

HOUSE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE REPORT

Chairman of Committee

March 16, 2017
Date

Committee on Health, Insurance, & Environment.

After consideration on the merits, the Committee recommends the following:

SB17-065 be amended as follows, and as so amended, be referred to the Committee of the Whole with favorable recommendation:

- 1 Amend reengrossed bill, page 2, strike line 18 and substitute "NURSING
2 CARE FACILITY, ASSISTED LIVING RESIDENCE, OR HOME CARE AGENCY."
- 3 Page 3, line 4, after "TREATMENT." add "THE HEALTH CARE PRICE FOR A
4 SPECIFIC HEALTH CARE SERVICE MAY BE DETERMINED FROM ANY OF THE
5 FOLLOWING:
6 (I) THE PRICE CHARGED MOST FREQUENTLY FOR THE HEALTH CARE
7 SERVICE DURING THE PREVIOUS TWELVE MONTHS;
8 (II) THE HIGHEST CHARGE FROM THE LOWEST HALF OF ALL
9 CHARGES FOR THE HEALTH CARE SERVICE DURING THE PREVIOUS TWELVE
10 MONTHS; OR
11 (III) A RANGE THAT INCLUDES THE MIDDLE FIFTY PERCENT OF ALL
12 CHARGES FOR THE HEALTH CARE SERVICE DURING THE PREVIOUS TWELVE
13 MONTHS."
- 14 Page 3, strike line 11 and substitute "SERVICES OR A MEDICAL GROUP,
15 INDEPENDENT PRACTICE ASSOCIATION, OR PROFESSIONAL CORPORATION
16 PROVIDING HEALTH CARE SERVICES."
- 17 Page 4, line 18, strike "A" and substitute "EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN
18 SUBSECTION (1)(a)(II) OR (1)(a)(III) OF THIS SECTION, A".
- 19 Page 4, line 20, after "OR" insert "BY POSTING CONSPICUOUSLY".

1 Page 4, after line 27 insert:

2 "(II) A HEALTH CARE PROVIDER PRACTICING IN A SOLO PRACTICE
3 OR IN A MEDICAL GROUP, INDEPENDENT PRACTICE ASSOCIATION, OR
4 PROFESSIONAL CORPORATION COMPRISED OF NOT MORE THAN SIX
5 INDIVIDUAL HEALTH CARE PROVIDERS WITH THE SAME LICENSE TYPE MAY
6 COMPLY WITH THE REQUIREMENTS OF THIS SECTION BY MAKING THE
7 HEALTHCARE PRICES DESCRIBED IN SUBSECTION (1)(a)(I) OF THIS SECTION
8 AVAILABLE IN PATIENT WAITING AREAS."

9 Renumber succeeding subparagraph accordingly.

10 Page 5, line 5, strike "POSTS," and substitute "MAKES AVAILABLE TO THE
11 PUBLIC, IN A SINGLE DOCUMENT,".

12 Page 5, line 6, after "OR" insert "BY POSTING CONSPICUOUSLY".

13 Page 6, line 15, after "OR" insert "BY POSTING CONSPICUOUSLY".

14 Page 8, line 16, strike "25-3-112." and substitute "25-3-112, OR FOR
15 APPLICATIONS FOR HEALTH CARE PROFESSIONAL LOAN REPAYMENT
16 SUBMITTED PURSUANT TO SECTION 25-1.5-503.".

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