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Senate Bill 557 (as reported without amendment)  
Sponsor: Senator Tonya Schuitmaker  
Committee: Judiciary

**CONTENT**

The bill would amend the Mental Health Code to prohibit the Department of Community Health from preventing a community mental health services program (CMHSP) from using State General Fund/General Purpose dollars to provide mental health services to county jail inmates, if the CMHSP and the county or county sheriff had an agreement that the CMHSP would provide such services.

Proposed MCL 300.1207b

Legislative Analyst: Patrick Affholter

**FISCAL IMPACT**

The bill would allow for the redirection of resources by CMHSPs to provide mental health services to jail inmates. There would be no direct fiscal impact on State or local government.

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