1	SENATE BILL 212
2	53rd legislature - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - SECOND SESSION, 2018
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10	AN ACT
11	RELATING TO HEALTH; REQUIRING THE SECRETARY OF HUMAN SERVICES
12	TO ALLOW LICENSED SUBSTANCE ABUSE ASSOCIATES TO BE REIMBURSED
13	FOR CERTAIN SERVICES PROVIDED TO MEDICAL ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS;
14	MAKING AN APPROPRIATION.
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16	BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:
17	SECTION 1. [<u>NEW MATERIAL</u>] LICENSED SUBSTANCE ABUSE
18	ASSOCIATESMEDICAL ASSISTANCEREIMBURSEMENT FOR SERVICES
19	The secretary of human services shall adopt and promulgate
20	rules to allow a substance abuse associate licensed in
21	accordance with the Counseling and Therapy Practice Act to be
22	reimbursed for the following services provided to medical
23	assistance recipients within the licensed substance abuse
24	associate's scope of practice:
25	A. providing interventions directly to individuals,

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2 Β. employing practice theory and research findings; providing screening, assessment, consultation, 3 C. development of treatment plans, case management, counseling, 4 referral, appraisal, crisis intervention, education, reporting 5 or recordkeeping pertaining specifically to alcohol and drug 6 7 abuse counseling; providing generalist services in the role of 8 D. 9 educator, assistant or mediator; taking a social history; and 10 Ε. conducting a home study. F. 11 12 SECTION 2. APPROPRIATION. -- Fifty thousand dollars 13 (\$50,000) is appropriated from the general fund to the human 14 services department for expenditure in fiscal year 2019 to fund administrative and medical assistance program expenses relating 15 16 to the implementation of the provisions of Section 1 of this act. Any unexpended or unencumbered balance remaining at the 17 end of fiscal year 2019 shall revert to the general fund. 18 19 - 2 -20 21 22 23 24 25 .209969.1

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