

115TH CONGRESS
2D SESSION

S. 2921

To amend title XIX of the Social Security Act to help ensure coverage of inpatient treatment services furnished in institutions for mental disease.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

MAY 22, 2018

Mr. HELLER (for himself, Mr. MENENDEZ, Mr. GRASSLEY, Mrs. MCCASKILL, Mr. CORNYN, and Mr. CARPER) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance

A BILL

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Securing Flexibility
5 to Treat Substance Use Disorders Act”.

1 **SEC. 2. PAYMENTS TO PROVIDE COVERAGE OF INPATIENT**
2 **TREATMENT SERVICES FURNISHED IN INSTI-**
3 **TUTIONS FOR MENTAL DISEASE.**

4 Section 1903(m) of the Social Security Act (42
5 U.S.C. 1396b(m)) is amended by adding at the end the
6 following new paragraph:

7 “(7) Payment shall be made under this title to a
8 State for expenditures included in the development of capi-
9 tation payments for treatment described in section
10 438.6(e) of title 42, Code of Federal Regulations (or any
11 successor regulation) that is provided to an individual de-
12 scribed in such section in a facility described in such sec-
13 tion.”.

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