

Non-emergency medical transportation (NEMT) supplemental FY24 funding

Sec. C.____ SUPPLEMENTAL NON-EMERGENCY MEDICAID

TRANSPORTATION FUNDING

(a) The sum of \$1,201,000 in Global Commitment funds is appropriated to the Department of Vermont Health Access in fiscal year 2024 as supplemental funding for non-emergency medical transportation services to address the urgent financial needs of the Department’s contracted non-emergency medical transportation service providers.

(1) The sum of \$560,000 is appropriated from the General Fund to the Agency of Human Services, Global Commitment appropriation in fiscal year 2024 for the State match for the supplemental non-emergency medical transportation funding.

(2) The sum of \$641,000 in federal funds is appropriated to the Agency of Human Services, Global Commitment appropriation in fiscal year 2024 for the supplemental non-emergency medical transportation funding.

(b) The Department of Vermont Health Access shall report on its new payment methodology for non-emergency medical transportation and the estimated costs of providing non-emergency medical transportation to Medicaid beneficiaries in fiscal year 2026 under that methodology as part of the Department’s fiscal year 2025 budget adjustment presentation.