

**REPORT TO THE LEGISLATURE**  
**Pursuant to P.A. 64 of 2019**  
**Section 812(2)**  
**Medicaid Utilization Report – 1<sup>st</sup> Quarter**

**Section 812(2):** The department shall provide the senate and house appropriations subcommittees on corrections, the senate and house fiscal agencies, the legislative corrections ombudsman, and the state budget office with quarterly updates on the utilization of Medicaid benefits for prisoners.

**Medicaid Applications for Prisoners**

A total of 1,894 Medicaid applications were approved from October 1 through December 31, 2019. This is a decrease in applications from last quarter's total of 2,456. A breakdown of the status regarding the cases is listed in the table below.

<b>Month</b>	<b>Total Applications Received</b>	<b>Applications Approved</b>	<b>Pending Review</b>	<b>Denied</b>
October 2019	893	707	19	7
November 2019	724	513	8	6
December 2019	898	674	22	7
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,515</b>	<b>1,894</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>20</b>