



H.B. 490

126th General Assembly
(As Introduced)

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BILL SUMMARY

- Requires a health insuring corporation to retroactively cover basic health care services provided to enrollees by a provider who is seeking to enter into a participation contract with that health insuring corporation.

CONTENT AND OPERATION

Retroactive coverage of basic health care services

The bill requires a health insuring corporation to retroactively cover basic health care services provided to enrollees by a provider seeking to enter into a participation contract with the health insuring corporation. If the health insuring corporation and provider enter into a participation contract, the health insuring corporation is required to cover services provided between the time when the provider applied to contract with the health insuring corporation and the time when the provider and health insuring corporation entered into the participation contract. (R.C. 1753.17.)

Under existing law, "basic health care services" means all of the following when medically necessary: physician's services except when those services are supplemental, inpatient hospital services, outpatient medical services, emergency health services, urgent care services, diagnostic laboratory services, diagnostic and therapeutic radiologic services, and preventive care services. "Enrollee" means any natural person who is entitled to receive health care benefits provided by a health insuring corporation. (R.C. 1751.01.)

HISTORY

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