

FISCAL NOTE
Requested by Legislative Council
01/20/2015

Bill/Resolution No.: HB 1396

- 1 A. **State fiscal effect:** *Identify the state fiscal effect and the fiscal effect on agency appropriations compared to funding levels and appropriations anticipated under current law.*

	2013-2015 Biennium		2015-2017 Biennium		2017-2019 Biennium	
	General Fund	Other Funds	General Fund	Other Funds	General Fund	Other Funds
Revenues						
Expenditures						
Appropriations						

- 1 B. **County, city, school district and township fiscal effect:** *Identify the fiscal effect on the appropriate political subdivision.*

	2013-2015 Biennium	2015-2017 Biennium	2017-2019 Biennium
Counties			
Cities			
School Districts			
Townships			

- 2 A. **Bill and fiscal impact summary:** *Provide a brief summary of the measure, including description of the provisions having fiscal impact (limited to 300 characters).*

The Bill creates a new section to chapter 23-01 of the NDCC relating to student loan repayment grants for specific health professionals. It also increases the maximum loan repayment amt provided to physicians, increases their service requirement from 2 yrs to 5 yrs, & reduces the community match.

- B. **Fiscal impact sections:** *Identify and provide a brief description of the sections of the measure which have fiscal impact. Include any assumptions and comments relevant to the analysis.*

Section 1 provides for a new section of NDCC relating to student loan repayment grants at amount not to exceed \$10,000 over a 36 month period for numerous health professionals. However, the bill does not include funding for any specific number of applicants. Therefore until funding is included for the new program or the number of applicants to be funded each biennium is defined, the new language does not have a fiscal impact.

Section 2 amends NDCC relating to the current physician loan repayment program to increase the amount of loan repayment from \$45,000 to \$100,000 and changes the community match from an amount that equals the loan to 25% of the loan repayment granted by the State. The changes also include extending the service requirement for physicians from the current 2 years to 5 years. The number of applicants selected is dependent upon the availability of funding. Therefore, these changes do not have a fiscal impact.

3. **State fiscal effect detail:** *For information shown under state fiscal effect in 1A, please:*

- A. **Revenues:** *Explain the revenue amounts. Provide detail, when appropriate, for each revenue type and fund affected and any amounts included in the executive budget.*

- B. **Expenditures:** *Explain the expenditure amounts. Provide detail, when appropriate, for each agency, line item, and fund affected and the number of FTE positions affected.*
- C. **Appropriations:** *Explain the appropriation amounts. Provide detail, when appropriate, for each agency and fund affected. Explain the relationship between the amounts shown for expenditures and appropriations. Indicate whether the appropriation or a part of the appropriation is included in the executive budget or relates to a continuing appropriation.*

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