

Fiscal Note

State of Alaska
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Identifier: SB091-DCCED-CBPL-03-17-23
 Title: TELEHEALTH: MULTIDISCIPLINARY CARE TEAM
 Sponsor: CLAMAN
 Requester: (S) Health & Social Services

Department: Department of Commerce, Community and Economic Development
 Appropriation: Corporations, Business and Professional Licensing
 Allocation: Corporations, Business and Professional Licensing
 OMB Component Number: 2360

Expenditures/Revenues

Note: Amounts do not include inflation unless otherwise noted below. (Thousands of Dollars)

	FY2024	Included in	Out-Year Cost Estimates				
	Appropriation Requested	Governor's FY2024 Request	FY 2025	FY 2026	FY 2027	FY 2028	FY 2029
OPERATING EXPENDITURES	FY 2024	FY 2024	FY 2025	FY 2026	FY 2027	FY 2028	FY 2029
Personal Services	114.3		114.3	114.3	114.3	114.3	114.3
Travel	10.0		10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0
Services	25.0		25.0	25.0	25.0	25.0	25.0
Commodities	10.0						
Capital Outlay							
Grants & Benefits							
Miscellaneous							
Total Operating	159.3	0.0	149.3	149.3	149.3	149.3	149.3

Fund Source (Operating Only)

1004 Gen Fund (UGF)	159.3		149.3	149.3	149.3	149.3	149.3
Total	159.3	0.0	149.3	149.3	149.3	149.3	149.3

Positions

Full-time	1.0		1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0
Part-time							
Temporary							

Change in Revenues

None							
Total	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Estimated SUPPLEMENTAL (FY2023) cost: 0.0 *(separate supplemental appropriation required)*

Estimated CAPITAL (FY2024) cost: 0.0 *(separate capital appropriation required)*

Does the bill create or modify a new fund or account? No
(Supplemental/Capital/New Fund - discuss reasons and fund source(s) in analysis section)

ASSOCIATED REGULATIONS

Does the bill direct, or will the bill result in, regulation changes adopted by your agency? No
 If yes, by what date are the regulations to be adopted, amended or repealed? N/A

Why this fiscal note differs from previous version/comments:

Not applicable, initial version.

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Agency:	Commerce, Community, and Economic Development		

FISCAL NOTE ANALYSIS

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Analysis

This legislation would expand the telehealth provisions allowed to out-of-state physicians under AS 08.02.130 to apply to members of the out-of-state physician’s multidisciplinary care team so that those members can also provide telehealth services to Alaska patients under the circumstances listed in that section without obtaining an Alaska license. While the out-of-state physician is subject to disciplinary action by the State Medical Board, as current written, all members of the team would be subject to disciplinary action by the Department of Commerce, Community, and Economic Development. The bill creates new sections that provide the grounds for disciplinary sanctions against these team members and what those disciplinary sanctions can be.

If this legislation passes one full-time regular Investigator 3 will be required to take on investigations of complaints on unlicensed multidisciplinary care team members.

Personal Services:	FY2024 and beyond: \$114.3 for one PFT Investigator 3 (R18)
Travel:	FY2024 and beyond: \$10.0 training and investigative travel
Services:	FY2024 and beyond: \$25.0 for core services charges for PFT Investigator 3
Commodities:	FY2024 only: \$10.0 for one-time set up costs for PFT Investigator 3

Investigative costs are funded by General Fund (fund source 1004 Gen Fund (UGF)).