§ 108A-146.12. Postpartum coverage component.

(a) The postpartum coverage component is twelve million five hundred thousand dollars (\$12,500,000) for each quarter of the 2021-2022 State fiscal year.

(b) For each quarter of the 2022-2023 State fiscal year prior to the State fiscal quarter in which G.S. 108A-54.3A(24) becomes effective, the postpartum coverage component is eleven million four thousand four hundred twenty-four dollars (\$11,004,424). For any quarter of the 2022-2023 State fiscal year in which G.S. 108A-54.3A(24) becomes or is effective, the postpartum coverage component is four million five hundred thousand dollars (\$4,500,000).

(c) For each quarter of the 2023-2024 State fiscal year prior to the State fiscal quarter in which G.S. 108A-54.3A(24) becomes effective, the postpartum coverage component is eleven million four thousand four hundred twenty-four dollars (\$11,004,424) increased by the Medicare Economic Index. For any quarter of the 2023-2024 State fiscal year in which G.S. 108A-54.3A(24) becomes or is effective, the postpartum coverage component is four million five hundred thousand dollars (\$4,500,000).

(d) For each quarter of the 2024-2025 State fiscal year, the postpartum coverage component is four million five hundred thousand dollars (\$4,500,000) increased by the Medicare Economic Index.

- (e) Reserved for future codification purposes.
- (f) Reserved for future codification purposes.
- (g) Reserved for future codification purposes.
- (h) Reserved for future codification purposes.

(i) For each State fiscal year after the 2025-2026 fiscal year, the postpartum coverage component shall be increased over the prior year's quarterly amount by the Medicare Economic Index. (2021-180, s. 9D.13A(c); 2022-74, s. 9D.10(a); 2023-7, s. 1.7(k).)