

LFC Requester:

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AGENCY BILL ANALYSIS - 2026 REGULAR SESSION

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[AgencyAnalysis.nmlegis.gov](https://www.legis.nm.gov/AgencyAnalysis) and email to billanalysis@dfa.nm.gov*(Analysis must be uploaded as a PDF)***SECTION I: GENERAL INFORMATION***{Indicate if analysis is on an original bill, amendment, substitute or a correction of a previous bill}*Date Prepared: 1/26/26

Check all that apply:

Bill Number: SB101Original Correction Amendment Substitute Sponsor: Liz Stefanics

Agency Name

and Code

770- NMCDShort Health Care Delivery & Access

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Appropriation		Recurring or Nonrecurring	Fund Affected
FY26	FY27		

REVENUE (dollars in thousands)

Estimated Revenue			Recurring or Nonrecurring	Fund Affected
FY26	FY27	FY28		

(Parenthesis () indicate revenue decreases)

ESTIMATED ADDITIONAL OPERATING BUDGET IMPACT (dollars in thousands)

	FY26	FY27	FY28	3 Year Total Cost	Recurring or Nonrecurring	Fund Affected
Total	0	0	0	0	N/A	N/A

(Parenthesis () Indicate Expenditure Decreases)

Duplicates/Conflicts with/Companion to/Relates to:

Duplicates/Relates to Appropriation in the General Appropriation Act

SECTION III: NARRATIVE

BILL SUMMARY

Synopsis: Senate Bill 101 nullifies the cancellation of the Health Care Delivery and Access Act (the “Act”) set for July 1, 2030, thereby leaving the provisions of the Act in place after that date. The Act supports access to care in rural New Mexico by establishing a Medicaid Directed Payment Program; it provides long-term financial stability and access to hospitals statewide.

FISCAL IMPLICATIONS

Repealing the end date of the Health Care Delivery and Access Act would not have a direct fiscal impact on the Department.

The bill would however help maintain a stronger hospital system statewide, which could potentially make it easier for NMCD to obtain outside medical care for inmates when needed.

SIGNIFICANT ISSUES

None

PERFORMANCE IMPLICATIONS

None

ADMINISTRATIVE IMPLICATIONS

None

CONFLICT, DUPLICATION, COMPANIONSHIP, RELATIONSHIP

None

TECHNICAL ISSUES

None

OTHER SUBSTANTIVE ISSUES

None

ALTERNATIVES

None

WHAT WILL BE THE CONSEQUENCES OF NOT ENACTING THIS BILL

None

AMENDMENTS

None