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Dear Mr. Clerk,

Pursuant to Line Item 4513-1020 of Chapter 47 of the Acts of 2017, please find enclosed the Early Intervention program report with updates from the third quarter of FY18. This report contains information on services by unit type for DPH, and expenditures by payer including DPH, third party insurers, and MassHealth.

The Massachusetts Early Intervention Program has been recognized as a national leader for many years for its service delivery and financing model. These reports demonstrate the breadth of service delivery and payment responsibility for infants and toddlers with special needs.

Sincerely,

Monica Bharel, MD, MPH Commissioner Department of Public Health Karyn Polito Lieutenant Governor



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Early Intervention Program

Service Units and Expenditures Report for Q3 of FY18

June 2018



Legislative Mandate

The following report is hereby issued pursuant to Line Item 4513-1020 of Chapter 47 of the Acts of 2017 as follows:

4513-1020.. For the early intervention program; provided, that the department shall report quarterly to the house and senate committees on ways and means on the total number of units of service purchased and the total expenditures for the units of service paid by the department, the executive office of health and human services and third party payers for early intervention services for the following service categories: home visit, center-based individual, child-focused group, parent-focused group and screening and assessment[...]

Summary

This report summarizes data from Q3 of FY18 for the Early Intervention (EI) Program, as well as cumulative FY18 data. More specifically, the report identifies the total number of services delivered to clients sorted by the respective payer for each service category. Additionally, this report notes the total expenditures for each of the respective payers based on the service type.