S **SENATE BILL 567**

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Sponsors:	Senators Meyer, Adcock, and Batch (Primary Sponsors).
Referred to:	Rules and Operations of the Senate

Medicaid SUD Services Rate Adjustment Act.

March 26, 2025

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT TO ESTABLISH AND ADJUST MEDICAID REIMBURSEMENT RATES FOR SUBSTANCE USE DISORDER SERVICES.

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

SECTION 1. The Department of Health and Human Services, Division of Health Benefits, shall make all of the following adjustments to the Medicaid Program:

- Increase rates paid for ASAM level 2.1 substance use intensive outpatient program services to two hundred fifty-five dollars and twenty-eight cents (\$255.28) per diem.
- Increase the rates paid for ASAM level 2.5 substance use comprehensive (2) outpatient treatment program services to four hundred dollars (\$400.00) per diem.
- (3) Establish coverage for ASAM level 3.1 clinically managed low-intensity Residential Treatment services. A rate of three hundred fifty dollars (\$350.00) per diem shall be paid for these services.
- Establish coverage for ASAM level 3.3 clinically managed high-intensity (4) treatment services. A rate of two hundred fifty dollars (\$250.00) per diem shall be paid for these services.
- Establish coverage for ASAM level 3.5 clinically managed residential (5) treatment services. A rate of five hundred fifty dollars (\$550.00) per diem shall be paid for these services.
- Increase the rates paid for ASAM level 3.7 substance use medically monitored (6) community residential treatment services to six hundred fifty dollars (\$650.00) per diem.
- Increase the rates paid for ASAM level 3.7 non-hospital medical (7) detoxification services to seven hundred fifty-six dollars and sixty-five cents (\$756.65) per diem.

SECTION 2. There is appropriated from the General Fund to the Department of Health and Human Services, Division of Health Benefits, the sum of fifteen million dollars (\$15,000,000) in recurring funds for each year of the 2025-2027 fiscal biennium to be used to effectuate the rate changes under this act. These funds shall provide a State match for twenty-seven million four hundred thousand dollars (\$27,400,000) in recurring federal funds for each year of the 2025-2027 fiscal biennium, and those funds are appropriated to the Division of Health Benefits for the same purpose.

SECTION 3. This act is effective July 1, 2025.



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