

**JBC STAFF FISCAL ANALYSIS  
HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE**

CONCERNING THE ALLOCATION OF MONEY THE STATE RECEIVED FROM THE FEDERAL CORONAVIRUS RELIEF FUND FOR BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SERVICES.

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**Appropriation Items of Note**

**Appropriation Already Added to Bill, No Amendment in Packet**

**General Fund Impact**

**Fiscal Impact of Bill as Amended to Date**

The most recent Legislative Council Staff Revised Fiscal Note (attached) reflects the fiscal impact of the bill as of 06/06/20.

<b>XXX</b>	<b>No Change:</b> Attached LCS Fiscal Note accurately reflects the fiscal impact of the bill
	<b>Update:</b> Fiscal impact has changed due to <i>new information or technical issues</i>
	<b>Update:</b> Fiscal impact has changed due to <i>amendment adopted</i> after LCS Fiscal Note was prepared
	<b>Non-Concurrence:</b> JBC Staff and Legislative Council Staff disagree about the fiscal impact of the bill

**Amendments in This Packet for Consideration by Appropriations Committee**

<b>Amendment</b>	<b>Description</b>
None.	

**Current Appropriations Clause in Bill**

The bill includes an appropriation clause that appropriates \$15.2 million from the CARES Act subfund in the General Fund for FY 2019-20 as follows:

- \$13.1 million for the Department of Human Services,
- \$1.4 million for the Department of Public Health and Environment,
- \$600,000 for the Department of Higher Education, and
- \$120,000 for the Department of Law.

The bill adds provisions specifying that funds unexpended prior to July 1, 2020 are further appropriated through December 30, 2020.

**Points to Consider**

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*Other Considerations*

The bill appropriates CARES Act funds through December 30, 2020. If programs and services initiated by CARES Act funds continue beyond December 30, 2020, General Fund would be required to cover the ongoing costs.