

AN ACT

1 Amending the act of June 13, 1967 (P.L.31, No.21), entitled "An
2 act to consolidate, editorially revise, and codify the public
3 welfare laws of the Commonwealth," in public assistance,
4 further providing for other medical assistance payments.

5 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
6 hereby enacts as follows:

7 Section 1. Section 443.3 of the act of June 13, 1967
8 (P.L.31, No.21), known as the Public Welfare Code, is amended by
9 adding a subsection to read:

10 Section 443.3. Other Medical Assistance Payments.--* * *

11 (b.1) The department may not authorize a medical assistance
12 payment on behalf of a recipient, including a payment made under
13 a capitation plan, if any portion of the payment is used to
14 provide the recipient an incentive to participate in regular
15 preventive care services, whether the incentive is in the form
16 of a gift card or is provided through any similar mechanism used
17 to convey medical assistance benefits.

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1 Section 2. This act shall take effect in 60 days.