

# SUPPORT HB25-1213 Medicaid Providers

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## Representative Feret & Senator Daughtery

This bill will help our Medicaid providers by reducing administrative burdens, increasing access to information, and standardizing timelines for payments.



### What HB25-1213 Will Do

- Section 1 - Reduces administrative burden of having assisted living homes to go through Facility Guidelines Inspection when not making structural changes to their facilities under 19 beds.
- Section 2 & 4 - This section will be removed from this bill.
- Section 3 - HCPF will establish a process to review their billing manual annually.
- Section 5 - Managed Care Entities will payout claims within one year of the publishing of updated provider rates
- Section 6 - Managed Care Entities will submit, annually, the medical loss ratio and what they paid for delivering services. This is to be publicly available on HCPF's website.
- Section 7 - PT, OT and Speech therapy will align with federal standards to certify the plan of care. This will remove excess signature requirements and paperwork.
- Section 8 - Will be amended to: HCPF must confirm the continuity of treatment timeline from Federal Government for service discontinuation and communicate this to the member.

### Why HB25-1213 is Important

- Physicians lose an estimated 17.4% of Medicaid claims to billing problems
- Complex & confusing billing practices are rated as a top concern from providers.
- Regulatory overload is also ranked top 5 issues

Sources: American Hospital Association and National Bureau of Economic Research

