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Fiscal Note & Local Impact Statement

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Primary Sponsors: Reps. Liston and Patton

Local Impact Statement Procedure Required: No

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The bill will have little to no fiscal effect on the state or its political subdivisions. The bill requires health insurance issued by health plan issuers to provide reimbursement for telehealth services remitted during a state of emergency declared by the Governor of Ohio or the President of the United States. In order for the reimbursement to be required, the services provided must be services currently covered by the plan, and the provider must determine that provision of the services is in the interest of public health. The fiscal note assumes that telehealth services generally replace services that would have been provided by more conventional means.