
SENATE BILL No. 318

DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

Citations Affected: IC 12-15.

Synopsis: Medicaid maximum allowable cost update timing. Allows the office of Medicaid policy and planning to implement a change in the office's maximum allowable cost schedule for prescription drugs seven days after the office posts the changes on the office's Internet web site. (Current law requires 45 days before the change may be effective).

Effective: July 1, 2007.

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January 11, 2007, read first time and referred to Committee on Health and Provider Services.

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First Regular Session 115th General Assembly (2007)

PRINTING CODE. Amendments: Whenever an existing statute (or a section of the Indiana Constitution) is being amended, the text of the existing provision will appear in this style type, additions will appear in **this style type**, and deletions will appear in ~~this style type~~.

Additions: Whenever a new statutory provision is being enacted (or a new constitutional provision adopted), the text of the new provision will appear in **this style type**. Also, the word **NEW** will appear in that style type in the introductory clause of each SECTION that adds a new provision to the Indiana Code or the Indiana Constitution.

Conflict reconciliation: Text in a statute in *this style type* or ~~this style type~~ reconciles conflicts between statutes enacted by the 2006 Regular Session of the General Assembly.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning Medicaid.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

1 SECTION 1. IC 12-15-13-6 IS AMENDED TO READ AS
2 FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2007]: Sec. 6. (a) **Except as**
3 **provided by IC 12-15-35-50**, a notice or bulletin that is issued by:

4 (1) the office;
5 (2) a contractor of the office; or
6 (3) a managed care plan under the office;
7 concerning a change to the Medicaid program that does not require use
8 of the rulemaking process under IC 4-22-2 may not become effective
9 until forty-five (45) days after the date the notice or bulletin is mailed
10 to the parties affected by the notice or bulletin.

11 (b) The office must mail a notice or bulletin described in subsection
12 (a) within five (5) business days after the date on the notice or bulletin.

13 SECTION 2. IC 12-15-35-50 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA
14 CODE AS A **NEW** SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS
15 [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2007]: **Sec. 50. (a) IC 12-15-13-6 does not**
16 **apply to this section.**

17 (b) **The office shall maintain an Internet web site and post on**



1 the web site any changes concerning the office's maximum
2 allowable cost schedule for drugs.

3 (c) A change in the office's maximum allowable cost schedule for
4 drugs may not take effect less than seven (7) days after the change
5 is posted on the office's Internet web site.

6 (d) The office is not required to mail a notice to providers
7 concerning a change in the office's maximum allowable cost
8 schedule for drugs.

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