

HOUSE RESEARCH

Bill Summary

FILE NUMBER: H.F. 1830
Version: As introduced

DATE: April 6, 2009

Authors: Huntley

Subject: Metropolitan Area Hospital Rates

Analyst: Randall Chun, (651) 296-8639

This publication can be made available in alternative formats upon request. Please call 651-296-6753 (voice); or the Minnesota State Relay Service at 1-800-627-3529 (TTY) for assistance. Summaries are also available on our website at: www.house.mn/hrd.

Section

- 1 Metropolitan area payment adjustment after June 30, 2009.** Amends § 256.969, by adding subd. 28. Requires the commissioner to pay hospitals located within the seven-county metropolitan area for MA and GAMC fee-for-service inpatient admissions after June 30, 2009, for 13 specified diagnosis-related groups, at the lower of:
- (1) the hospital's current payment rate for the diagnostic category, excluding DSH and other payment adjustments; or
 - (2) 90 percent of the average payment rate for that diagnostic category for hospitals located within the seven-county metropolitan area, excluding DSH and other payment adjustments.