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H. R. 2509

To amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide incentives for behavioral health integration.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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Ms. MALLIOTAKIS (for herself, Mrs. FLETCHER, Mr. PFLUGER, Mr. HORSFORD, Mr. CAREY, and Mr. SUOZZI) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Ways and Means, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned

A BILL

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Connecting Our Med-
5 ical Providers with Links to Expand Tailored and Effec-
6 tive Care” or the “COMPLETE Care Act”.

1 **SEC. 2. MEDICARE INCENTIVES FOR BEHAVIORAL HEALTH**
2 **INTEGRATION WITH PRIMARY CARE.**

3 (a) INCENTIVES.—

4 (1) IN GENERAL.—Section 1848(b) of the So-
5 cial Security Act (42 U.S.C. 1395w-4(b)) is amend-
6 ed by adding at the end the following new para-
7 graph:

8 “(13) INCENTIVES FOR BEHAVIORAL HEALTH
9 INTEGRATION.—

10 “(A) IN GENERAL.—For services described
11 in subparagraph (B) that are furnished during
12 2027, 2028, or 2029, instead of the payment
13 amount that would otherwise be determined
14 under this section for such year, the payment
15 amount shall be equal to the applicable percent
16 (as defined in subparagraph (C)) of such pay-
17 ment amount for such year.

18 “(B) SERVICES DESCRIBED.—The services
19 described in this subparagraph are services
20 identified, as of January 1, 2024, by HCPCS
21 codes 99484, 99492, 99493, 99494, G2214,
22 and G0323 (and any successor or similar codes
23 as determined appropriate by the Secretary).

24 “(C) APPLICABLE PERCENT.—In this
25 paragraph, the term ‘applicable percent’ means,

1 with respect to a service described in subpara-
2 graph (A), the following:

3 “(i) For services furnished during
4 2027, 175 percent.

5 “(ii) For services furnished during
6 2028, 150 percent.

7 “(iii) For services furnished during
8 2029, 125 percent.”.

9 (2) WAIVER OF BUDGET NEUTRALITY.—Section
10 1848(e)(2)(B)(iv) of such Act (42 U.S.C. 1395w-
11 4(c)(2)(B)(iv)) is amended—

12 (A) in subclause (V), by striking “and” at
13 the end;

14 (B) in subclause (VI), by striking the pe-
15 riod at the end and inserting “; and” and

16 (C) by adding at the end the following new
17 subclause:

18 “(VII) the increase in payment
19 amounts as a result of the application
20 of subsection (b)(13) shall not be
21 taken into account in applying clause
22 (ii)(II) for 2027, 2028, or 2029.”.

23 (b) TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE FOR THE ADOPTION OF
24 BEHAVIORAL HEALTH INTEGRATION.—

1 (1) IN GENERAL.—Not later than January 1,
2 2026, the Secretary of Health and Human Services
3 (in this subsection referred to as the “Secretary”)
4 shall enter into contracts or agreements with appro-
5 priate entities to offer technical assistance to pri-
6 mary care practices that are seeking to adopt behav-
7 ioral health integration models in such practices.

8 (2) BEHAVIORAL HEALTH INTEGRATION MOD-
9 ELS.—For purposes of paragraph (1), behavioral
10 health integration models include the Collaborative
11 Care Model (with services identified as of January
12 1, 2024, by HCPCS codes 99492, 99493, 99494,
13 and G2214 (and any successor codes)), the Primary
14 Care Behavioral Health model (with services identi-
15 fied as of January 1, 2024, by HCPCS codes 99484
16 and G0323 (and any successor code)), and other
17 models identified by the Secretary.

18 (3) IMPLEMENTATION.—Notwithstanding any
19 other provision of law, the Secretary may implement
20 the provisions of this subsection by program instruc-
21 tion or otherwise.

22 (4) FUNDING.—In addition to amounts other-
23 wise available, there is appropriated to the Secretary
24 for each of fiscal years 2025 through 2029, out of
25 any money in the Treasury not otherwise appro-

1 priated, such sums as are necessary, to remain avail-
2 able until expended, for purposes of carrying out
3 this subsection.

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