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**HOUSE BILL 22-1325**

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**A BILL FOR AN ACT**

101 **CONCERNING ALTERNATIVE PAYMENT MODELS FOR PRIMARY CARE**  
102 **SERVICES, AND, IN CONNECTION THEREWITH, MAKING AN**  
103 **APPROPRIATION.**

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**Bill Summary**

*(Note: This summary applies to this bill as introduced and does not reflect any amendments that may be subsequently adopted. If this bill passes third reading in the house of introduction, a bill summary that applies to the reengrossed version of this bill will be available at <http://leg.colorado.gov>.)*

The bill requires the division of insurance (division) to collaborate with the department of health care policy and financing, the department of personnel, and the primary care payment reform collaborative to develop and promulgate rules for alternative payment model parameters for primary care in the commercial health insurance market.

Shading denotes HOUSE amendment. Double underlining denotes SENATE amendment.  
*Capital letters or bold & italic numbers indicate new material to be added to existing statute.*  
*Dashes through the words indicate deletions from existing statute.*

HOUSE  
Amended 2nd Reading  
April 22, 2022

For health-care plans that are issued or renewed on or after January 1, 2025, the bill requires each carrier to ensure that the carrier's alternative payment models for primary care incorporate the aligned alternative payment model parameters created by the division.

The division is also required to develop and periodically update a set of core competencies around whole-person care delivery that primary care providers must meet in order to be eligible to receive practice support provided by the division and other value-based payments provided by a carrier. In updating the core competencies, the division shall consider recommendations provided by the primary care payment reform collaborative.

Once the division has 5 years of data, the division is required to analyze the data, produce a report on the data, and present the findings to the general assembly during the department of regulatory agencies' presentation to legislative committees at hearings held pursuant to the "State Measurement for Accountable, Responsive, and Transparent (SMART) Government Act".

With regard to the primary care payment reform collaborative (collaborative), the bill:

- Requires the collaborative to annually review the alternative payment models developed by the division and provide the division with recommendations on the models;
- Requires the collaborative to provide the division with recommendations on the core competencies developed by the division; and
- Adjusts the date on which the collaborative must deliver its annual reports.

With regard to the all-payer health claims database, the bill:

- Requires the administrator to include in the primary care spending report data related to the aligned quality measure set determined by the division; and
- Adjusts the date on which the annual reports are due.

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1 *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Colorado:*

2 **SECTION 1.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, **add** 10-16-155 as  
3 follows:

4 **10-16-155. Alternative payment model parameters -**  
5 **parameters to include an aligned quality measure set - primary care**  
6 **providers - requirement for carriers to submit alternative payment**  
7 **models to the division - legislative declaration - report - rules -**

1 **definitions. (1) Legislative declaration.** THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
2 HEREBY FINDS AND DECLARES THAT:

3 (a) FEE-FOR-SERVICE HEALTH-CARE PAYMENT MODELS HAVE LONG  
4 BEEN CRITICIZED FOR INCENTIVIZING A HIGHER VOLUME OF HEALTH-CARE  
5 SERVICES RATHER THAN A GREATER VALUE, PERPETUATING HEALTH  
6 DISPARITIES BY FAILING TO MEET THE NEEDS OF PATIENTS WITH THE  
7 HIGHEST BARRIERS TO CARE;

8 (b) UNDERINVESTMENT IN PRIMARY CARE HAS CREATED BARRIERS  
9 TO ACCESS THAT HAVE DETERRED PATIENTS FROM SEEKING TIMELY  
10 PREVENTATIVE CARE AND MADE IT MORE DIFFICULT FOR PROVIDERS TO  
11 EXPAND TEAM-BASED, COMPREHENSIVE CARE MODELS THAT IMPROVE  
12 HEALTH OUTCOMES AND REDUCE DOWNSTREAM COSTS;

13 (c) NUMEROUS EFFORTS HAVE BEEN MADE TO MOVE OUR  
14 HEALTH-CARE SYSTEM FROM A FEE-FOR-SERVICE MODEL TO A  
15 VALUE-BASED PAYMENT MODEL, INCLUDING COMPREHENSIVE PRIMARY  
16 CARE PLUS, PATIENT-CENTERED MEDICAL HOMES, THE STATE INNOVATION  
17 MODEL, THE MULTI-PAYER COLLABORATIVE, THE HEALTH-CARE PAYMENT  
18 LEARNING AND ACTION NETWORK, AND THE PRIMARY CARE PAYMENT  
19 REFORM COLLABORATIVE;

20 (d) VALUE-BASED PAYMENT MODELS ALSO HAVE NOT ALWAYS  
21 RECOGNIZED THE UNIQUE NATURE OF PEDIATRICS, WHICH REQUIRES  
22 APPROACHES THAT REFLECT SPECIFIC NEEDS IN PEDIATRIC POPULATIONS;

23 (e) COLORADO IS PART OF THE CENTERS FOR MEDICARE AND  
24 MEDICAID INNOVATION'S STATE TRANSFORMATION COLLABORATIVE  
25 PROJECT, WHICH CREATES AN OPPORTUNITY FOR ALIGNMENT BETWEEN  
26 MEDICARE, MEDICAID, AND COMMERCIAL INSURANCE PLANS;

27 (f) BY ESTABLISHING ALIGNED PARAMETERS FOR PRIMARY CARE

1 ALTERNATIVE PAYMENT MODELS, INCLUDING QUALITY METRICS AND  
2 PROSPECTIVE PAYMENTS, IT IS THE INTENT OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO:

3 (I) IMPROVE HEALTH-CARE QUALITY AND OUTCOMES IN A MANNER  
4 THAT REDUCES HEALTH DISPARITIES AND ACTIVELY ADVANCES HEALTH  
5 EQUITY;

6 (II) INCREASE THE NUMBER OF COLORADANS WHO RECEIVE THE  
7 RIGHT CARE IN THE RIGHT PLACE AT THE RIGHT TIME AT AN AFFORDABLE  
8 COST;

9 (III) ENCOURAGE MORE PRIMARY CARE PRACTICES TO PARTICIPATE  
10 IN ALTERNATIVE PAYMENT MODELS; PROVIDE CONSISTENT EXPECTATIONS;  
11 REDUCE ADMINISTRATIVE BURDENS; AND HELP SMALL, RURAL, AND  
12 INDEPENDENT PRACTICES STAY INDEPENDENT;

13 (IV) SUPPORT COLLABORATION BETWEEN PHYSICAL AND  
14 BEHAVIORAL HEALTH-CARE SERVICES AND LOCAL PUBLIC HEALTH  
15 AGENCIES AND HUMAN SERVICES DEPARTMENTS TO IMPROVE POPULATION  
16 HEALTH; AND

17 (V) FACILITATE PRACTICE TRANSFORMATION TOWARD  
18 INTEGRATED, WHOLE-PERSON CARE, SO PRACTICES CAN COORDINATE CARE  
19 AND ADDRESS SOCIAL DETERMINANTS OF HEALTH SUCH AS HOUSING  
20 STABILITY, SOCIAL SUPPORT, AND FOOD INSECURITY.

21 (2) AS USED IN THIS SECTION:

22 (a) "ALIGNED QUALITY MEASURE SET" MEANS ANY SET OF  
23 NATIONALLY RECOGNIZED, EVIDENCE-BASED QUALITY MEASURES  
24 DEVELOPED FOR PRIMARY CARE PROVIDER CONTRACTS THAT  
25 INCORPORATE QUALITY MEASURES INTO THE PAYMENT TERMS.

26 (b) "ALTERNATIVE PAYMENT MODEL" MEANS A HEALTH-CARE  
27 PAYMENT METHOD THAT USES FINANCIAL INCENTIVES, INCLUDING

1 SHARED-RISK PAYMENTS, POPULATION-BASED PAYMENTS, AND OTHER  
2 PAYMENT MECHANISMS, TO REWARD PROVIDERS FOR DELIVERING  
3 HIGH-QUALITY AND HIGH-VALUE CARE.

4 (c) "PRIMARY CARE" OR "PRIMARY CARE SERVICES" MEANS THE  
5 PROVISION OF INTEGRATED, EQUITABLE, AND ACCESSIBLE HEALTH-CARE  
6 SERVICES BY CLINICIANS WHO ARE ACCOUNTABLE FOR ADDRESSING A  
7 LARGE MAJORITY OF PERSONAL HEALTH-CARE NEEDS, DEVELOPING A  
8 SUSTAINED PARTNERSHIP WITH PATIENTS, AND PRACTICING IN THE  
9 CONTEXT OF FAMILY AND COMMUNITY.

10 (d) "PRIMARY CARE PAYMENT REFORM COLLABORATIVE" MEANS  
11 THE PRIMARY CARE PAYMENT REFORM COLLABORATIVE CONVENED  
12 PURSUANT TO SECTION 10-16-150.

13 (e) "PRIMARY CARE PROVIDER" OR "PROVIDER" MEANS THE  
14 FOLLOWING PROVIDERS, WHEN THE PROVIDER IS PRACTICING GENERAL  
15 PRIMARY CARE IN AN OUTPATIENT SETTING:

16 (I) FAMILY MEDICINE PHYSICIANS;

17 (II) GENERAL PEDIATRIC PHYSICIANS AND ADOLESCENT MEDICINE  
18 PHYSICIANS;

19 (III) GERIATRIC MEDICINE PHYSICIANS;

20 (IV) INTERNAL MEDICINE PHYSICIANS, EXCLUDING INTERNISTS  
21 WHO SPECIALIZE IN AREAS SUCH AS CARDIOLOGY, ONCOLOGY, AND OTHER  
22 COMMON INTERNAL MEDICINE SPECIALTIES BEYOND THE SCOPE OF  
23 GENERAL PRIMARY CARE;

24 (V) OBSTETRICS AND GYNECOLOGY PHYSICIANS;

25 (VI) ADVANCED PRACTICE REGISTERED NURSES AND PHYSICIAN  
26 ASSISTANTS;

27 (VII) BEHAVIORAL HEALTH PROVIDERS, INCLUDING

1 PSYCHIATRISTS, PROVIDING MENTAL HEALTH AND SUBSTANCE USE  
2 DISORDER SERVICES WHEN INTEGRATED INTO A PRIMARY CARE SETTING;  
3 AND

4 (VIII) OTHER PROVIDER TYPES SPECIFIED BY THE COMMISSIONER  
5 BY RULE.

6 (f) "PROSPECTIVE PAYMENT" MEANS A PAYMENT MADE IN  
7 ADVANCE OF SERVICES THAT IS DETERMINED USING A METHODOLOGY  
8 INTENDED TO FACILITATE CARE DELIVERY TRANSFORMATION BY PAYING  
9 PROVIDERS ACCORDING TO A FORMULA BASED ON AN ATTRIBUTED PATIENT  
10 POPULATION TO PROVIDE PREDICTABLE REVENUE AND FLEXIBILITY TO  
11 MANAGE CARE WITHIN A BUDGET TO OPTIMIZE PATIENT OUTCOMES AND  
12 BETTER MANAGE POPULATION HEALTH.

13 (g) "RISK ADJUSTMENT" MEANS AN ADJUSTMENT TO THE PAYMENT  
14 FOR PRIMARY CARE SERVICES THAT IS DETERMINED BY QUANTIFYING A  
15 PATIENT'S COMPLEXITY BASED ON OBSERVABLE DATA, ADDRESSING THE  
16 TIME AND EFFORT PRIMARY CARE PROVIDERS SPEND IN CARING FOR  
17 PATIENTS OF DIFFERENT ANTICIPATED HEALTH NEEDS, AND INCLUDING  
18 SOCIAL FACTORS SUCH AS HOUSING INSTABILITY, BEHAVIORAL HEALTH  
19 ISSUES, DISABILITY, AND NEIGHBORHOOD-LEVEL STRESSORS.

20 (3) (a) (I) THE DIVISION SHALL DEVELOP ALTERNATIVE  
21 PAYMENT MODEL PARAMETERS BY RULE FOR PRIMARY CARE SERVICES  
22 OFFERED THROUGH HEALTH BENEFIT PLANS.

23 (II) THE DIVISION SHALL DEVELOP THE PRIMARY CARE  
24 ALTERNATIVE PAYMENT MODEL PARAMETERS IN PARTNERSHIP WITH THE  
25 DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH CARE POLICY AND FINANCING, THE DEPARTMENT  
26 OF PERSONNEL, THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH AND ENVIRONMENT,  
27 AND THE PRIMARY CARE PAYMENT REFORM COLLABORATIVE IN ORDER TO

1 OPTIMIZE AND CREATE POSITIVE INCENTIVES FOR ALIGNMENT BETWEEN  
2 HEALTH BENEFIT PLANS OFFERED BY CARRIERS AND PUBLIC PAYERS AND  
3 ACHIEVE THE FOLLOWING OBJECTIVES:

4 (A) INCREASED ACCESS TO HIGH-QUALITY PRIMARY CARE  
5 SERVICES;

6 (B) IMPROVED HEALTH OUTCOMES AND REDUCED HEALTH  
7 DISPARITIES;

8 (C) IMPROVED PATIENT AND FAMILY ENGAGEMENT AND  
9 SATISFACTION;

10 (D) INCREASED PROVIDER SATISFACTION AND RETENTION; AND

11 (E) INCREASED PRIMARY CARE INVESTMENT THAT RESULTS IN  
12 INCREASED HEALTH-CARE VALUE.

13 (III) AT A MINIMUM, THE ALTERNATIVE PAYMENT MODEL  
14 PARAMETERS MUST:

15 (A) INCLUDE TRANSPARENT RISK ADJUSTMENT PARAMETERS THAT  
16 ENSURE THAT PRIMARY CARE PROVIDERS ARE NOT PENALIZED FOR OR  
17 DISINCENTIVIZED FROM ACCEPTING VULNERABLE, HIGH-RISK PATIENTS  
18 AND ARE REWARDED FOR CARING FOR PATIENTS WITH MORE SEVERE OR  
19 COMPLEX HEALTH CONDITIONS AND PATIENTS WHO HAVE INADEQUATE  
20 ACCESS TO AFFORDABLE HOUSING, HEALTHY FOOD, OR OTHER SOCIAL  
21 DETERMINANTS OF HEALTH;

22 (B) UTILIZE PATIENT ATTRIBUTION METHODOLOGIES THAT ARE  
23 TRANSPARENT AND REATTRIBUTE PATIENTS ON A REGULAR BASIS, WHICH  
24 MUST ENSURE THAT POPULATION-BASED PAYMENTS ARE MADE TO A  
25 PATIENT'S PRIMARY CARE PROVIDER RATHER THAN OTHER PROVIDERS WHO  
26 MAY ONLY OFFER SPORADIC PRIMARY CARE SERVICES TO THE PATIENT AND  
27 INCLUDE A PROCESS FOR CORRECTING MISATTRIBUTION THAT MINIMIZES

1 THE ADMINISTRATIVE BURDEN ON PROVIDERS AND PATIENTS;

2 (C) INCLUDE A SET OF CORE COMPETENCIES AROUND  
3 WHOLE-PERSON CARE DELIVERY THAT PRIMARY CARE PROVIDERS SHOULD  
4 INCORPORATE IN PRACTICE TRANSFORMATION EFFORTS TO TAKE FULL  
5 ADVANTAGE OF VARIOUS TYPES OF ALTERNATIVE PAYMENT MODELS; AND

6 (D) ESTABLISH AN ALIGNED QUALITY MEASURE SET THAT  
7 CONSIDERS THE QUALITY MEASURES AND THE TYPES OF QUALITY  
8 REPORTING THAT CARRIERS AND PROVIDERS ARE ENGAGING IN UNDER  
9 CURRENT STATE AND FEDERAL LAW AND ENSURE THAT THE RULES  
10 INCLUDE QUALITY MEASURES THAT ARE PATIENT-CENTERED AND  
11 PATIENT-INFORMED AND ADDRESS: PEDIATRIC, PERINATAL, AND OTHER  
12 CRITICAL POPULATIONS; THE PREVENTION, TREATMENT, AND  
13 MANAGEMENT OF CHRONIC DISEASES; AND THE SCREENING FOR AND  
14 TREATMENT OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH CONDITIONS.

15 (IV) THE DIVISION SHALL ANNUALLY CONSIDER THE  
16 RECOMMENDATIONS ON THE ALTERNATIVE PAYMENT MODEL PARAMETERS  
17 AND POSITIVE CARRIER INCENTIVE ARRANGEMENTS PROVIDED BY THE  
18 PRIMARY CARE PAYMENT REFORM COLLABORATIVE.

19 (V) THE ALTERNATIVE PAYMENT MODELS MUST ALSO:

20 (A) ENSURE THAT ANY RISK OR SHARED SAVINGS ARRANGEMENTS  
21 MINIMIZE SIGNIFICANT FINANCIAL RISK FOR PROVIDERS WHEN PATIENT  
22 COSTS EXCEED WHAT CAN BE PREDICTED;

23 (B) INCENTIVIZE THE INTEGRATION OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH-CARE  
24 SERVICES THROUGH LOCAL PARTNERSHIPS OR THE HIRING OF IN-HOUSE  
25 BEHAVIORAL HEALTH STAFF;

26 (C) INCLUDE PROSPECTIVE PAYMENTS TO PROVIDERS FOR HEALTH  
27 PROMOTION, CARE COORDINATION, HEALTH NAVIGATION, CARE



1 MANAGEMENT, PATIENT EDUCATION, AND OTHER SERVICES DESIGNED TO  
2 PREVENT AND MANAGE CHRONIC CONDITIONS AND ADDRESS SOCIAL  
3 DETERMINANTS OF HEALTH;

4 (D) RECOGNIZE THE VARIOUS LEVELS OF ADVANCEMENT OF  
5 ALTERNATIVE PAYMENT MODELS AND PRESERVE OPTIONS FOR CARRIERS  
6 AND PROVIDERS TO NEGOTIATE MODELS SUITED TO THE COMPETENCIES OF  
7 EACH INDIVIDUAL PRIMARY CARE PRACTICE; AND

8 (E) SUPPORT EVIDENCE-BASED MODELS OF INTEGRATED CARE  
9 THAT FOCUS ON MEASURABLE PATIENT OUTCOMES.

10 (b) (I) EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN SUBSECTION (3)(b)(II) OF THIS  
11 SECTION, FOR HEALTH BENEFIT PLANS THAT ARE ISSUED OR RENEWED ON  
12 OR AFTER JANUARY 1, 2025, A CARRIER SHALL ENSURE THAT ANY  
13 ALTERNATIVE PAYMENT MODELS FOR PRIMARY CARE INCORPORATE THE  
14 PARAMETERS ESTABLISHED IN THIS SUBSECTION (3).

15 (II) FOR MANAGED CARE PLANS THAT ARE ISSUED OR RENEWED ON  
16 OR AFTER JANUARY 1, 2025, AND IN WHICH SERVICES ARE PRIMARILY  
17 OFFERED THROUGH ONE MEDICAL GROUP CONTRACTED WITH A NONPROFIT  
18 HEALTH MAINTENANCE ORGANIZATION, A CARRIER SHALL ENSURE THAT  
19 ANY ALTERNATIVE PAYMENT MODELS FOR PRIMARY CARE INCORPORATE  
20 THE ALIGNED QUALITY MEASURE SET ESTABLISHED IN SUBSECTION  
21 (3)(a)(III)(D) OF THIS SECTION.

22 (c) BY DECEMBER 1, 2023, THE COMMISSIONER SHALL  
23 PROMULGATE RULES DETAILING THE REQUIREMENTS FOR ALTERNATIVE  
24 PAYMENT MODELS PARAMETERS ALIGNMENT. THE DIVISION SHALL ALLOW  
25 CARRIERS THE FLEXIBILITY TO DETERMINE WHICH NETWORK PROVIDERS  
26 AND PRODUCTS ARE BEST SUITED TO ACHIEVE THE GOALS AND INCENTIVES  
27 SET BY THE DIVISION IN THIS SECTION.

1           (4) ONCE THE DIVISION HAS FIVE YEARS OF DATA, THE DIVISION  
2 SHALL ANALYZE THE DATA AND, SUBJECT TO AVAILABLE APPROPRIATIONS,  
3 PRODUCE A REPORT ON THE DATA THAT AGGREGATES DATA ACROSS ALL  
4 CARRIERS. THE DIVISION SHALL PRESENT THE FINDINGS TO THE GENERAL  
5 ASSEMBLY DURING THE DEPARTMENT OF REGULATORY AGENCY'S  
6 PRESENTATION TO LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEES AT HEARINGS HELD  
7 PURSUANT TO THE "STATE MEASUREMENT FOR ACCOUNTABLE,  
8 RESPONSIVE, AND TRANSPARENT (SMART) GOVERNMENT ACT", PART 2  
9 OF ARTICLE 7 OF TITLE 2.

10           (5) THE DIVISION SHALL RETAIN A THIRD-PARTY CONTRACTOR TO  
11 DESIGN AN EVALUATION PLAN FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF PRIMARY  
12 CARE ALTERNATIVE PAYMENT MODELS BY CARRIERS. IN DESIGNING THE  
13 EVALUATION PLAN, THE CONTRACTOR SHALL, TO THE EXTENT  
14 PRACTICABLE:

15           (a) REPORT ON THE EFFECTS OF THE ALTERNATIVE PAYMENT  
16 MODELS ON POPULATIONS THAT HAVE HISTORICALLY FACED SYSTEMIC  
17 BARRIERS TO HEALTH ACCESS;

18           (b) REPORT ON THE EFFECTS OF THE ALTERNATIVE PAYMENT  
19 MODELS ON PRIMARY CARE PROVIDERS, PRIMARY CARE PRACTICES, AND  
20 PRIMARY CARE PRACTICES' ABILITY TO STAY INDEPENDENT, INCLUDING  
21 THE EFFECTS ON PRIMARY CARE PROVIDERS' ADMINISTRATIVE BURDENS;  
22 AND

23           (c) CONSIDER AND IDENTIFY ANY AVAILABLE DATA SOURCES OR  
24 DATA LIMITATIONS THAT SHOULD BE INCLUDED OR ADDRESSED IN THE  
25 EVALUATION PLAN TO ALLOW FOR MEASUREMENT AND REPORTING ON THE  
26 EFFECTS OF THE PRIMARY CARE PAYMENT MODEL PARAMETERS ON SUCH  
27 POPULATIONS, INCLUDING THE COLLECTION OR ANALYSIS OF DATA THAT

1 IS DISAGGREGATED, AT A MINIMUM, BY RACE, ETHNICITY, SEX, GENDER,  
2 AND AGE.

3 (6) TO SUPPORT THE IMPLEMENTATION OF ALIGNED PRIMARY CARE  
4 ALTERNATIVE PAYMENT MODEL PARAMETERS BY CARRIERS, THE DIVISION  
5 SHALL RETAIN A THIRD-PARTY CONTRACTOR TO PROVIDE TECHNICAL  
6 ASSISTANCE TO CARRIERS. THE DIVISION SHALL WORK WITH CARRIERS TO  
7 DETERMINE THE NATURE AND SCOPE OF THE TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE AND  
8 OTHER SUPPORTS THAT WILL BEST FACILITATE THE IMPLEMENTATION OF  
9 ALIGNED PRIMARY CARE ALTERNATIVE PAYMENT MODEL PARAMETERS.

10 (7) THE COMMISSIONER MAY PROMULGATE RULES NECESSARY TO  
11 IMPLEMENT THIS SECTION.

12 (8) ANY INFORMATION SUBMITTED TO THE DIVISION IN  
13 ACCORDANCE WITH THIS SECTION IS SUBJECT TO PUBLIC INSPECTION ONLY  
14 TO THE EXTENT ALLOWED UNDER THE "COLORADO OPEN RECORDS ACT",  
15 PART 2 OF ARTICLE 72 OF TITLE 24. THE DIVISION SHALL NOT DISCLOSE  
16 ANY TRADE SECRET OR CONFIDENTIAL OR PROPRIETARY INFORMATION TO  
17 ANY PERSON WHO IS NOT OTHERWISE AUTHORIZED TO ACCESS THE  
18 INFORMATION.

19 **SECTION 2.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 10-16-150, **amend**  
20 **(1)(h), (1)(i)(IV), and (4); and add (1)(j) and (2.5)**

21 **10-16-150. Primary care payment reform collaborative -**  
22 **created - powers and duties - report - definition - repeal.** (1) The  
23 commissioner shall convene a primary care payment reform collaborative  
24 to:

25 (h) Consider how to increase investment in advanced primary care  
26 without increasing costs to consumers or increasing the total cost of  
27 health care; **and**

1 (i) Develop and share best practices and technical assistance to  
2 health insurers and consumers, which may include:

3 (IV) The delivery of advanced primary care that facilitates  
4 appropriate utilization of services in appropriate settings; AND

5 (j) ANNUALLY REVIEW THE ALTERNATIVE PAYMENT MODELS  
6 DEVELOPED BY THE DIVISION PURSUANT TO SECTION 10-16-155 (3) AND  
7 PROVIDE THE DIVISION WITH RECOMMENDATIONS ON THE MODELS.

8 (2.5) IN CARRYING OUT THE DUTIES OF SUBSECTION (1)(j) OF THIS  
9 SECTION, IN ADDITION TO THE MEMBERS OF THE COLLABORATIVE  
10 DESCRIBED IN SUBSECTION (2) OF THIS SECTION, THE COMMISSIONER SHALL  
11 INCLUDE HEALTH INSURERS AND HEALTH-CARE PROVIDERS ENGAGED IN A  
12 RANGE OF ALTERNATIVE PAYMENT MODELS.

13 (4) By ~~December 15, 2019~~ FEBRUARY 15, 2023, and by each  
14 ~~December~~ FEBRUARY 15 thereafter, the primary care payment reform  
15 collaborative shall publish primary care payment reform  
16 recommendations, informed by the primary care spending report prepared  
17 in accordance with section 25.5-1-204 (3)(c). The collaborative shall  
18 make the report available electronically to the general public.

19 **SECTION 3.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 25.5-1-204, **amend**  
20 (3)(c)(I) introductory portion and (3)(c)(II) as follows:

21 **25.5-1-204. Advisory committee to oversee the all-payer health**  
22 **claims database - creation - members - duties - legislative declaration**  
23 **- rules - report.** (3) (c) (I) By ~~August 31, 2019~~ NOVEMBER 15, 2022, and  
24 by each ~~August 31~~ NOVEMBER 15 thereafter, SUBJECT TO AVAILABLE  
25 APPROPRIATIONS, the administrator shall provide a primary care spending  
26 report to the commissioner of insurance for use by the primary care  
27 payment reform collaborative established in section 10-16-150 regarding

1 primary care spending:

2 (II) The report prepared in accordance with this subsection (3)(c)  
3 must include:

4 (A) The percentage of the medical expenses allocated to primary  
5 care;

6 (B) The share of payments that are made through nationally  
7 recognized alternative payment models and the share of payments that are  
8 not paid on a fee-for-service or per-claim basis; AND

9 (C) DATA RELATED TO THE ALIGNED QUALITY MEASURE SET  
10 DETERMINED BY THE DIVISION OF INSURANCE IN ACCORDANCE WITH  
11 SECTION 10-16-155 (3).

12 **SECTION 4. Appropriation.** (1) For the 2022-23 state fiscal  
13 year, \$56,328 is appropriated to the department of personnel and  
14 administration for use by the division of human resources. This  
15 appropriation is from the general fund. To implement this act, the division  
16 may use this appropriation as follows:

17 (a) \$49,048 for personal services related to state agency services,  
18 which amount is based on an assumption that the division will require an  
19 additional 0.7 FTE; and

20 (b) \$7,280 for operating expenses related to state agency services.

21 **SECTION 5. Act subject to petition - effective date.** This act  
22 takes effect at 12:01 a.m. on the day following the expiration of the  
23 ninety-day period after final adjournment of the general assembly; except  
24 that, if a referendum petition is filed pursuant to section 1 (3) of article V  
25 of the state constitution against this act or an item, section, or part of this  
26 act within such period, then the act, item, section, or part will not take  
27 effect unless approved by the people at the general election to be held in

- 1 November 2022 and, in such case, will take effect on the date of the
- 2 official declaration of the vote thereon by the governor.