

KENOSHA COUNTY

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

RESOLUTION NO. _____

Subject: Resolution asking Governor Evers and the Wisconsin State Legislature to apply for a waiver from Federal rules excluding institutional stays from Medicaid coverage.			
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Submitted By: Andy Berg, Supervisor			
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Prepared By:		Signature:	

WHEREAS, federal rules exclude patients age 22-64 years of age from Medicaid coverage in an Institute for Mental Disease (IMD), resulting in high costs to Wisconsin counties for individuals with mental illness who require short-term placement; and

WHEREAS, the IMD rule works against the provision of necessary health care treatment, and path to recovery, for young and middle-aged adults with brain disorders; and

WHEREAS, the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) has issued an invitation to states to apply for a waiver of this exclusion, allowing states to receive federal reimbursement for the cost of treatment in an IMD;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Kenosha County Board of Supervisors does hereby urge the Governor and Legislature to submit an application for a waiver from CMS of the Medicaid IMD exclusion to allow federal reimbursement of short term acute care and transition planning for persons with serious and persistent mental illness; and

FURTHER that the Kenosha County Clerk is instructed to send a copy of this resolution to Governor Evers, Kenosha County's legislators in the Assembly and Senate and to Wisconsin's County Board Chairs.

Dated at Kenosha County, Wisconsin, this ____ day of _____, 2019

LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE:

	<u>Aye</u>	<u>Nay</u>	<u>Abstain</u>	<u>Excused</u>
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Gabe Nudo, Chair	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Andy Berg, Vice Chair	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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John Franco	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Daniel Gaschke	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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HUMAN SERVICES COMMITTEE:

	<u>Aye</u>	<u>Nay</u>	<u>Abstain</u>	<u>Excused</u>
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