

HB 819 -- Department of Health and Senior Services Funds

Sponsor: Schaaf

This bill creates in the state treasury the Department of Health and Senior Services Administrative and Cost Allocation Fund and the Department of Health and Senior Services Disaster Fund. The bill:

(1) Specifies that the administrative and cost allocation fund will receive funding by appropriations, deposits, and moneys transferred or paid to the department in return for goods and services provided;

(2) Specifies that the disaster fund will be used during a state of emergency at the direction of the Governor to furnish immediate aid and relief;

(3) Allows the State Treasurer to serve as custodian and the department director to serve as administrator over these funds;

(4) Specifies that moneys in these funds will not lapse to general revenue at the end of the biennium, and all interest earned will be deposited into the fund; and

(5) Allows any interest earned on the Missouri Public Health Services Fund to accrue to the fund.