

Agencies affected: KDHE - Health

**SGF add and Health Care Access Improvement Fund deletion to reflect the Hospital Provider Assessment rate remaining at 1.83 percent**

Add \$65.0 million, including \$29.3 million from the State General Fund, in FY 2019 due to legislation to increase the Hospital Provider Assessment as included in the Governor's recommendation not being considered as of March 21, 2017.

Delete \$163.5 million, including \$73.5 million from the Health Care Access Improvement Fund, in FY 2019 due to legislation to increase the Hospital Provider Assessment as included in the Governor's recommendation not being considered as of March 21, 2017.

The following expenditures from the Governor's recommendation are included:

- \$19.8 million, including \$9.0 million from the State General Fund, to restore the 4.0 percent reduction on Medicaid services to hospitals; and
- \$45.2 million, including \$20.3 million from the State General Fund, for other Medicaid expenditures.

The following expenditures from the Governor's recommendation are excluded:

- \$25.0 million, including \$11.2 million from the State General Fund, for rural hospitals; and
- \$73.5 million, including \$33.0 million from the State General Fund, for enhanced funding for hospitals due to the 4.65 percent assessment rate.