Legislative Analysis



SUSPENSION OF MEDICAID PROVIDER FOR ABORTION-RELATED ACTIVITIES

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SUMMARY:

House Bill 6011 would amend the Social Welfare Act to require the director of the Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS) to indefinitely suspend a provider from the Medicaid program when the director learns that the provider performs or assists in performing *abortions*.

Abortion would mean the intentional use of an instrument, drug, or other substance or device to terminate a woman's pregnancy for a purpose other than to increase the probability of a live birth, to preserve the life or health of the child after live birth, or to remove a fetus that has died as a result of natural causes, accidental trauma, or a criminal assault on the pregnant woman. Abortion would not include the use or prescription of a drug or device intended as a contraceptive.

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FISCAL IMPACT:

A fiscal analysis is in progress.

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