

May 22-23, 2019

ITEM 183-2702-R0519

Request for authorization to increase the Health Services mandatory fee; Montana State University Billings

THAT

The Board of Regents of the Montana University System authorizes Montana State University Billings, in accordance with Board of Regents Policy 940.12.1, to increase the health services mandatory fee as supported by the student government.

EXPLANATION

Student Health Services offers primary care, wellness exams, sports medicine, basic lab tests, educational programs, counseling, among other services through the health services fee or at a low cost. The on-campus health services provide the best opportunity for timely intervention with contagious illnesses and other public health concerns. Student Health Services staff members specialize in working with college students and provide services from a preventive and educational approach. Staff are involved with local, regional, and national organizations and affiliations, which helps ensure currency with best practices for college health.

Recent cost increases associated with contracted medical providers requires an increase in the current semester fee amount. The following presents the requested increase in the fee.

Current Fee	Proposed AY20	\$ Increase	% Increase	Proposed FY21	\$ Increase	% Increase
\$ 80.75	\$ 96.00	\$ 15.25	18.9%	\$ 102.00	\$6.00	6.3%

ATTACHMENTS

- Attachment #1 – Proposed Mandatory Fee Schedule
- Attachment #2 – ASMSUB Fee Increase Resolution