

HOUSE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE REPORT

Chairman of Committee

March 22, 2016
Date

Committee on Public Health Care & Human Services.

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

HB16-1326 be amended as follows, and as so amended, be referred to the Committee of the Whole with favorable recommendation:

1 Amend printed bill, page 3, after line 17 insert:

2 "(d) DISCLOSURE TO A CARRIER'S POLICYHOLDERS AND PROVIDERS
3 OF THE SCOPE OF COVERAGE AND COST-SHARING RESPONSIBILITIES FOR
4 COMPLEX DECONGESTIVE THERAPY AS A COVERED PHYSICAL
5 REHABILITATION SERVICE, INCLUDING FITTING FOR, REPLACEMENT OF, AND
6 COVERAGE COSTS OF COMPRESSION BANDAGES, SLEEVES, OR OTHER
7 GARMENTS; EXERCISES; MANUAL LYMPHATIC DRAINAGE; AND OTHER
8 THERAPIES;"

9 Reletter succeeding paragraphs accordingly.

10 Page 3, strike lines 20 through 23 and substitute "LICENSED IN THE SAME
11 HEALTH FIELD AS THE REQUESTING PROVIDER AND WHOSE LICENSE IS IN
12 GOOD STANDING;"

13 Page 3, line 26, strike "DAYS" and substitute "DAYS; AND".

14 Page 3, after line 26 insert:

15 "(g) A REQUIREMENT THAT THERE IS A MECHANISM IN PLACE
16 WHERE THE HEALTH CARE PROVIDER WHO PROVIDES THE PHYSICAL
17 REHABILITATION SERVICES COMMUNICATES TO THE PRESCRIBING HEALTH
18 CARE PROVIDER THE SERVICES THAT ARE ACTUALLY PROVIDED TO THE

- 1 POLICYHOLDER."
2 Page 4, strike lines 2 through 4.
3 Reletter succeeding paragraphs accordingly.
4 Page 4, line 7, after "NETWORK;" add "OR".
5 Page 4, strike lines 9 through 24 and substitute:

6 "EVALUATION AND MANAGEMENT FOR THE INITIAL VISIT.

7 (3) THE CARRIER DESCRIBED IN SUBSECTION (1) OF THIS SECTION
8 SHALL NOT COMPENSATE AN INTERMEDIARY WHO HAS A CONTRACT IN
9 ACCORDANCE WITH SUBSECTIONS (1) AND (2) OF THIS SECTION BASED ON
10 THE INTERMEDIARY'S DETERMINATIONS FOR SERVICES PROVIDED TO A
11 POLICYHOLDER.

12 (4) THE COMMISSIONER MAY ENFORCE THE REQUIREMENTS OF THIS
13 SECTION BY ADOPTING RULES AS AUTHORIZED BY SECTION 10-1-109 AND
14 BY EXERCISING ALL OTHER POWERS CONFERRED UPON THE COMMISSIONER
15 UNDER THIS ARTICLE.

16 (5) FOR THE PURPOSES OF THIS SECTION, "PHYSICAL
17 REHABILITATION SERVICES" HAS THE SAME MEANING AS SET FORTH IN
18 SECTION 10-16-142."

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