

- (a) The sum of \$333,000,000 is appropriated from the Coronavirus Relief Fund to the Agency of Human Services in fiscal year 2021 to be disbursed through a needs-based application process as grants to health care providers consistent with federal guidance by December 30, 2020 for necessary expenditures incurred and fiscal impacts of business disruption due to or as a result of the COVID-19 public health emergency between March 1, 2020 and December 30, 2020, including:
- (1) payroll expenses for health care employees whose services are substantially dedicated to mitigating or responding to the COVID-19 public health emergency. Mitigation activities include suspension of services;
 - (2) additional pay for employees at risk of exposure to COVID-19
 - (3) training programs to respond or mitigate the COVID-19 health emergency; including training programs for employees furloughed due to public health emergency;
 - (4) increased workers' compensation costs;
 - (5) costs, including construction and equipment costs, of increasing COVID-19 treatment capacity or improving mitigation measures;
 - (6) costs of maintaining facility to mitigate or respond to COVID-19, including costs incurred while suspending services;
 - (7) costs of providing COVID-19 services, including testing;
 - (8) expenses for acquisition and distribution of medical and protective supplies, including sanitizing products and personal protective equipment;
 - (9) expenses for disinfection of facilities and
 - (10) fiscal impacts of business disruption for Medicaid, Medicare, commercial and private payers
- (b) The program shall not cover expenditures for which a provider has already received reimbursement from state or federal funds. Reimbursement does not include advance payments or other loans.