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AN ACT

Relating to reports and audits concerning health care facilities; and providing for an effective date.

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2 date.

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4 * Section 1. AS 47.07.070 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:

5 (g) In determining a rate of payment to a health facility under this section, the
6 department may consider audit and inspection results and reports relating to the
7 facility.

8 * Sec. 2. AS 47.07.071 is amended to read:

9 **Sec. 47.07.071. Reports by health facilities.** After [NOT LATER THAN 120
10 DAYS AFTER] the end of each fiscal year of a health facility, the facility shall submit
11 to the department a report on the facility's financial performance during the fiscal year.

12 **The commissioner shall, by regulation, establish the date by which this financial**
13 **report is due.**

14 * Sec. 3. AS 47.07.074 is amended to read:

Chapter 95

1 **Sec. 47.07.074. Audits and inspections.** As a condition of obtaining payment
2 under AS 47.07.070, a health facility shall allow

3 (1) the department and the commission reasonable access to the
4 financial records of medical assistance beneficiaries; and

5 (2) audit and inspection of financial records by state and federal
6 agencies [TO THE EXTENT REQUIRED BY FEDERAL LAW].

7 * **Sec. 4.** AS 47.07.074 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:

8 (b) The department may establish the scope and timing of audits under this
9 chapter. The department may provide that audits will be conducted less frequently
10 than annually.

11 * **Sec. 5.** This Act takes effect immediately under AS 01.10.070(c).