

I am in favor of H.B. No. 318. In December of 2020, through Healthcare.gov, it was indicated I should apply for Medicaid for my health insurance and was also told there would be no cost associated with Medicaid. There was no mention of Estate Recovery in any of the documentation that was sent to me or by anyone I talked to initially. A few days later, I was talking to Bob Weldon and he made me aware of Estate Recovery with Medicaid. I immediately called the Medicaid Hotline and was told there would be no cost associated with having Medicaid. I again talked to Bob Weldon, and he read me the section of the Ohio Revised Code that dealt with Medicaid Estate Recovery. So I again called the Medicaid Hotline and was again told there would be no cost associated with having Medicaid. I then read them the section of the Ohio Revised Code that Bob had shown me and only then did they conclude that I was correct and my estate could be responsible for repayment of the cost associated with having Medicaid. I immediately told them I wanted to cancel Medicaid but was told they would not be able to cancel for one month. As a result, my estate has a pending Medicaid Estate Recovery bill of \$2,581.26 (see attached). I had Medicaid for less than one month, never once used it, and was never told that my estate could be held responsible for the bill.

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Recipient ID	Record Type	Name First Current	Name Middle Init Current	Name Last Current	ICN	Claim Type Ohio	Billing Provider Name	Billing Provider Medicaid ID
910001840833	MCP Capitation	SCOTT	A	ZOLLINGER	~	~Missing		
Total								

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Service Date MMDDYYYY	Paid Date MMDDYYYY	Capitation Month	Capitation Reason	Net Payment	Capitation Amount
12/01/2020	01/07/2021	202012	Payment - Retro (Not Curr Mth)		\$1,296.18
01/01/2021	01/07/2021	202101	Payment - Normal Cap/Delivery		\$1,285.08
					\$2,581.26

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