

HOUSE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE AMENDMENT

Committee on Health & Human Services.

HB26-1069 be amended as follows:

1 Amend printed bill, page 3, line 17, after "(19)(e)(I)" insert "and
2 (19)(e)(II) introductory portion; and **add** (19)(1.5)".

3 Page 3, line 26, before "AMBULANCE" insert "AN".

4 Page 3, line 27, strike "COMMUNITY INTEGRATED HEALTH-CARE" and
5 substitute "AN AGENCY PROVIDING OUT-OF-HOSPITAL SERVICES".

6 Page 4, line 1, strike "SERVICE AGENCY, AS DEFINED IN SECTION
7 25-3.5-1301 (1.5)".

8 Page 4, line 9, strike "OR".

9 Page 4, strike lines 10 through 19 and substitute:

10 "(C) THE GROUND TRANSPORTATION OF A COVERED PERSON TO AN
11 APPROPRIATE LOCATION OTHER THAN A HOSPITAL OR AN AGENCY
12 PROVIDING OUT-OF-HOSPITAL SERVICES, IF THE DESTINATION IS A CRISIS
13 STABILIZATION UNIT AND THE PATIENT MEETS CLINICALLY VALIDATED
14 CRITERIA APPROVED BY THE EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICE PROVIDER'S
15 MEDICAL DIRECTOR AND THE STATE BOARD OF HEALTH FOR DIVERSION TO
16 THE SELECTED ALTERNATIVE DESTINATION. THE EMERGENCY MEDICAL
17 SERVICE PROVIDER SHALL BILL THE CARRIER FOR TRANSPORTATION OF THE
18 COVERED PERSON AT THE BASIC LIFE SUPPORT RATE; OR

19 (D) THE EXAMINATION AND TREATMENT OF A COVERED PERSON AT
20 THE SCENE OF A MEDICAL EMERGENCY OR DURING TRANSPORT FROM THE
21 SCENE OF A MEDICAL EMERGENCY BY AN AMBULANCE SERVICE, AS
22 DEFINED IN SECTION 25-3.5-103 (3), OR AN AGENCY PROVIDING
23 OUT-OF-HOSPITAL SERVICES.

24 (II) For a covered person ~~who~~ THAT is provided services described
25 in ~~subsections (19)(e)(I)(A) and (19)(e)(I)(B)~~ SUBSECTION (19)(e)(I) of
26 this section with respect to an emergency medical condition, unless each
27 of the conditions in subsection (19)(e)(III) of this section are met, the
28 term "emergency services" includes services that are:

29 (1.5) (I) "OUT-OF-HOSPITAL SERVICES" MEANS FURNISHING ANY
30 NECESSARY GOODS AND SERVICES OUTSIDE OF A HOSPITAL SETTING FOR
31 THE PURPOSE OF PREVENTING, ALLEVIATING, CURING, OR HEALING HUMAN
32 ILLNESS, A PHYSICAL DISABILITY, A PHYSICAL INJURY, OR A SUBSTANCE
33 USE DISORDER WHILE RESPONDING TO AN EMERGENCY OR OTHER
34 HEALTH-CARE CONDITION.

35 (II) "OUT-OF-HOSPITAL SERVICES" DOES NOT INCLUDE
36 PREHOSPITAL SETTING TRANSPORTS."

** ** ** ** **