

JR1-4-601

This bill does not create a new program or significantly expand an existing program.

**Notes on Notes**

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