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Medicaid Expansion

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Dear Members of the MIRC Commission,

There should be an expansion for the Medicaid patient and other patients that may be assisted by State Funding. However, there should be some limits set for people that receive these funding. I think there should be a limit as to how many time a patient can go the emergency room in a single day. There are some patients that will leave on facility and go to another because they were not happy with the first facilities diagnosis. This should not happen and there should be no penalty of non-payment to either of the facilities because the patient was seen in good faith. There should be no 5-day return rule or penalty because this cost the facilities money. We should search for ways in which both the hospitals and the patient can benefit from dollars that are spent in a much smarter way.

Sincerely,

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