

HOUSE BILL NO. 5457

January 15, 2026, Introduced by Reps. Schmaltz, Wozniak, Schuette, Hoadley, Green, Linting, Robinson, Woolford, Pavlov, Thompson, Outman, BeGole, Roth, Beson, Frisbie, Bohnak, Markkanen, Paquette, Kunse, Xiong, McKinney, Rigas, Cavitt, Harris, Johnsen and Greene and referred to Committee on Families and Veterans.

A bill to create a hyperbaric oxygen therapy fund; and to provide for the administration of and distributions from the fund.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 Sec. 1. This act may be cited as the "hyperbaric oxygen
2 therapy fund act".

3 Sec. 2. As used in this act:

4 (a) "Department" means the department of health and human
5 services.

6 (b) "Fund" means the hyperbaric oxygen therapy fund created in
7 section 3.

1 (c) "Grant program" means the hyperbaric oxygen therapy grant
2 program created in section 3 of the hyperbaric oxygen therapy pilot
3 program act.

4 (d) "Pilot program" means the hyperbaric oxygen therapy pilot
5 program established under section 5 of the hyperbaric oxygen
6 therapy pilot program act.

7 Sec. 3. (1) The hyperbaric oxygen therapy fund is created in
8 the state treasury.

9 (2) The state treasurer shall deposit money and other assets
10 received from any source in the fund. The state treasurer shall
11 direct the investment of money in the fund and credit interest and
12 earnings from the investments to the fund.

13 (3) The department is the administrator of the fund for audits
14 of the fund.

15 (4) The department shall expend money from the fund on
16 appropriation, only for 1 or more of the following purposes:

17 (a) Providing grants under the grant program.

18 (b) Establishing and operating the pilot program.

19 (5) After the pilot program ends, the hyperbaric oxygen
20 therapy fund must be closed and any money remaining in the fund
21 lapses to the general fund.

22 Enacting section 1. This act does not take effect unless House
23 Bill No. 5456 (request no. H00115'25) of the 103rd Legislature is
24 enacted into law.