

**SENATE  
STATE OF MINNESOTA  
EIGHTY-NINTH SESSION**

**S.F. No. 966**

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1.1 A bill for an act  
 1.2 relating to human services; modifying medical assistance payment rates for  
 1.3 certain health services and therapies; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota  
 1.4 Statutes, chapter 256B.

1.5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA:

1.6 Section 1. **[256B.7621] REIMBURSEMENT FOR CERTAIN HEALTH**  
 1.7 **SERVICES AND THERAPIES.**

1.8 Effective for services provided on or after July 1, 2015, payment rates under this  
 1.9 chapter for managed care and fee-for-service visits for the following services and therapies  
 1.10 shall be as listed:

- 1.11 (1) skilled nurse, \$157 per visit;
- 1.12 (2) physical therapy, \$172 per visit;
- 1.13 (3) occupational therapy, \$157 per visit; and
- 1.14 (4) speech therapy, \$161 per visit.

1.15 The commissioner shall adjust managed care and county-based purchasing capitation rates  
 1.16 to reflect the payment rates under this section.